

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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May, 2012

2011-2012 Board of Directors

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| Stanton Collemer, <i>President+</i> | Fundraising Executive |
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| Patricia Reybold, <i>Past-President*+</i> | Real Estate (retired) |

May Speakers – Fred Wright, Speaker Chair

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| Tues 1 st | Claudine Laabs, Wild Life Photographer |
| Tues 8 th | Toni Lee: Mission to Africa |
| Tues 15 th | Andrew Aiken, President: Palm Beach Zoo |
| Tues 22 ^{nd*} | PBFRC Foundation – Grant Recipients |
| Tues 29 th | Palm Beach Day Academy “Service Above Self” Award Recipients –and- Laile Fairbairn on Rotoplast District Project |

*Club Board Meeting immediately following regularly scheduled weekly meeting.

Members:

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| Daniel Biaggi | Director, Palm Beach Opera |
| Becky van der Bogert | Head of School (PBDA)/Ed.D |
| Yu Ling Cui | Import/Export |
| Bobby Dougherty | Jewelry Sales |
| Roberta Drey | Real Estate |
| William Diamond | Private Investor |
| Peter Elwell*++ | Town Manager, PB |
| Robert Foster+ | U.S. Govt. (retired) |
| Martin Gibbs+ | Attorney: Banking |
| Ed Grimpe | Wealth Management |
| Bruce Heyman | Civic Volunteer (ret., Business) |
| Dr. Claudia Hillinger | Scientific Research, Max Planck FL |
| Michelle Jacobson | Psychotherapist |
| Gilbert Messing*+ | Real Estate Sales |
| Kristina McCarthy | Fashion Catalog Consultant |
| Dada Newton | MD – Anesthesiologist |
| Carl Nicola | Merchant Processing |
| Ozzie Osborne | Information Technology (IT) |
| Marty Phillips++ | Banker |
| Marvin Rosenberg++ | Periodontist |
| Claude Rosinsky*+ | Marketing Administration |
| Emily Santiago | Luxury Auto Sales |
| Thomas “Mac” Skelly | Trust Administration (retired) |
| Richard Sloane | Real Estate Broker |
| Bruce Taylor*+ | Computer Consultant |
| Chung Wong+ | Financial Advisor |
| Frederick Wright, Jr. | Real Estate Investor |

Kim Parkey+ Club Executive Secretary

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| Jack McDonald*+ | Honorary Member |
| Raymond Wells++ | Honorary Member |
| Philip Whitacre*++ | Honorary Member |

* Past President + Paul Harris Fellow ++ Multiple PHF

CLUB NEWS: We held our annual Bingo Night fundraiser on April 27th. There were over 50 in attendance. Thanks to Committee Members Stanton Collemer, Lisa Kline Goldstein, Bruce Heyman, Robi Journey, Dusty MacBeth, Carl Nicola, Ozzie Osborne, Patricia Reybold, & Fred Wright.

Special thanks to our sponsors. We encourage you to patronize their businesses or support their causes:
Sponsors: Center For Family Services; Bill Diamond; Ed Grimpe; The Osborne Family; Quantum House; Patricia Reybold; Richard Sloane; Ray Wells; and Chung Wong/Guia Brown.

ROTARY DISTRICT NEWS:

It's not too late to register for the annual District Conference to be held Friday, May 18 – Sunday, May 20. Location is Club Med Sandpiper Bay in Port St. Lucie. There is NO registration fee. You only pay for the packages that you select. Cost is only \$75.00 for a one-day pass. For more information, go to rotary6930.org and click the link for the District Annual Conference. You are guaranteed fun, fellowship, and all things Rotary!

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL (RI) NEWS:

Rotary's main objective is service — in the community, in the workplace, and around the globe. The 1.2 million Rotarians who make up more than 34,000 Rotary clubs in nearly every country in the world share a dedication to the ideal of Service Above Self. Rotary clubs are open to people of all cultures and ethnicities and are not affiliated with any political or religious organizations.



Celebrations:

Member Birthdays:

11th – Ed Grimpe
17th – Phil Whitacre
18th – Peter Elwell



Member Anniversaries:

3rd – Marty & Dona Gibbs

Holidays:

5th – Cinco de Mayo
15th – Mother's Day
19th – Armed Forces Day
28th – Memorial Day



MONTHLY "SERVICE ABOVE SELF" AWARD

The April "Service Above Self" Award was presented Friday, April 27th to sixth grader, Claire Barber. Claire has been involved in every Dr. Paley event this year, as well as cooking dinners at Quantum House. She created a project called "Change for Change" at Palm Beach Day Academy. Claire raised \$120.00 by collecting change, which was donated to children in an orphanage in Beijing, China. Claire believes that community service is a fantastic thing and that it will change your life forever. The Service Above Self Award is presented each month, during the school year, to a student that exemplifies what being a Rotarian is all about: community service, leadership, and respect for others.

CAFÉ JOSHUA AT THE LORD'S PLACE RESUMES THURSDAY, MAY 3RD

Our weekly seasonal service project resumes weekly (Thursdays) as of May 3rd. Please arrive no later than 11:45 am and you will be dismissed no later than 1:30 pm. We need 5-6 volunteers each week, if possible. You will be assigned as either a "server" or a "table host", depending on the need. The Lord's Place is located at 2808 N. Australian Avenue, WPB (between PB Lakes and 45th St.). This is one of our most popular volunteer opportunities.

5 MINUTES WITH...ROBERT ("BOB") FOSTER

Classification: U.S. Govt. (retired)
Personal: Single; committed.
Current car: Subaru Forester
Ideal car: Any all-wheel drive
Favorite hobbies: Sailing; woodworking repairs; reading; writing
Favorite food: Steak and fish
Favorite drink: Chivas Regal on the rocks
Favorite vacation spot: Maine
Favorite color: Black
Favorite "toys": Sailboats
Favorite animal: Persian cats; dogs
Most interesting person ever met: Henry Kissinger
Something about you that hardly anyone knows: Renaissance man; chaired health broadcasts; liaison at Columbia riots; Board Member of NY City Club and NY Young Republicans Club.

We Hope You Like Our New Look!

Starting with this month's newsletter, The PBFRC monthly newsletter has a new format. Thanks to Kim Parkey and Lee Gordon for making what was great to begin with even greater!

We wanted to bring our newsletter into the 21st Century: Make it more contemporary in feeling and, hopefully, easier to read. We have tried to standardize our fonts: Underlined headers are all in Times New Roman. Text is in Calibri. Member names are in Corbel.

We have moved the monthly speaker list and monthly "club" news, "district" news, and "RI" news to page one, to give that side of the newsletter a more business-like and international feel. Page two now contains more "fun" stuff, like birthdays and our popular "5 Minutes With..."

Finally, we hope you like our new Rotary blue and gold main nameplate. We feel it now embodies the charm, sophistication and elegance synonymous with the name: Palm Beach!

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