



Rotary in Action

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Happy Birthday

John Lowe – September 2
Darla Sane – September 2

Rotarian of the Month for August is...???

September is Rotary New Generations Month

Rotary's programs for students and youth can change the lives of those who participate. Through these programs, young people can earn scholarships, travel on cultural exchanges, or help a community through a service project.

Interact is Rotary International's service club for young people ages 14 to 18. They are sponsored by individual Rotary clubs, which provide support and guidance, but they are self-governing and self-supporting. Our club sponsors two Interact Clubs – one at Gateway High School and a new one forming at PATHS@TECO.

Rotaract is a Rotary sponsored service club for young men and women ages 18 to 30. Rotaract clubs are either community or university based, and they're sponsored by a local Rotary club.

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) is Rotary's leadership training program for young people. RYLA participants in our District are typically high school sophomores and juniors. RYLA emphasizes leadership, citizenship, and personal growth.

A Rotary Youth Exchange student can spend up to a year living with a few host families and attending school in a different country. Eleven foreign students have arrived in our District to start their year with us. Steve and Susie Graves are hosting one young man who we will meet soon.

REVIEW & PREVIEW...

Last Week: Taren Schwarz, District Membership Chair

This Week: Kena Blaine, Osceola Woman Newspaper

Next Week: Committees

DATE	PROGRAM	FOUNDATION GIFT
9/2	Heather Moore	James Mangan
9/9	Committees	Margaret Moss
9/16	Randy Bullen	Tom Kennedy
9/23	Assigned	Randy Bullen

UPCOMING EVENTS

9/4 – Rotary 1st Friday – Signatures – 5:30-8:30 pm

9/8 – Give Kids the World – 5:30-9:00 p.m.

9/12 – District Foundation Seminar – W. Orlando Rotary Clubhouse – 9:30 a.m. -12:00 noon

9/19, 9/25, 9/26, 10/3 – UCP - Property spruce up

9/26 – Rotary Leadership Institute – Hagerty HS, 7:30 am-3:00 pm

10/24 – Casino Night & Auction – Kissimmee Civic Center

11/7 – District Foundation Dinner

12/19 – Club Holiday Party – Robert & Julia Husband's home



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?



Give Kids the World

We need 2 volunteers to help serve dinner at Give Kids the World on Tuesday, September 8th from 5:30-9:00 p.m. You must complete a volunteer application prior to volunteering there. If you have not already done so and are interested, applications are available at the greeters table.

Auction Report - Week 5

And the winner is...Janice Casler. Janice won a free admission ticket to the upcoming Casino Night and Auction by bringing in auction items. You could be a winner on September 26th when we draw again. The Casino Night Committee will meet this Thursday, September 3rd at 5:30 at Tarantino's Restaurant to select a caterer.

The Hot Items this week are tickets for sporting events, concerts, amusement parks.

There will not be a Hot Item next week. We really need everyone to get out in the community and ask for auction items from anyone you do business with and even those you don't. Or you could purchase something, donate it and take a tax credit for the donation. We can use just about anything from food to fun to jewelry to games to useful household or yard items to travel and on and on and on. Please don't put these requests off.

Sponsorship information is available at the greeters table.

UCP Child Development Center Clean-Up Project Important Dates

Location: 448 Donegan Ave., Kissimmee

Club members are needed for various tasks.

Sat., 9/19 – 9:00 a.m. - spray round-up & trim shrubbery

Fri., 9/25 - oversee sod removal from truck

Sat., 9/26 – 9:00 a.m. -supervise students laying the sod

Sat., 10/3 - 9:00 a.m. - repairs/painting

If you are available to help on any of these days, please let John Dollar know.

Mini Minutes of Board Meeting

The board approved donating \$1,500 to the Osceola Council on Aging Food Pantry. The pantry assembles boxes of no-perishable food items for needy families and has seen many days recently when the shelves were empty and people were turned away.

The Education Foundation – Osceola Bookmark Buddies program will receive \$100.

Junior Achievement received \$1,500 to implement its in-school programs in Osceola County.

Two potential members were proposed and accepted pending the required attendance at meetings and a Fireside Chat and approval by the general membership.

Financial report – 7/1-8/31/09

Current Assets:

Checking & Money Market Accts	\$37,576.95
Certificate of Deposit (Casino Night)	\$10,000.00
Paul Harris Money Market	\$ 2,835.09

Community Events

Sign ups and information at the greeters table.

Fri., Sept. 18 – 7:00 p.m. at Gaylord Palms – Texas Hold 'Em Poker Tournament benefitting Junior Achievement of Osceola County. Buy-In - \$100.

Sat., Oct. 3 – 8:00 a.m. Shotgun start at Royal St. Cloud Golf Links- The 8th Annual Charitable Golf Tournament benefitting Boy Scout Troop 9 and Lisa Thompson's local charitable causes. Entry: \$70 per person.

Make the World Better One Purchase at a Time

Apply and be approved for a Rotary International MasterCard®, spend \$75 within 90 days and the club will receive a check for \$25 to use for charitable causes. Each purchase you make with this card benefits the Rotary Foundation. Applications are available at the greeter's table.

Words of Inspiration

The greater the obstacle, the more glory in overcoming it.

Welcome to all of our visitors today. We're glad that you joined us and hope to see you again soon.

Online Meeting Make-up Opportunity

You can make up for a missed meeting by going online to www.rotaryclubone.org and following the directions.

WEB INFORMATION

KBay Rotary: www.geocities.com/kbayrotary

District 6980: <http://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

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ABRIDGED MAKE-UP SCHEDULE

Monday

Kissimmee 12:10 pm Council on Aging

Wednesday

Hunters Creek 11:30 am BJ's Brewhouse

Four Corners 11:30 am Carrabba's Rest.

Thursday

St. Cloud 7:00 am SC Woman's' Club

Lake Buena Vista 7:30 am Best Western, LBV

Friday

Celebration 7:00 am Celebration Health

Kissimmee West 7:00 am Mimi's at the Loop

Notes