

the HELICOPTER



The Rotary Club of Pensacola District 6940 Club 4248

WEEK IN REVIEW 10/27/2020

Rotary Minutes for October 27, 2020 Sally Fox called the Zoom Meeting of the Downtown Rotary to order at 12:03pm

Judge Bill Stafford gave the Prayer and Pledge

Paul Tobin then read a Resolution recognizing John Appleyard. Chris Bridwell will have a copy of this for the record.

Chris Kelly introduced our speaker, Todd Thompson, CEO of the Pensacola Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Thompson stated that since March of 2020, the C of C has been virtual. Content of their meetings and other information is available on their FaceBook page. The intent of the Chamber is to be a trusted source of information for Pensacola businesses. They are providing information on such things as how to acquire PPP and Cares Act funding. The Chamber plans to resume in person meeting starting November 6 following medical protocols, and they are trying to have events as much as possible outdoors. They are offering a "Total Resource" campaign, an upfront effort for sponsors to make a single donation covering as many events as they wish to sponsor. Additionally, they have a magazine with advertising and content opportunities. The C of C focuses on workforce, quality of life and healthcare among other community issues. On their website there is a Reopening EscaRosa Plan to provide information and communication. Todd also has weekly news eblasts for which anyone may sign up at news@pensacolachamber.com. These email provide concise and appropriate news for the business community.

Chris Kelly did double duty as Sunshine today and introduced 3 visitors and wished our birthday celebrators well.

Andrea Krieger introduced 3 of those visitors as our scholarship recipients - Paton Glaze (Biology major at PSC moving to Plant Science major at UF), Valerie Hiles and Savina Walters (dental hygiene at PSC). Andrea pointed out that the Dental Hygiene program at PSC also provides community support for patients.

Lori Ne Smith made an announcement about another desk shield presentation and read a note from the school that received the first group of desk shields. She said it was fun and rewarding to make the presentation to the school and invited members to join her this Friday at 8:30.

Sally Fox stated that we may be back at New World Landing in mid-November. She noted that advertising in the Helicopter is an opportunity to give to the Rotary Foundation while promoting your business. And lastly, if there are any needs in our community, please let Sally and the Board know of those.

Submitted by, Lynne Tobin

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROTARY

On-Line Zoom Meetings every Tuesday at noon. You will receive your invitation to join the meetings on Monday's. The meetings can be accessed with your computer, tablet or your smart phone. If you have any questions please feel free to give me a call. 850-619-0679. Chris

Promote your business by placing an ad in the Helicopter. The Rotary Club of Pensacola will advertise your business in our weekly newsletter with ads running for a full month. Business cards \$250. 1/4 page \$500. 1/2 page \$750. To place your ad send prepared document to rcopens@bellsouth.net stating the size ad you wish to place. Proceeds to benefit the Rotary Club of Pensacola Foundation.

Due to Hurricane Sally damage, resuming to in person meetings at New World Landing has been postponed for 6-8 weeks. Projected return date mid-November.

It is that time of the year again to make your annual pledge to our local Foundation and Rotary International. You should have received your 2020-2021 pledge form last week.

In an effort to raise funds for our Rotary Club's Foundation, Sergeant of Arms Scott Grissett is looking for Rotarians to participate in Member Moments. Scott has increased the time to a five minute platform for a member to share such facts as occupation (now/in the past), hobbies, community passion and something no one knows about the Rotarian. In order to get the opportunity to participate in what surely will be a fun and informative activity simply make the winning bid in the Member Moment auction. The winning bid will go to our Club's Foundation. The bid begins at \$20. for each auction. If you are interested in participating, please e-mail Scott Grissett (sjgrissett@gmail.com) with your bid by 5 pm on Fridays.

2020-2021 Club Officers

•President	Sally Fox
•Past President	John Trawick
•President Elect	Ed Wonders
•Secretary	Lisa York
•Treasurer	C. Ray Jones
•Sergeant At Arms	Scott Grissett
•Historian	John Appleyard

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Clubs Available for Makeup

Five Flags	New World Landing	Mon.	12:15 pm
Gulf Breeze	Legends Restaurant	Tues.	7:00 am
	Andrews Institute		
Milton	Red Barn on Hwy. 90	Tues.	12:00 pm
Seville	Seville Quarter	Tues.	4:15 pm
Perdido	13660 Innerarity Point Road	Wed.	7:15 am
Cantonment	Scenic Hills Country Club	Wed.	12:15 pm
Cordova	Gulf Coast Kid's House	Thur.	7:00 am
Pace	Stonebrook Village	Thur.	7:00 am
Suburban West	Pensacola Yacht Club	Thur.	12:00 pm
Navarre	The Tuscan Grill	Thur.	12:00 pm
	Hidden Creek Golf Course - Check navarrerotary.org		
Pensacola North	Asbury Place	Friday	12:00 pm
	Cokesbury Methodist		

District Governor

Jan Pooley
<http://www.rotary6940.org>

Assistant District Governor

Daniel J. Sulger

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Birthdays for the week of
November 3rd through November 9th

Allison Hill – November 5 – born in Elizabethtown, KY in Rotary 3 years

Zack Smith – November 7 – born in Pensacola, FL, in Rotary 2 years

Alison Rogers – November 8 – born in Scott AFB, IL, in Rotary 20 years

Sorna Khakzad – November 8 – born in Tehran, Iran, in Rotary 2 year

Morgan Crawford - November 9 – born in Pensacola, in Rotary less than one year

Prayer/Pledge And Sunshine

November 3

Prayer/Pledge: Charles Kahn Sunshine: Scott Grissett

November 10

Prayer/Pledge: Dale Jordan Sunshine: Scott Ford

Program Schedule

November

- 3 - Darien Schaefer, Visit Pensacola
- 10 - Amy Parker, 19th Amendment
- 17 - Dr. Bill Lees, Confederate Monuments
- 24 - Chris Warner & Joe Gilchrist, FloraBama

What's Happening in Rotary

November - Rotary Foundation Month

- 3 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting
- 10 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting
1:00 Virtual Board Meeting
- 17 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting
- 24 - Noon On Line Virtual Meeting