

# 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, 2015

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John D. O'Neill <sup>*+</sup>	Attorney: Trusts & Estates
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Jack McDonald <sup>*+</sup>	Honorary Member
Raymond Wells <sup>**</sup>	Honorary Member
Philip Whitacre <sup>*++</sup>	Honorary Member

\* Past President    + Paul Harris Fellow    ++ Multiple PHF

## May Speakers – Lee Gordon, Speaker Chair

Tues 5 <sup>th</sup>	Diane Buhler, President/Founder Friends of Palm Beach – Keeping Our Beaches Clean -and- Valerie Mathieu, President/Founder “Caps of Love”, US Division of Bouchons D’Amour
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup>	Daniel Kahan, Partner at Smith and Moore Architects Designing and Building Your Dream House
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Cynthia Kanai, Palm Beach Day Academy Annual ‘Service Above Self’ Recipients Award Breakfast
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup> *	Allen Sistrunk, Director, Mounts Botanical Garden The Future of Gardening in South Florida

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

## Chef for a Day at Quantum House

Our next Chef-for-a Day at Quantum House will be on **Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m.**

Quantum House is located on the St. Mary’s campus at 901 45<sup>th</sup> Street. This is our most popular community service project.

We will prepare dinner for approximately 25 persons staying at the House or at a nearby facility. A typical Quantum House guest is a child flown in from all parts of the world undergoing a major medical procedure and 1-2 family members for support. Quantum House is a “home away from home” as these individuals often stay for a 3-6 month period.

## Service Above Self Award at Palm Beach Day Academy

Our final “Service Above Self” Award for the 2014-15 school year will be presented to one or two students at Palm Beach Day Academy who have excelled in Community Service and who exemplify Rotary’s 4-Way Test. Please join us on **Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m.** for the presentation of our award plaque and coveted medal at the weekly school assembly, which is held at the Smith Family Theater, 241 Seaview Avenue, Palm Beach.



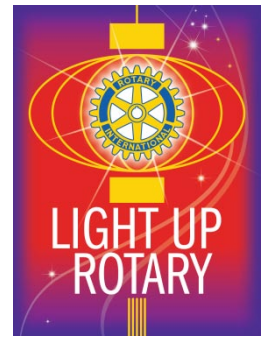
Celebrations

Member Birthdays:

- 8<sup>th</sup> - Beba Moore
- 17<sup>th</sup> - Phil Whitacre
- 27<sup>th</sup> - Colleen Gear
- 28<sup>th</sup> - Ray Wells

Member Anniversaries:

- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Marty & Dona Gibbs



**Rotary International (RI) News:** Rotary International has designated certain months of the year as times for Rotary clubs to emphasize the involvement of all Rotarians in designated activities. **May has been designated as the month within which we promote the upcoming International Rotary Convention.** This year's convention will be held June 6 through June 9 in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

**Rotary District 6930 News:** Need to "make up"? Try one of our local neighboring clubs: (1) **Palm Beach** (Thursdays at 12:15 pm at The Chesterfield); (2) **West Palm Beach** (Tuesdays at Noon at Kravis Center); (3) **Lake Worth** (Wednesdays at Noon at Brogue's Down Under); (4) **Singer Island** (Fridays at 12:15 pm at Sailfish Marina); (5) **Northern Palm Beaches** (Tuesdays at 7:30 am at the Double Tree Hotel, Palm Beach Gardens); (6) **Jupiter-Tequesta** (Tuesdays at Noon at Mangrove Bay, Jupiter); (7) **Royal Palm Beach** (Thursdays at 7:30 am at Friendly's; and (8) **Wellington** (Thursdays at 12:15 pm at the Wanderers Club).

Rotary Themes

Each year, the incoming President of Rotary International announces his or her "Theme" for their year in office. The tradition of crafting a theme is credited to 1949-50 RI President Percy C. Hodgson. Some examples of recent RI Themes are shown below:

Our current theme for 2014-2015 is Light Up Rotary and is shown above-right.

The new incoming President of Rotary International, as of July 1<sup>st</sup> will be K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran with the Rotary Club of Colombo, Sri Lanka. Mr. Ravindran has chosen "Be a Gift to the World" as this RI Theme. As the incoming President recently stated:



2003-2004 Lend a Hand

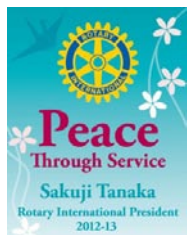
Lend a Hand

"All of you have been given so many gifts. And you have now been given this great gift: one year to take all your talents, all your gifts, everything that you are and can become -- and Be a Gift to the World. You have one year to take that potential and turn it into reality. One year to lead the clubs in your district and transform the lives of others. The time is so short, yet there is so much to be done."



2009-2010 The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands

With the July newsletter, Light Up Rotary will be retired and our new Theme (below) will be displayed for the next fiscal year:



2012-2013 Peace Through Service



Be a gift to the world

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