

Rotary



Mandarin Newsletter

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Welcome to the Rotary Club of Mandarin

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.



Rotary club membership represents a cross-section of the community's business and professional men and women. The world's Rotary clubs meet weekly and are nonpolitical, nonreligious, and open to all cultures, races, and creeds. [More info](#)

Rotary membership provides the opportunity to: Become connected to your community. Work with others in addressing community needs. Interact with other professionals in your community; assist with RI's international humanitarian service efforts. Establish contacts with an international network of professionals. Develop leadership skills. Involve family in promoting service efforts. [More info](#)

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Club Leaders

Ladson F. Montgomery

President

John P. Hart

Treasurer

Birthdays

Rosann W. Faull

June 21

Stephen B. Gallagher

June 21

Events

TBD

June 06

[Cynthia Robinson -](#)

[Co-Director, Clarke School](#)

June 06

[Ken McCauley - RI](#)

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June 13

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June 28

June 20th Meeting - John Caulfield (World Affairs Council & Venezuela)

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2017-06-18

Please join us on Tuesday at the regular time. The speaker will be John Caulfield. John's biography is below.

John Caulfield is a career American diplomat who managed some of the most difficult relations in Latin America, most recently as Chief of the US Interests Section in Havana, Cuba. There he negotiated pragmatic agreements on immigration, environmental protection, civil aviation and cultural affairs. He also championed the aspirations of ordinary Cubans for political rights and economic opportunities in a difficult environment. Assigned in 2008 as Deputy Chief of Mission in Caracas, Venezuela, he assumed charge of the Embassy on an indefinite basis after President Chavez expelled the Ambassador. Mr. Caulfield guided the Embassy through a tense period, maintaining communication with the government, opposition and the business community in Venezuela where the US has important commercial and energy interests.

To read more, please [click here](#).

New Meeting Assignments

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2017-03-12

	GREETER:	GREETER:	INTRODUCTION:	RAFFLE:	INVOCATION:
6/20/2017	Kevin Carlton	Lad Daniels	Steve Gallagher	Ed Grey	Mark Mouro
6/27/2017	No Meeting				

New Meeting Assignments - July through September

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2017-06-18

	GREETER:	GREETER:	INTRODUCTION:	RAFFLE:	INVOCATION:
7/4/2017	No Meeting				
7/11/2017	Greg Clary	Charles Denny	Bill Gowen	Paul Hardaker	Ladson Montgomery
7/18/2017	Mac Coble	Louis Dunbar	Ed Grey	Major Harding	Mark Mouro
7/25/2017	Peter Cummings	Harlan Eaton	Hugh Harby	Jock Hart	Mark O'Connor
8/1/2017	Lee Curtis	John Edgecombe	Paul Hardaker	Marc Hassan	Bill O'Leary
8/8/2017	Lad Daniels	Jeff Edwards	Major Harding	Jim Johns	Neewa Phelps
8/15/2017	Charles Denny	Rosann Faull	Jock Hart	Aaron Kaiser	Chris Phillips
8/22/2017	Louis Dunbar	Dorrie Felder	Marc Hassan	Al Kalter	Fred Pozin
8/29/2017	Harlan Eaton	Craig Fertenbaugh	Jim Johns	Dennis Lafer	Ricardo Quinones
9/5/2017	John Edgecombe	Sam Folds	Aaron Kaiser	Michael Larsen	Ed Randall
9/12/2017	Jeff Edwards	Stephen Frick	Al Kalter	Steve Lazar	Brian Register
9/19/2017	Rosann Faull	Steve Gallagher	Dennis Lafer	Robert Meek	Jim Register

June 13th Meeting - Mandarin Rotary Charitable Grants

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2017-06-18

At last week's meeting, we awarded charitable grants (\$35,200) to the following organizations. Click on the links to view pictures.

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Amount</u>
K9s for Warriors	Mandarin Rotary	\$12,000
Polio Plus	Mandarin Rotary	\$4,000
Gateway Community Services	Ken McCauley	\$2,500
Jacksonville Zoo	Ladson Montgomery	\$1,000
Boy Scouts	Gary Stasco	\$1,000
Greenland Pines Elementary	Gary Sneddon	\$2,500
Family Support Services of North FL	Joe Vickers and Dennis Lafer	\$2,000
Thaise Educational and Exposure Tours	Joe Vickers	\$1,200
Hope Therapy	Ken McCauley	\$1,000
Lifeline Resources	Lee Curtis	\$2,500
Greenscape	Robert Meek	\$2,000
St. Gerard Campus	Lee Curtis	\$2,500
Jacksonville Children's Chorus	Ladson Montgomery	\$1,000

Message from Marshall Butler - Week 50

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2017-01-09

To read this week's Message from Marshall, please [click here](#).

The Card

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2013-11-15

There are 30 cards in the deck. We are looking for the King of Clubs. The jackpot is \$768.

Max's Corner

By Bjorn Gunnar Anderson

2013-10-27

Nancy telephoned St. Joseph 's Hospital. She timidly asked, "Is it possible to speak to someone who can tell me how a patient is doing?"

The operator said, "I'll be glad to help, dear. What's the name and room number?"

Nancy in her weak, tremulous voice said "Nancy, Room 302."

The operator replied, "Let me place you on hold while I check with her nurse." After a few minutes, the operator returned to the phone and said, "Oh, I have good news. Her nurse just told me that Nancy is doing very well. Her blood pressure is fine; her blood work just



came back as normal, and her physician, Dr. Cohen, has scheduled her to be discharged on Tuesday."

Nancy said, "Thank you. That's wonderful! I was so worried! God bless you for the good news."

The operator replied, "You're more than welcome. Is Nancy your daughter?"

Nancy said, "No, I'm Nancy in 302. No one tells me squat around here."
