



Rotary in Action

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REVIEW & PREVIEW...

Last Week: Sheri Weretka, School District of Osceola County
 Bullying Prevention Specialist

This Week: Robb Larson, Osceola Heritage Park

Next Week: Terry Lloyd, Kissimmee Gateway Airport

DATE FOUNDATION GIFT

2/13	Linda Clarke
2/20	Lee Taylor
2/27	Fred Cumbie

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 2/20-2/24 - Rotary Camp RYLA
- 3/7-3/9 P.E.T.S. – Double Tree at Sea World
- 3/23 Rotary Leadership Institute – Rosen College of Hospitality – 7:00am-3:30pm
- 4/13 Foundation Million Dollar Dinner
- 5/23 Major Donor Dinner
- 5/24-5/25 District Conference –Marriott Orlando World Center
- 10/26 Kissimmee Bay Rotary 20th Annual Casino Night & Auction



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?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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.



Happy Birthday

Bill Folsom – Feb. 13
 Sandi Lynch – Feb. 13

Happy Anniversary

Sandra & Tony DeLucia – Feb. 14

PATHS Interact Club Gets a Special Visitor



The Interact Club at PATHS is eager to learn more about Rotary and our members. Don Miers visited their meeting this week to share his words of knowledge, wisdom and humor, of course, with them.

Virus Hunter in Pakistan

By Ryan Hyland



Dr. Ujala Nayyar dreams, both figuratively and literally, about a world that is free from polio. Nayyar, the World Health Organization's surveillance officer in Pakistan's Punjab province, says she often imagines the outcome of her work in her sleep.

In her waking life, she leads a team of health workers who crisscross Punjab to hunt down every potential incidence of poliovirus, testing sewage and investigating any reports of paralysis that might be polio. Pakistan is one of just two countries that continue to report cases of polio caused by the wild virus.

Women are critical in the fight against polio, Nayyar says. About 56 percent of frontline workers in Pakistan are women. More than 70 percent of mothers in Pakistan prefer to have women vaccinate their children.

That hasn't stopped families from slamming doors in health workers' faces, though. When polio is detected in a community, teams have to make repeated visits to each home to ensure that every child is protected by the vaccine. Multiple vaccinations add to the skepticism and anger that some parents express. It's an attitude that Nayyar and other health workers deal with daily.

"You can't react negatively in those situations. It's important to listen. Our female workers are the best at that," says Nayyar.

With polio on the verge of eradication, surveillance activities, which, Nayyar calls the "back of polio eradication", have never been more important.

(When asked) What role does Rotary play in what you do? she replied, "Whenever I need anything, I call on Rotary. Umbrellas for the teams? Call Rotary. Train tickets? Call Rotary. It's the longest-running eradication program in the history of public health, but still the support of Rotary is there.

Read the full story at <https://www.rotary.org/en/polio-surveillance-officer-virus-pakistan>

Texas Hold 'Em Poker Tournament

Presented by The Rotary Club of Kissimmee

Dealers: Dirty Jacks Poker

Round 1 – Friday, February 22 Round 2 – Friday, March 22
Round 3 – Friday, April 29 Round 4 -Friday, May 17

Make it to the final table in any round and qualify for the May 31st Final Championship!

Cost: \$200 for all 4 Rounds and \$60 per Individual Round of play. Includes food and beverage.

Location: Osceola Council on Aging, 700 Generation Point

Proceeds benefit local charities. Register by mail with the registration form in the email sent to you. Or call Ken Komara at 407-791-8098.



Register Now for Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)

March 23, 2019 Rosen College of Hospitality in Orlando

RLI gives you a more in depth knowledge of Rotary. It also gives you great ideas to bring back to your club about service projects, fundraising, building club membership, The Rotary Foundation, social activities, and better understanding and organization of your club.

Parts 1, 2, & 3, along with the Graduate Class on Public Speaking are offered. The Rotary Club of Kissimmee Bay would like all of our leadership team to complete parts 1, 2 and 3. Only one part may be completed in one day.

Registration and breakfast begin at 7:00 a.m. The class begins promptly at 8:00 a.m. and will end by 3:30 P.M.

The cost is \$100 for the day, which includes breakfast, lunch and all materials. Our club will reimburse you once you complete the class.

To register online go to www.Rotary District 6980.org and sign in to Member Access. Scroll down to March 23 and sign up there.

INTERACT INSIDER

PATHS - Professional and Technical High School

Advisor – Ms. Andrea Darsch

Meetings take place on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of the month at 10:30 a.m. at the school. Kissimmee Bay Rotarians are welcome to attend.

Please contact advisor Andrea Darsch and schedule a meeting to attend. She can be contacted by calling the school.

KBay Rotary: www.kbayrotary.com

District 6980: www.rotarydistrict6980.org

Rotary International: 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 pm-1:15 pm

Mailing Address:

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ABRIDGED MAKE-UP SCHEDULE

E-Club Make-up: www.rotaryclubone.org

Monday

Kissimmee 12:10 pm Council on Aging

Lake Nona 6:00 pm Valencia College-Lake Nona

Tuesday

Lake Nona Lunch 11:45 am Ronald McDonald House

Thursday

St. Cloud 7:15 am St. Cloud Women's Club

Friday

Celebration 7:00 am Celebration Health

Kissimmee West 7:00 am Florida Hospital-Kissimmee,

Poinciana 7:45 am Poinciana Medical Center-2nd & 4th Fridays