

THE GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER

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Medium Club of the Year
Rotary Club of Brooksville,
President Rob Rogoski.



Small Club President of the Year
Frank Nabozny – President of Rotary
Club of Palm Harbor
AG – Mike Chapman



Herbert G. and Diane Brown
Humanitarian Award
IPDG Carl Treleven – Rotary Club of
St. Petersburg



District Public Relations Achievement
Award
Tina Shelton – Rotary Club of Trinity



US Presidential Volunteer Award
Mike Mira – Rotary Club of Zephyrhills
Noon



Medium Club of the Year President
Patrick Gallagher – Rotary Club of Port
Richey



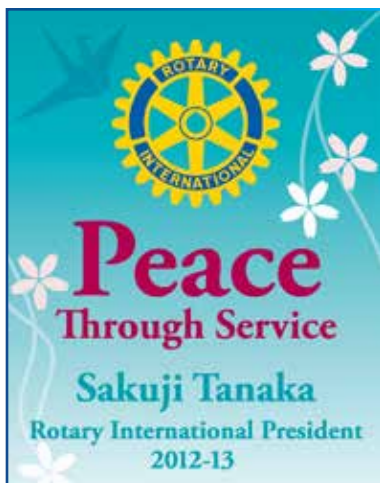
Large Club President of the Year
Eloy Nunez – President of the Rotary
Club of Inverness
AG- Tom Feeny



Assistant Governor of the Year
Tom Feeny – Rotary club of
Homosassa Springs



Large Club of the Year
Rotary Club of Trinity – President Julie
Rogers



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District Calendar

Tuesday, June 4th, 6pm
CELEBRATION of 2012-2013
with Installation of Board of
Directors -
Sugarmill Woods Country Club,
Cypress Blvd at Douglas Street.
This is located on your left hand
side, less than one mile from US
19 at the traffic light.

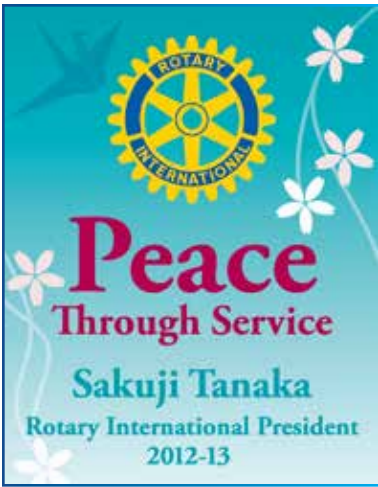
Friday, June 7th to June 9th
YOLO ~ Rotary District 6930
Conference
BOCA RATON RESORT AND
SPA -- www.bocaresort.com

Sunday, June 16th - June 22nd
S4TL - Seminar for Tomorrow's
Leaders
Florida Southern College Lake-
land Florida
Student drop off by Rotarians
at 2pm, with pick up at noon on
June 22, 2013

Monday, June, 24th -7am
SOUTHLAND BREAKFAST
2013
At Rotary International Conven-
tion 2013 - Lisbon: Join with
Rotarians from Zones 33 and 34
at the annual SOUTHLAND
BREAKFAST for "Grits Lisbon
Style"



2012-13 Assistant Governors Honored for their Service to the District



The Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service
 IPDG Carl Treleven
 DG Jamie Mick and Past Director John Smarge



District 6950 Rotarian of the Year
 Jack Thies – Rotary Club of Zephyrhills Daybreak



Woody Register Distinguished Leadership Award
 PD Cliff Snedecker



Small Club of the Year
 Rotary Club of Palm Harbor – President Frank Nabozny – AG Mike Chapman



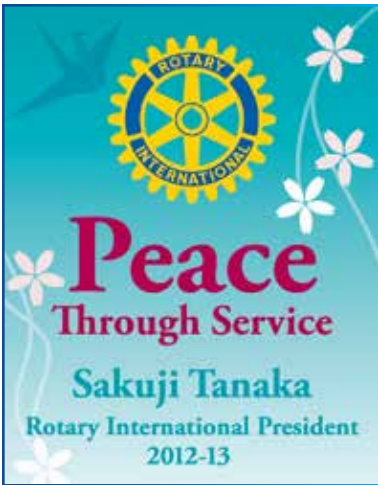
Keith Kurber Area and Club Excellence Award
 AG Mike Chapman & Area 4 clubs Tarpon Springs, East Lake Sunrise, Palm Harbor, Dunedin, Dunedin North, Dunedin Waterside



Dr. Milton O. and Alice Jones Exemplary Service Award
 Dave Parrish – Rotary Club of New Port Richey



Zone Public Image Citation – District 6950 #2 in both Zone 33 & 34.... WE ROCK!



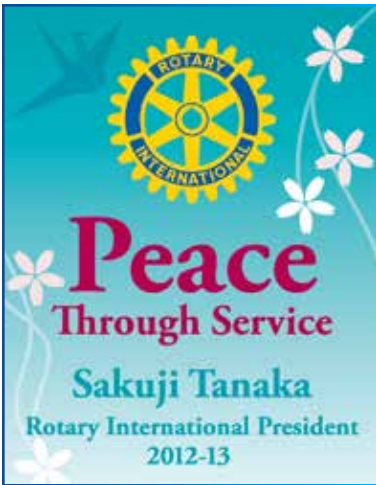
Rotary Club of Seven Springs BBQ's for Relay



Rotary Club of Seven Springs participated in the Relay for Life on May 3rd at Mitchell High School to raise money for the American Cancer Society. Our theme this year was The Blues Brothers. We sold hamburgers, hotdogs, Italian sodas and Belushi burgers (a burger with two Krispie Cream donuts for a bun!) Thanks to all the Seven Springers and their family members who helped out!!!



Check out our web site:
<http://www.relayforlife.org>
 Team name: Seven Springs



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Rotary Club of Pinellas Park Donates Dental Care

April 24, 2013, was an exciting day for the children of Pinellas Park, Florida. They will soon be receiving dental hygiene services because of the generosity of the Pinellas Park Rotary Club and the dental hygiene students attending St. Petersburg College (SPC). Amy Krueger, the community health instructor at SPC and Christine Patel, member of Pinellas Park Rotary, have been working on this endeavor for several months. In March, 2013, the Pinellas Park Rotary Club, with the help from the District 6950, donated \$5000 for the purchase of equipment needed to apply fluoride and dental sealants on elementary age students in Pinellas Park. Eventually they hope to include all of the students in Pinellas County. On this special day in April, the equipment was revealed to over forty students, faculty, and administrators of St. Petersburg College, School of Dental Hygiene. It was very exciting to see the new and shiny equipment, ready to be used on the children of our community. Dental decay is a disease that causes great pain and suffering among children and the statistics are staggering. With projects like these, the numbers will start to decline and our children will be healthier and happier. Thank you to all the Rotarians of Pinellas Park and to St. Petersburg College, School of Dental Hygiene.



Lynghya Clean-Up Successful

Crystal River- Over 50 volunteers were back in the water at Hunter Springs Park in Crystal River Saturday to help with the removal of Lynghya algae from the swimming area. This was the first big clean up at the beach since January when over 40 college students from Georgia joined over 60 community rakers.

Sponsored by the Kings Bay Rotary, volunteers have been battling the noxious Lynghya algae that has invaded one of Citrus county's favorite swimming areas. With rakes in hand the One Rake at a Time volunteers removed another two and a half tons of the slimy algae on Saturday, according to Art Jones, project leader.



Every time the swimming area is cleaned there is less algae covering the beach. When the project started in September 2011, there were piles of Lynghya 2 to 4 feet thick in the swimming area. Now the benthic mats of invasive algae are measured in inches, so progress is being made, after years of neglect, Jones said.

Saturdays clean up found people from all walks of life together helping. Students earning community hours to senior citizens, locals to tourists and even a local celebrity, Michael Lusk manager from the US Fish and Wildlife, out in the water raking. Everyone there was showing support and helping in many different ways. Some volunteers spent hours with litter sticks cleaning the lawn area of cigarette butts and other pieces of trash.

City council members Mike Gudis and Mayor Jim Farley were on shore thanking volunteers for helping and Paula Wheeler donated snacks and water for people who came out to help by working to clean up the Park for the benefit

of the hundreds of people who use the park everyday.

Workers who stayed till the end of the two hour clean-up got special T-shirts and were also treated to hamburgers, hot dogs and pizza donated by Karl La Follete of TNT signs in Homosassa Springs. Karl said "I am here to show gratitude to those who come forward and help clean up the water."

Social Media was also at the clean up led by Chris Kingree who took time lapse photos of the work and will be posting it on the One Rake at a Time web site now part of SaveCrystalRiver.com later in the week as that site is constructed. For more information on the next clean up in May, search and watch SaveKingsBay on Facebook and YouTube. On WYKE every Sunday at noon watch the One Rake at a Time TV show.





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Meeting locations have been updated.

Please refer to this list when checking on club meeting days and locations.

District 6950 Attendance for March 2013 & Club Meeting Location

Club	Members 6/30/12	Members Current	Average Attend %	Meeting Location
Belleair	34	34	81.95	Thu. Noon - Belleair Country Club (25 Belleview Rd.)
Brooksville	43	39	110	Tue. Noon - Brooksville Country Club (23446 Links Drive)
Central Citrus County	29	27	61.76	Wed. 7:30am - Black Diamond Country Club (St. Rd. 491, Lecanto)
Central Pinellas	12	15	100	Tue. 5:30pm - Liberty Lanes (Largo)
Clearwater	108	105	63.1	Wed. 12:15pm - Belleair Country Club
Clearwater at Feathersound	18	10	55	Wed. 5:30pm - Venue (2675 Ulmerton Rd., Clearwater)
Clearwater Beach	27	24	60	Thu. 12:15pm - The Wave (inside Shephards Beach Resort, on Gulfview Blvd.)
Clearwater East	39	36	73.45	Fri. Noon - Church of the Good Samaritan (2165 Coachman Rd. Clearwater)
Crystal River	46	50	81.87	Mon. 12:15pm - Plantation Inn and Golf Resort
Crystal River-Kings Bay	50	58	71.27	Wed. 12:15pm - Seminole Club (3rd St., Crystal River)
Dade City	45	41	65.82	Mon. 12:15pm - Dade City Business Center (John Hornbuckle Meeting Rm, 3rd Fl.)
Dade City Sunrise	23	22	68.18	Thu. 7:00am - Kafe Kokopelli (Meridan and Live Oak)
Dunedin	52	52	71.51	Tue. 12:15pm - Church of Good Shepherd (629 Edgewater Dr.)
Dunedin North	48	51	72.5	Wed. 7:30am - Dunedin Country Club (1050 Palm Blvd.)
Dunedin Waterside	15	17	59.7	Wed. 6:30pm - Sea Sea Riders (221 Main Street Dunedin, FL 34698)
East Lake Sunrise	24	20	52.5	Thu. 7:30am - East Lake Woodlands CC (1055 East Lake Woodlands Pkwy.)
Gulf Beaches	25	28	75	Tue. 12:15pm - Treasure Island Yacht & Tennis Club (400 Treasure Island Causeway)
Holiday	57	52	74.5	Tue. Noon - IHOP (U.S. Hwy. 19, NPR)
Homosassa Springs	19	15	80.13	Thu. 7am - Luigi's (4538 Suncoast Blvd. - US19)
Hudson	21	17	78.33	Thu. Noon - CARES Enrichment Center (12417 Clock Tower Pkwy. Hudson, Bayonet Pt.)
Indian Rocks Beach	37	36	85.42	Wed. 7:15am Jimmy Guana's Restaurant, Holiday Inn Harborside (401 2nd St.)
Inverness	66	68	64.29	Tue. Noon - Lakeside Bar & Grill (4543 E. Windmill Dr., Inverness, 34453)
Land O'Lakes	12	11	73	Mon. 12:15pm - Hungry Harry's Lake House (3116 Land O Lakes Blvd.)
Largo	38	37	68.	Mon. Noon - Alfano's Restaurant (1702 Clwtr/Largo Rd.)
New Port Richey	135	131	83.54	Wed. 12:15pm - Spartan Manor (6121 Massachusetts Avenue)
Oldsmar/East Lake	14	15	86.67	Thu. 12:15pm - Daddy's Grill (Tampa Rd.)
Palm Harbor	16	24	54.76	Wed. 12:15pm - Carabbas (33983 U.S. 19 N Palm Harbor 34684)
Pinellas Park	31	30	77.	Thu. 12:15pm - Banquet Masters (8100 Park Blvd.)
Port Richey	31	27	59.23	Fri. Noon - Catches (by the bridge on US 19)
Rotary E-Club of SE USA	35	31	75.8	Anytime at www.rotaryclub34.org
Safety Harbor	10	9	86.67	Fri. 7:30am - Safety Harbor Spa (105 N Bayshore Dr.)
San Antonio	14	13	71.67	Tue. 6:30pm - Tampa Bay Golf & Country Club (St. Rd. 52)
Seminole	65	66	79.5	Wed. 12:15pm - Lake Seminole Golf & Country Club (6100 Augusta Blvd.)
Seminole Lake	30	30	70.34	Fri. 7:15am - Freedom Square Seminole, Roskamp Auditorium
Seven Springs	45	47	75.27	Thu. 7:30am - Seven Springs Country Club (3535 Trophy Blvd.)
Spring Hill	15	16	83.61	Thu. 7:45am - IHOP Restaurant (US19)
Spring Hill Central	18	17	52.	Thu. 12:15pm at Silverthorn Country Club (Brooksville)
St. Petersburg	107	100	67.28	Fri. Noon - Orange Blossom Catering (220 4th St. N)
St. Petersburg Mid-Town	26	22	58.33	Wed. Noon - St Petersburg College (All State Center- Pinellas Room)
St. Petersburg Sunrise	33	31	77.97	Tue. 7:45 am - St. Petersburg Yacht Club (11 Central Ave)
St. Petersburg Sunset	21	19	64.91	Thu. 6:00 pm - The Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront (333 First St. south St. Petersburg)
St. Petersburg West	28	28	82.76	Wed. 7:45am - Treasure Island Tennis & Yacht Club (400 Island Causeway, Treasure Island)
Sugarmill Woods-Citrus County	21	23	98.73	Tue. 5:00pm - Sugarmill Woods Country Club (Homosassa)
Tarpon Springs	82	86	67.49	Thu. 12:15pm - Tarpon Springs Yacht Club (350 S. Spring Blvd.)
Trinity	65	66	78.92	Fri. 12:15pm - Heritage Springs Country Club
Wesley Chapel	48	58	66.21	Wed. 12:15pm - Pagelli's Italian Restaurant (Wiregrass Mall in Wesley Chapel)
Wesley Chapel Sunrise	14	18	85.51	Fri. 7:15am - Lexington Oaks Golf Club (26133 Lexington Oaks Blvd. off SR 54 near I-75)
Zephyrhills	44	49	59.12	Thu. 12:15pm - Zephyrhills Rotary Youth building (Shepard Park)
Zephyrhills Daybreak	29	32	96.	Wed. 7:00am - First United Methodist Church (38635 Fifth Ave, Zephyrhills)

Welcome to our new, returning and transferring Rotarians!

April 2013

Central Citrus County

Hoyer, Eric H.

Crystal River-Kings Bay

Nutinsky, Naomi

Dunedin Waterside

Ayres, Bryan

East Lake Sunrise

Zellner, Jody

Homosassa Springs

Martin, Holly

Martin, Wayne

Inverness

Daly, Linda A

Largo

Strong, Zachary

Oldsmar/East Lake

Michael, Barbara

Palm Harbor

Schauweker, Marqueta

Pinellas Park

Giese, Dave

Seven Springs

Offerman, Joseph

Spring Hill Central

Kossoff, James E.

St. Petersburg

Tallyn, Samantha

St. Petersburg Sunset

Acosta, Orlando

Courson, Jennifer Anne

Myrick, Nyya

Sugarmill Woods-

Citrus County

Weller, Gordon

Wesley Chapel

Hanavan, Tim L

Wesley Chapel Sunrise

Bass, Donald W

Zephyrhills

Cornelison, Craig