



# Rotary in Action

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## 2019-2020 District Governor Cindi Cioci

### 2019-2020 Board of Directors

President	Cristina Rabago
President- Elect	Pam Rousch
Immediate Past President	Diane Mehrlich
Secretary	Cheri Wright
Treasurer	Nancy Hubbard
Club Administration	Mimi Freeman
Membership	Diane Mehrlich
Public Relations	Bobbie Bryant
Rotary Foundation	Mike Long
Service Projects	Mary Cox
Youth Services	Christina Karandreas
Sergeant-at-Arms	Billy Folsom
Bulletin Editor	Nancy Hubbard

### REVIEW & PREVIEW...

**Last Week:** David Sass, Florida Police Benevolent Society

**This Week:** Marty Johnson, Johnson Family Holiday Light Extravaqanza

**Next Week:** Mark Bargloff, Good Samaritan Village

### DATE FOUNDATION GIFT

12/11	Bill Folsom
12/18	Cristina Rabago
1/8	Craig Lynch

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- 12/17 Camp RYLA Interviews – 6:00 p.m.
- 1/9 Board of Directors Meeting –Los Cabos- 6:00 p.m.
- 1/11 Blood Drive – details TBD
- 1/22 Karaoke Night – Kissimmee Elks Lodge



### THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOOD WILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS



### Welcome to All of Our Visitors Today

We are glad that you joined us and hope to see you again soon. Please be sure to provide us with your email address so we can be in touch with you about all the great and exciting moments in Rotary.

### REMINDER

**Due to the holidays,  
there will not be club meetings  
on December 25, 2019 or January 1, 2020**

## Welcome New Kissimmee Bay Rotarians



President Cristina inducts Steve Graves and BJ Smith

### Happy Birthday

Jerry Fox – Dec. 16

### Rotarian of the Month for November is ...???



### Reminder

#### Lap Blankets and Socks Needed by December 11

If you signed up to purchase small lap blankets and pairs of socks for seniors without family members in local nursing homes today is the day to bring them to Rotary. They do not need to be wrapped. Our Interact students will help deliver these, bringing warmth and joy to so many.



#### Pajamas for Help Now Residents Due by December 18

Help Now of Osceola, Inc. provides temporary safe shelter for victims of domestic abuse facing imminent danger. Among the many ways that we have supported this agency over the years is to give pajamas to each of the women and children staying there during the holidays.

Please gift wrap the pajamas and place a tag on them with the name and age of the recipient and bring them to the club meeting by December 18.

**2020-2021 Proposed Slate of Officers**

President-Elect Pam is proposing the following Slate of Officers for Rotary year 2020-2021. She will also be accepting nominations from the floor. The vote will take place at the December 18 club meeting.

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**Mini-Minutes of December Board Meeting**

-- Approved \$500 donation to Osceola Council on Aging for Senior Santas



**The Rotary Foundation Weekly Message**

*By Rotarians for Rotarians*

**ROTARY'S AREAS OF FOCUS (2 of 2)**

Rotary is dedicated to six areas of focus to build international relationships, improve lives, and create a better world to support our peace efforts and end polio forever.

- **Saving mothers and children:** Nearly 6 million children under the age of five die each year because of malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation. We expand access to quality care, so mothers and their children can live and grow stronger.
- **Supporting education:** More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy.
- **Growing local economies:** We carry out service projects that enhance economic and community development and create opportunities for decent and productive work for young and old. We also strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities.

**Which cause are you most passionate about?**



**Holiday Party**

Thank you, Robert and Julia, for opening your festive home to Kissimmee Bay Rotarians and friends for our holiday party this past weekend. Everyone brought delicious food to share and plenty of great conversation and fun.

**Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)**  
**Building Better Rotarians, One Session at a Time**

February 1, 2020

Rosen College of Hospitality Management  
9907 Universal Blvd., Orlando, FL 32819

At RLI, the purpose is to give you the necessary tools and skills to be better Rotarians. As in every endeavor, the more you know about anything, the more interesting it becomes. Rotary is most assuredly one of those areas that the more you put into it, the more you get out of it. RLI can make that possible for you.

Kissimmee Bay Rotary suggests that all club members attend RLI. We strongly encourage anyone wanting to take on a leadership role in the club to take parts 1, 2 and 3.

Register in the event calendar on DACdb under "REGISTER NOW". Parts 1, 2, & 3, along with the Graduate Class on Foundation are available.

Breakfast and registration starts at 7:00 a.m. Class begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. and will end by 3:30 p.m.

The cost for breakfast, lunch and all materials is \$100. You must pay when you register. Our club will reimburse you once you attend training and submit your receipt to our Treasurer.



**INTERACT INSIDER**

**Interact Club of PATHS**

Advisor – Mrs. Andrea Darsch

Meeting Schedule - the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month at 10:35 a.m. in portable 35.

**Neo City Academy Interact Club**

Advisor – Ms. Megan Fellows

Meeting Schedule – December 13

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**KBay Rotary:** [www.kbayrotary.com](http://www.kbayrotary.com)  
**District 6980:** [www.rotarydistrict6980.org](http://www.rotarydistrict6980.org)  
**Rotary International:** [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

The Rotary Club of Kissimmee Bay Meets at:  
Kissimmee Bay Country Club  
2801 Kissimmee Bay Blvd., Kissimmee 34744  
Wednesdays at 12:15 p.m.-1:15 p.m.  
Mailing Address:  
P.O. Box 420225, Kissimmee, FL 34742-0225

**ABRIDGED MAKE-UP SCHEDULE**

E-Club Make-up: [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)

**Monday**

Kissimmee	12:10 p.m.	Council on Aging
Lake Nona	6:00 p.m.	Valencia College-Lake Nona

**Tuesday**

Lake Nona Lunch	11:45 a.m.	Ronald McDonald House
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**Thursday**

St. Cloud	7:15 a.m.	Community House, 716 Indiana Avenue, St. Cloud
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**Friday**

Celebration	7:00 a.m.	Celebration Health
Kissimmee West	7:00 a.m.	Advent Health -Kissimmee,
Poinciana	7:45 a.m.	Poinciana Medical Center- 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Fridays