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The Villages–Noon Roclarion

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Ours is a very active club. We have multiple fundraisers, service projects, charities, and causes that we support.

As a Rotarian it is important that you attend meetings consistently and fellowship with our members. However, it is also more important to get involved in the work of our club.

The heart of any club is at the committee level. That is where our work is done. We have many areas of focus and projects that suit your preferences, strengths and abilities. I urge anyone who is not actively part of a committee or two to get involved and volunteer.

Many hands make light work and in such an active club you may be part of more than one committee depending on the projects we are planning that season.

Thank you for your hard work and commitment to our club and the community. On the next page you will find the mission statements for each of our committees.

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Mission Statement for Club Committees

Fundraising- One of the most active arms of our club. Focuses on raising money to fund our annual budget and club expenses, as well as our charitable causes. Fundraising events include Carols by Candlelight Christmas Spectacular, Contractors Showcase and Lifestyle Show, Pancake Breakfast, Rack Cards and Belk Charity Days.

Public Relations – Create and implement a plan to tell Rotary's story to the public and promote our club projects and activities in our community and other communities that we serve.

Membership – Actively attract and engage members and retain current members. Develop and implement an action plan for membership development. Identify members of our community who are a good fit for our club.

Foundation – Advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

Youth Services Committee - "Our committee exists to help others. Our task is to direct our clubs accumulated charitable funds to deserving recipients. Recipients include students, schools, families and communities. We do so with honesty, integrity and smiles consistent with our Rotary motto, "SERVICE ABOVE SELF." LIFE IS GOOD and we want to make it even better for our recipients."

Service Projects – To help meet real needs in our community and to make a difference in the communities we work in. Utilize funds and club members' time to benefit those in need and while working on projects, it will provide an opportunity for networking and socializing among club members.

Club Administration - Performing logistical tasks that make club meetings successful and run smoothly. Develop agendas, or programs, for all club meetings. Provide regular updates on the status of club projects, activities members can get involved in, and community concerns that the club could address. Fellowship and Family of Rotary are very important in addition to socializing, networking, etc. Special dates, weeks, and months are used to observe various Rotary programs. The Four Way Test

Of the things

We think say or do

- 1. Is it the <u>truth</u>?
- 2. Is it <u>fair</u> to all concerned?

3. Will it build goodwill and better <u>Friendships?</u>

4. Will it be <u>beneficial</u> 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 AM

Jitter café- Summerfield

Leesburg Rotary—Wednesday 12:15

Leesburg Community Center

Villages Evening — 5PM

Lake Miona Recreation Center

E-Clubs login and follow instructions:

www.rotaryeclub34.org

www.rotaryeclubone.org

www.rotaryeclubcarolinas.org

Visit your Web Site:

www.rotaryclubofthevill agesnoon.org

Up Coming Programs

2/27 No Meeting

3/06 Our own Ray Levy will more about his new organization— "Spread Kindness and Make a Difference"

3/13 Barb Cooksey of The Villages Honor Flight

3/20 Club Assembly

Attendance

Regular& Snowbirds Members: 29

Visitors : 16

Total: 45



March Birthdays

- 3-5 Elaine Jackson
- 03-15 David Bywaters
 - 03-18 Tracy Belton
 - 03-20 Bill McCauley
 - 03-23 Bill Tanner
 - 03-25 Sharon Kuhs
- 03-26 Karen Santoriello
 - 03-28 Ray Levy

03-31 Joanne Studer



A Rotary Tradition The Exchange of Banners, this time Bill Gall from Griffith, Indiana participates in the exchange.





Jerry keeps our smiles up as he tells the joke of the day, later Bud Mangels informs us of the status of our Foundation and The pennies for Polio program.



Dick Kanyan lets us know about The Contractors Showcase and the need for full participation













March 22nd- Service Project with Habitat

Starting Time is 08:00 at:28415 Helena Run Dr. (Corrected) Leesburg, FL 34748.

This will be a Clean up Paint up Fix up Job.

Let <u>Danielle Stroud</u> know if you are going to attend.

<u>Club visit to Camp Boggy Creek on April 14,</u> at 11:00.

Details and directions can be obtained by contacting Past President Tracy.

We will be presenting a large check to the from the proceeds designated from Carols By Candle light and our budgeted funds



















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 win.

There are only 34 cards on the table that is all that is left between you and the pot, draws, the wrong card is drawn again, the Joker is waiting for you to start over again next week.



Over \$460.00 up still up for grabs







District Upcoming Dates

March 1 – 3, 2018

PETS2

Doubletree by Hilton at Sea World in Orlando

March 7 – 11, 2018

RYLA

March 24, 2018

RLI

Rosen College

May 3, 2018

Club Officer Submission Deadline

May 11 – 12, 2018

District Conference and Assembly

Marriott World Center

June 16, 2018

District Awards and Guards Banquet

June 24 – 28, 2018

Rotary International Convention

Toronto, Canada

July 27 – August 4, 2018

Wheelchair Games

Orange County Convention Center

Miscellaneous Notes

Aba Sherpa "Top of the World" program for Interact Clubs



9TH ANNUAL CONTRACTOR SHOWCASE & LIFESTYLE SHOW

Presented by Rotary Club of The Villages-Noon **February 24th, 2018 Wildwood Community Center** (Near Pinellas Plaza | 6500 CR 139 (Powell Rd) | Wildwood, FL) **9:00am -1:00pm**

This year's show brings together vendors offering new innovations for The Villages homes and services for our ever changing lifestyles.

FREE ADMISSION





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"A Quick Peek" of Some of Those Who Will be at the Show...

All American Gutter Protection Artistic Design & Resurfacing Cap Tel Outreach Cubicals Plus Office Furnishings D'Amico & Associates **D&D** Garage Doors **EVITA - Savannah Center March 20-22 Fairbanks Construction Holy Moly Glass Cleaning Cloths Home Repair Contractors DBA DryER Inside Style - Patti Belton Insight Credit Union Kalos Services, Inc** KB Lawn & Landscaping, Inc. **Kinetico Water Treatment** Liquid Lights, LLC Lowe's Mid-Fla Heating & Air, LLC Mr. Handiman Nurse Next Door - Lou Acuff, Executive Director

Reverse Mortgage Funding SECO Energy The Remodeling Guys The Villages Insurance The Villages Shrine Club Visiting Angels ...And Many, Many More

