



# Rotary

**Rotary Club of the Villages  
Noon**



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## Roclarion

**May 14, 2019**

## Meet Chris Semans



Chris Semans was born in Virginia and moved to Tampa Area when he was about 4 years old , grew up in Brandon Fl. He was a runner in high school as well as a Interact Rotarian, all though he did not know the fact that Rotary was a charitable international organization at the time. After he finished high school he went to Appalachia State College. Met his wife Sonia and has two children Aurania and Jack. In 2005 he and his wife joined in Adventure Racing, which requires Trekking, Biking and boating .and is a team sport.

He is caught by the flying bug and has his Private Pilot's license ,maybe you could catch a ride some time.

His son is 19 years old and goes to Lake Sumter College and is looking into going to USF for engineering.

His daughter is going into the Insurance business at her father's State Farm Agency, we should wish them both well. There is a lot more, just ask Him.



Meet Anthony Curinga , you might know him as the man behind the camera, for The Roclari-on, he was born in May of 1941 in small town along the banks of The Hudson River. A Dutch Colonial town of about 1200 people. One half the population being Irish the other halve be-ing Italian all with roots in a small town in Italy called Cittanova, in Calabria.

Growing up in his house they spoke Italian, English was optional in the house, but not often used, when he did speak English it was with a bit of the Irish brogue.

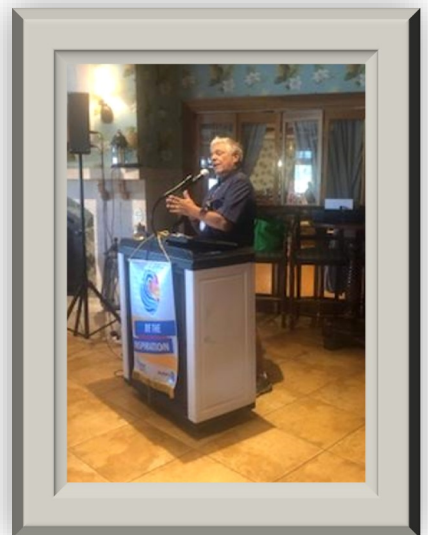
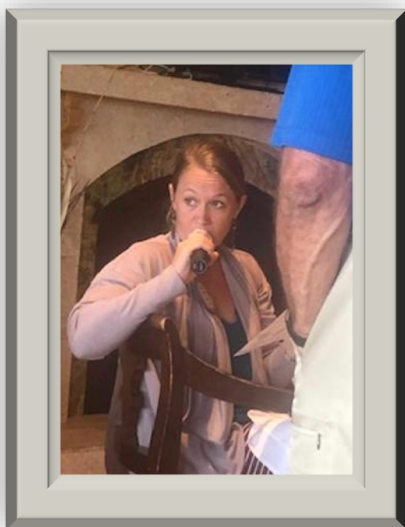
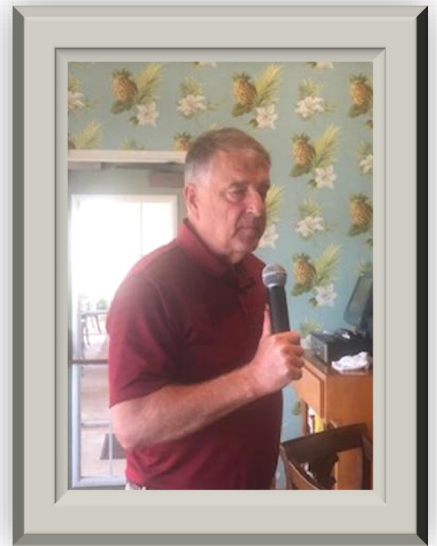
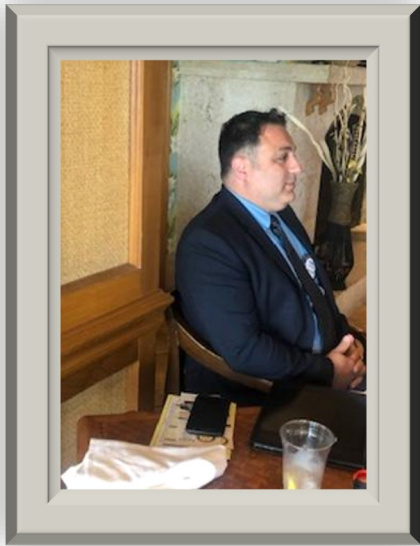
.Verplanck was a River town and provided great entertainment for a young boy , swimming and diving off the boats He was raised in a General Store owned and operated by his parents at the age of ten he took to soda jerking and general all round helper .

He went to Catholic High School and then on to St. Francis College in Loretto PA. as a pre-med student.. He was fortunate to be the first in his family to go to college as well as the only one of his peers to go beyond high school. He told about room and board and Tuition being only \$1,250 per year.. Elberg Germany, and after two short months was appointed he was the Clinic Chief of the Dental unit.

Although Pre-Med had busy schedules , he managed to play piano in a jazz band, sing in a choir as well as a chorus, ran a radio studio and was the sound man for the school as well as a few dozen other things.

He then went on to Columbia University and receive his Dr. in Dentistry ,he then joined the US Army Dental Corp, after graduating in June of 1966 he was a n Intern at Martin Army Hos-pital at Fort Benning GA. After his internship he was given orders for Germany to go to Cole-man Army Barracks in Heidelberg .

When he got out he had his own practice and also became a professor at Columbia at the same time. There is so much more to Tony than meets the Eye, get to know him BETTER.



**The Vote is In, it is unanimous.**

ELECTION OF OFFICERS & DIRECTORS 2019-20

PRESIDENT NOMINEE	<u>Randy Bayliss</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2020-21)	<u>                    </u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TREASURER	<u>Kris Kolgaard</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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SECRETARY:	<u>Don Maddox</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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DIRECTORS	Vote for 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
Three years	<u>Andrea Bonivich</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<u>Jeremy DiFiore</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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# JOINT ROTARY SERVICE PROJECT

Come out and volunteer with us on this joint service project to support a family in need of repairs through Habitat for Humanity of Lake-Sumter's Repair program!

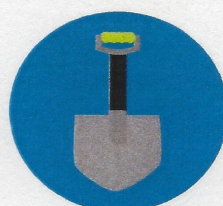
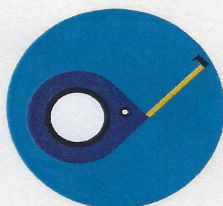
Members from the Rotary Village Noon and Morning as well as the Wildwood Club will be joining forces to take action to make a difference in our community.

## Project Details:

**Ms. Lewis is an elderly women in  
need of home repair in Wildwood**

Tasks include Painting, Landscaping, Door Repair and More  
10 Volunteers needed Friday, June 7th from 8AM-12PM  
10 Volunteers needed Saturday, June 8th from 8AM-12PM

To Sign up Contact – Danielle Stroud, 352-630-3318 or [danielle@habitatls.org](mailto:danielle@habitatls.org)  
Once you sign up you will receive the address and other details



**Habitat for Humanity®**

Lake-Sumter, Florida



HabitatLS.org

**Contact President Elect Danielle to sign up for this project**



The Rotary of The Villages Noon will be holding their Installation Banquet for our President—Elect Danielle Stroud on June 18th at 5-?, at the Waterfront Inn , Sumter Landing. This will take place of our regular meeting on that day, so don't show up at noon, cause we won't be there then.

President Ray will be going out with a sad heart as well as a sigh of relieve, knowing he has done his job and done it well. He will be handing over the reigns of the club to President elect Danielle, who will carry the Banner of Rotary for the next year.

Let's all get on the band wagon and sign up for the dinner and show our support for a job well done and let's find out what Danielle has planned for us for next year.

**Contact Dick Kanyan for your reservation.**

# Welcome to our club

This is what we want people to feel, when they come in our doors.

These are the people and dates for our greeters be there and make it work

## Greeters for May & June

May 21 st.

Scott Miller

Tracy Belton

Chris Semans

June 4th

Doug Mintz

Art Stucklen

Jerry Brillante

May 28th

Chris Semans

Terri *Gammon*

Tracy Belton

June 11th

Mike Abrams

Dennis McGee

Jerry Defiore



## The Four Way Test

Of the things

We think say or do

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair to all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better Friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?
5. Will it be FUN?

### Make Up Opportunities:

Wildwood—Wednesday 7:30 P.M.

Lake Miona Golf Club

Villages Morning-Thursday 7:00 AM

La Hacienda Recreation Center

Bellview Rotary — Fridays 7:30

The Farm House Restaurant,,  
11077 SE57th Ct.

Leesburg Rotary—Wednesday  
12:15

Leesburg Community Center

Villages Evening — 5PM

Lake Miona Recreation Center

E-Clubs login and follow instructions:

[www.rotaryclub34.org](http://www.rotaryclub34.org)

[www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)

[www.rotaryclubcarolinas.org](http://www.rotaryclubcarolinas.org)

[www.rotaryclubofthe  
villagesnoon.org](http://www.rotaryclubofthevillagesnoon.org)

## Up Coming Programs

6/4	Dave Vandavelde	Leesburg Rotry	Anti-Bullying
6/11	Ron Lundberg	Project Haiti	Water Project
6/18	No meeting	Installation	
6/25	Richard Ungaro	District Membership Chair	Membership

Attendance:

Regular & Snowbirds Members: 34

Visitors :1



## May Birthdays

May 1 Chuck Solms

May 2 Bob Agnew

May 5 Barbara Mangels

May 14 Sharron Rivenbark

May 19 Judy Imlay

May 27 Anthony Curinga

May 28 Joan Braffet



The Pot Grows and the cards diminish, so if you want to miss a meeting, go ahead, that gives the rest of us a better chance to

There are only 31 cards on the table, that is all that is left between you and the pot. Today the draw was not the Joker, the Joker is waiting for you next week.

**NOW UP Over \$639.00 is still up for grabs**



The card was drawn, the Joker is still waiting for you.





**If you or a member of your family are not feeling well  
or you or a family member is going in  
the hospital for any reason, let us know!!!**

**We are family and we do care.**

**Contact Dean Razzano at: [cdrazzo@gmail.com](mailto:cdrazzo@gmail.com)**

**or 352-259-5485 (h), 913-707-9889**

**or Scott Miller**

**757-715-3344 © 350-2166 (h)**



**This years theme, are you an inspiration to others , to young people, that are looking for role models ?**

**Think about it , “Be the Inspiration “**