

Happy Events: April 28, 2022

**NO HAPPY EVENTS SINCE WE HAD
OUR KIWANIS FRIENDS WITH US,
JUDGE MEYERS WAS OUR SPEAKER,
AND TIME WAS SHORT.**

**Club Leadership Development Event
(District Training Assembly
reIMAGINED)**

Saturday, May 14, 2022

**Pasco Hernando State College - West
Pasco Campus
10230 Ridge Rd, New Port Richey,
34654**

**For all 22-23 and all future Club Presidents, Asst
Governors, Boards, Service Chairs, Membership
Chairs, Secretaries, Treasurer & Foundation Chairs
Hands-on DACdb training
PLUS a special Boot Camp track for new Rotarians
Look for the email from DG-Elect Troy
Willingham that will allow you to register.**

**Register Now for the
District 6950 Awards Banquet
to be held on Fri June 3, 2022 at
The Centre Club, Tampa Urban Centre,
123 S West Shore Blvd, 8th Floor, in Tampa
Everyone should have received their email
from DG Jocelyn Chapman with all of the
registration information.**

Lexophiles

**A “fine” is a tax for doing wrong!
A “tax” is a fine for doing well!**

Words of Wisdom

**“Your job won’t take care of
you when you are sick. Your
friends and parents will. Stay
in Touch!”**

Regina Brett

Club Buddies

Chantel Wonder	Janet Waddell
Harry Alchin	Jeff MacKellar
Jim Andrew	Richard Breske
Theresa Pinnix	Kenny Krauss
David Sideri	Cory Krauss
Jim Plunkett	Christine Patel
Joe Minarik	Debra Ellis Abney
Caitlyn Peacock	Yvonne Fay
Phil England	Bob Kelzer
Tami Scheele	Jimmy Hammond
Jim Fikkert	Tim Hammond
Ken Bray	Don Higgins
Tom Stewart	Kevin Krauss
David Allen	Starlyn Fikkert
Paul Scheele	Alex Cruz / Nhi N.
Barb MacKellar	Wren / Brian
Wendy Sideri	Josh Astarita
Jerry Krauss	
	h-Priscilla Kolodziej
h-Dr Paul Nanda	h-Jerry Wennlund
h-Donna Cloud	h-Sandy Donaghy
h-Carolyn Burns	h-Dolores Caunitz

50 / 50

Tom Stewart won last week’s
prize for \$20 and donated it back
to the club. The grand jackpot
starts today at \$510.00. The card to
draw is the Ace of Diamonds.



**Pinellas Park Rotary - District # 6950
Thursday May 5, 2022—12:15 P.M.
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This Week’s Agenda:

- ☛ Pledge of Allegiance
- ☛ Singing of *God Bless America* or *Let There Be Peace on Earth*
- ☛ Rotary Prayer: Jimmy Hammond & Jim Fikkert
- ☛ Rotarian & Guest Intro’s Cory Krauss, Alex Cruz & Jim Fikkert
- ☛ Sergeant at Arms Announcements: Tom Stewart, Kevin K, David S.

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Trivia Questions:

1. Name 6 states bordering Arkansas.
2. Name a U. S. President who remarried while in office.
3. How many Baseball players have hit 60 or more Home Runs in one season?
4. What per cent of Earth is water?
5. What actor played the starring role in the movie, *Wayne’s World*?
6. What US state is the hottest?

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS:

May 11th	Lockheed Martin Tour
May 12th	Phil England P/C
May 14	Sunset Cruise - Madeira Bch
May 19th	TBD
May 26th	Yvonne Fay P/C
Jun 2nd	Jim Fikkert P/C
Jun 7th	Board Meeting - TBA
Jun 9th	Tim Hammond P/C
Jun 11th	INSTALLATION BANQUET
Jun 16th	Don Higgins P/C
Jun 23rd	Bob Kelzer P/C
Jun 30th	Club Assembly

Wedding Anniversaries:

David & Linda Allen4/10 40 Years
Yvonne & Kevin Fay 4/17 18 Years

Guests of Rotarians:

Wanda Clevenger Janet Waddell

Rotarian Birthdays:

Jim Andrew January 24th
Wendy Sideri March 31st

Club Anniversaries:

Jim Andrew 2/20 2 Years

Missed Last Week:

Wendy Sideri	David Allen
Jim Andrew	Ken Bray
Tami Scheele	Phil England
Josh Astarita	Kevin Krauss
Caitlyn Peacock	Theresa Pinnix
Jim Fikkert	Yvonne Fay

Questions to Ponder!

**Which building in New York City
has the most stories?**

The Public Library!

Serve to Change Lives

Last Week's Program:

Pinellas Park Rotary Club hosted the annual Law Day presentation along with the **Pinellas Park Kiwanis Club**. The joint meeting was held at Banquet Masters, with **Pasco-Pinellas Circuit Court Judge Keith Meyers** as our speaker. Keith grew up here in Pinellas County attending Florida State University, followed by Law School at the University of Florida, which means he is a “Gator” and a “Nole” He previously served as a Prosecutor and Family Law Judge, and has extensive experience as a trial attorney. There are four courthouses in Pinellas County: The County Justice Centers are in Pinellas Park, Clearwater, Dade City, and New Port Richey. He currently works out of the Pinellas County Seat in Clearwater, and is currently involved in a large case involving the Gandy Bridge. He is a strong proponent of in-person jury trials and takes ethics very seriously.



This Week's Program:

This week, we celebrate with the PPHS Students of the Month for May 2022

Taylor Butler and Yaretzi Salvador-Corona
Pinellas Park High School



Next Week's Program: Program Chairperson Phil England's program will be the **Vincent House**. Lisa and Alexandra will be coming to talk to us next week about the **Vincent House**, on 78th Ave just off 49th St, Pinellas Park. President-Elect Starlyn Fikkert's grant project will be helping provide some necessary upgrades to their facility and she will talk too. Lisa started working at **Vincent House** in February of 2020 in the **Communications Team** taking pictures and helping out with the newsletter. Soon after she was working in **Career Development** looking up hot jobs and updating resumes. She also spent a considerable amount of time in the **Culinary Department**. All were great ways to keep her busy working towards a common goal with keeping the **Vincent House Clubhouse** running smoothly. She is very thankful for all of these experiences there. It was a lifesaver. Alexandra is the Community Outreach Coordinator at **Vincent House**. Both will be talking about their experiences there.



Upcoming Events—SAVE THE DATES:

Sunset Cruise - Madeira Beach

Hubbard's Pier - Sat May 14th - 6 pm. \$35 per person includes cruise, food, beer & wine.
Please let Starlyn Fikkert ASAP, if you will be joining us for the fun!

Lockheed Martin Facility Tour

Wed May 11th 1 - 3pm 9300 28th St N Sign up with Chantel.

INSTALLATION BANQUET
SATURDAY - JUNE 11th - Venue TBD



R L Sanders School's **Students of the Month Awards:**

FEBRUARY:

Elementary - Lucas McHugh: Lucas has made significant progress both academically and behaviorally. Lucas completes his assignments, works productively with his peers, and takes pride in being independent. He is one of the biggest helpers in the classroom, always trying to do kind things for teachers and peers. Others in his class enjoy learning, playing, and laughing with Lucas and he is an important part of his classroom!

Middle - Jamie White: Jamie has only been at Sanders School a short time, yet he has made a big impression on the staff. He is a very sweet and caring young man, who has insightful comments to add to classroom conversations. Jamie is always willing to work hard and try his best on his assignments. He volunteers willingly during class and helps his peers when they need extra assistance. Jamie has overcome many obstacles in his life and continues to persevere. He does a great job advocating for himself and is always ready to stand up for others.

High School - Miles Bennett: Coming to Sanders this year, Miles has been a wonderful addition to their high school cadre. Miles has earned and enjoys the respect of both teachers and peers. In class, Miles strives to do his best work and his teachers appreciate his participation and his support of classmates. Miles will soon reach Level 3 status, is a role model for his peers, and shows bravery in tackling social emotional issues as he trusts peers & staff.

MARCH:

Elementary - Corde' Morris: Since Corde' enrolled at Sanders in January, he has been a role model to both of his younger and older his peers on campus and has changed his classroom dynamic in a positive way. Corde' is a confident, friendly, and caring student with great leadership skills. He has quickly moved up the school wide positive-behavior Level System and is already approaching Level 3 Honors! Corde' is a determined student who genuinely tries to do his best both academically and behaviorally. He has demonstrated inspirational self-control and self-advocacy skills since he arrived to campus and continues to improve daily.

Middle School- Dylan McMillian: Dylan is a 7th grader who truly embodies resiliency, one of our school's traits for success! Dylan has shown great perseverance through many challenges and continually shows a positive attitude despite obstacles. He has greatly improved his attendance this semester and has been working hard to improve his grades and academics. He loves to learn and is willing to work hard to succeed. Dylan loves sports and is very athletic. He is a very well-mannered young man who, when he sees others in distress, is the first one to try to help.

High School - La'ronshay Davis: La'ronshay is a 10th grade student who has attended Sanders off and on over the past 3 years. She returned to Sanders on Nov 24th this year and has shown tremendous gains in her self-awareness, empathy, and kindness towards others. She has learned to advocate for others and herself, and is making academic gains this school year. La'ronshay is on track to meet her goal of graduating next year. It has been a pleasure to watch her mature and learn from her past experiences to become the young woman she is today.

APRIL:

Elementary - Marlon "MJ" Lumpkin: MJ is a caring and kind student who is always willing to help others. He is the first one to volunteer to help a peer or adult in the classroom. MJ comes to school daily ready to learn and has shown great improvement in his academics, social skills, and behavior. MJ deserves this recognition because he has improved his overall self and is on his way to becoming a Level 2 student!

Middle School - Boone Burns: Boone exhibits success at school both academically and behaviorally. This year, he has achieved Level 3 Honors, the highest behavior level, and is an Honor Roll student. His teachers feel Boone is a ray of sunshine and they appreciate his smile when he enters the classroom! Boone is working hard to understand his academics and even has asked for extra work for practice. Boone likes to assist teachers, will volunteer to help anytime, is very friendly to his classmates, and will step up to lead groups in class.

Extended Transition- Alan Neidick-Anderson: Alan, who came to Sanders School in Oct 2021, has shown himself to be a polite and thoughtful member of his class who constantly strives to do well in school. He often shows concern for his peers and the school staff. Alan is able to articulate himself well and is enjoyable to talk with, frequently displaying his good sense of humor. During those times when he does struggle, he always apologizes for his behavior and shows a good capacity for self-reflection. Alan advocates for himself, particularly when he needs space to help him control his emotions. He likes cooking and has very creative ideas about various foods. Alan has expressed a desire to work in a carwash and has made preparations for this type of work.

