

Rotary Club of Palm Beach Flagler

A 100% Paul Harris Sustaining Member Club

Tuesday 7:45 AM • Chesterfield Hotel • 363 Coconut Row, Palm Beach

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Members:

Claudia Andrade	Accountant
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Al Burlando	Manufacturing
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William Diamond	Private Investor
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Martin Gibbs+	Attorney: Banking
Ed Grimpe++	Wealth Management
Bruce Heyman	Civic Volunteer (ret., Business)
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Nixon Lajoie	General Contractor
Pamela (PJ) Layng	Development (Girl Scouts of SE FL)
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Steve Miller+	Real Estate Management
Carl Minardo	Foundation Fundraising Executive
Beba Moore	Sugar Equipment Sales
Reid Moore, Jr. +	Attorney: General
Marvin Rosenberg++	Periodontist
Allen Sells+	Mediator
Michael Sexton	Title Insurance
Loverly Sheridan	Marketing (not-for-profit)
Thomas "Mac" Skelly+	Trust Administration (retired)
Richard Sloane	Real Estate Broker
Lucinda Soltesz	Private Client Banker
Bruce Taylor*+	Computer Consultant
Paige Wagner	Nurse Liaison
Frederick Wright, Jr.	Real Estate Investor
Gail Coniglio	Honorary Member
Jack McDonald*+	Honorary Member
Raymond Wells++	Honorary Member
Philip Whitacre*++	Honorary Member

* Past President + Paul Harris Fellow ++ Multiple PHF

June Speakers – Stanton Collemer, Speaker Chair

Tues 3 rd	Al Burlando, Rotary Club of Palm Beach Flagler 'BriteSide: Dramatically Enhancing Road Safety and Saving Lives'
Tues 10 th	Melissa Ladd, Town of Palm Beach United Way 'Who we are. What we do. How we are different.'
Tues 17 th	Johanna Kandel, CEO, The Alliance for Eating Disorders 'Life Beyond Your Eating Disorder'
Tues 24 th *	John O'Neill, Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Foundation 'Introducing our 2014 Charitable Grant Recipients'

*Club and Foundation Board Meeting immediately following our regularly scheduled weekly meeting.

Palm Beach Flagler Wins 6 District Awards!

At the District Conference (May 16-18), President Ozzie Osborne accepted six district-level awards on behalf of our club:

- 2013-14 Presidential Citation
- 2013-14 Exemplary Literacy Award
- 2013-14 Vocational Service Literacy Award
- 2013-14 Club Central Award (for strategic goal setting)
- 2013-14 Rotary Has Heart Award (food collection project)
- 2013-14 Rotary World Peace Community Award

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If you have a Facebook account, be sure and search "Palm Beach Flagler Rotary Club" and "Like Us". Mention us also to your friends, family, and co-workers. We currently have 116 "likes". We try to post photos and announcements of our club activities, accomplishments, and social gatherings. The more people we can get to follow us, the more we can "put the word out". Thanks!

Jesse Newman Award

The 2013-14 Jesse Newman Spirit of Palm Beach Award was presented May 13th to Nanci Lane, head waitress at Green's Pharmacy for the past 18 years.

Created by our Founding Member, Admiral Phil Whitacre, the 'Jesse Newman Spirit of Palm Beach Award' was established as an annual gift in recognition of an individual living or working in Palm Beach who demonstrates "service above self" and who makes a difference in the lives of those he or she touches in some way.



Celebrations

Member Birthdays:
 6th – Patricia Reybold
 11th – Gail Coniglio
 12th – Paige Wagner
 13th – John O’Neill
 24th – Daniel Kahan

Member Anniversaries:
 7th – Steve/Barbara Miller
 10th – Becky/Giles van der Bogert
 16th – Michael/Robin Sexton
 17th – Tom/Anne Matarazzo
 19th – Gail/Frank Coniglio






Rotary International (RI) News: Rotary International’s Annual Convention is being held June 1-4 in Sydney Australia. Why attend an International Convention? As a Rotarian, the annual International Convention offers you the perfect opportunity to connect with leaders from around the world and celebrate your shared passion for taking action in communities at home and abroad. You will hear from some of the world’s leading experts on topics such as water, polio, and social media. Through workshops and breakout sessions, you will develop leadership skills and share your recreational, professional, and humanitarian interests. Finally, by touring the various project booths within the International House of Friendship, you will discover new ideas for service, and perhaps, find a new partner for creating change.

ROTARY DISTRICT 6930 NEWS: Rotary District 6930 stretches along Florida’s Gold and Treasure coasts from Titusville to Boca Raton. Geography includes six counties: Brevard, Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin, Okeechobee, and Palm Beach.

5 Minutes with Lee Gordon

Name: Lee Gordon
Classification: Attorney - Real Estate
Occupation: Board Certified Real Estate Attorney

Personal (Marital Status, Children, etc.): Married to Susan (26 years). One son - Samuel Baker Gordon ("Sam") 16 years old this July.

What car do you currently drive? 2004 Volvo XC90
What is your ideal car? I bought my Volvo new. This is the first car I ever had with over 100,000 miles. I want to see how long I can keep it going!
Favorite Hobbies: Walking. I just bought a Ukelele (I need to start practicing). Getting tattoos.
Favorite Restaurant: I love Italian: Pellegrino’s in Boca. Zuccarelli’s and Café Sapori in West Palm. Pizza al Fresco in Palm Beach for pizza.
Favorite Store: Brooks Brothers
Favorite Vacation Spot: Captiva Island
Favorite Color: Sunny yellow
Favorite “Toy”: My Vespa ET4 150
Favorite Animal: Abyssinian cat
If you could choose a different career, what would it be? Lottery winner.
Favorite thing about being a Rotarian: Service, service, and more service!
Tell us something about you that hardly anyone knows: In 2010, I completed the “Goofy” at Walt Disney World: ½ Marathon on a Saturday and a full marathon the next day.

Service Above Self Award Recognition Breakfast

One of the highlights of our Rotary year is the annual breakfast we host for all of the student recipients from Palm Beach Day Academy of our monthly Service Above Self Award.

The ‘Service Above Self’ Award is presented to one student during each school month who has excelled in community service and leadership. In order to qualify for the SASA, students must submit an essay to 5th-grade teacher Cynthia Kanai summarizing what they have completed in the way of community service and/or what leadership actions they have taken that embody the ideals of Rotary’s 4-Way Test. A panel of teachers then evaluates these essays and selects one recipient for the monthly award.

This year’s recipients were:
 Lulu Fanjul
 Alexis Gorfine
 India Patel
 Hannah Moross
 Daniela Garcia
 Sydney Torres
 Jack Litten
 Talia Chachkes
 Stan Li

Following breakfast, each student spoke to our club about his or her community service activities and how community service has affected or changed his/her life.

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