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Our speaker this week receiving his “coveted Rotary Mug “ was Randy Mask, Tax Collector for Sumter County.

He explained that the tax collector in Sumter County is responsible for more than just your property taxes it is his responsibility to also collect the taxes called tangible taxes those are levied on the Rail Road tracks and Railroad cars that go through the county.

He is also an agent of the State and is responsible for the issuing of drivers licenses CDL licenses, Driving test with over 111 transactions going through his office in a day.

He and his employees are active in community raising money by paying \$1.00 to wear jeans to work on Fridays, the money goes to Hospice, Boys and girls club and this year to the Honor Flight for Veterans who qualify..

He also started to tell us about the various tax breaks (Homestead and others that are available) but we ran out of time.

This might be something you want to check out for yourself with the County Property Appraiser for Sumter and possible Lake and Marion.

**Future Programs**

**09/12 Nehemiah Wolfe**

**Division Chief / Community watch**

**09/19 Club Assembly**

**09/26 Marie Bogdonoff**

**Cancer Survivor**

**Members: 23**

**Visiting Rotarians and guests: 3**

**Total attending: 26**



**September Birthdays**

**09-02 Linda McMahon**

**09-03 Bob Jackson**

**09-15 Mi9ck Hall**

**09-15 Jeff Dauner**

**09-20 Henry Lubben**

**09-21 Rheda Schumate**

**09-22 Jack Donaldson**

**09-23 Tom Studer**

**09-23 Barbara Lubben**

**09-26 Jacqueline Tanner**

**Watch for :**

**Christmas By Candlelight**

**A full Rotary Fundraiser**

**coming**

**December 13,2017**



**Don't forget the rack cards and also  
the Pancake breakfast is coming Oc-  
tober 7,2017.**

**Make sure you have you waiver  
signed for Allpelbee's we need  
these before game day.**



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## 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 AM

Jitter café– Summerfield

Leesburg Rotary—Wednesday 12:15

Leesburg Community Center

Villages Evening — 5PM

Lake Miona Recreation Center

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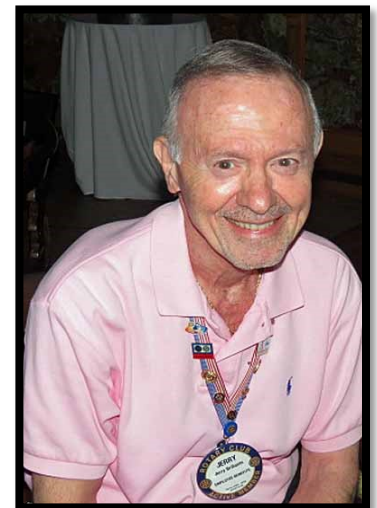
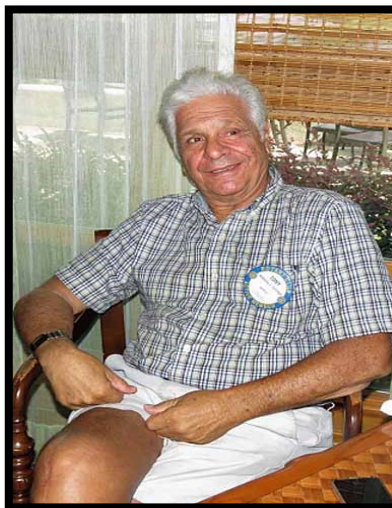
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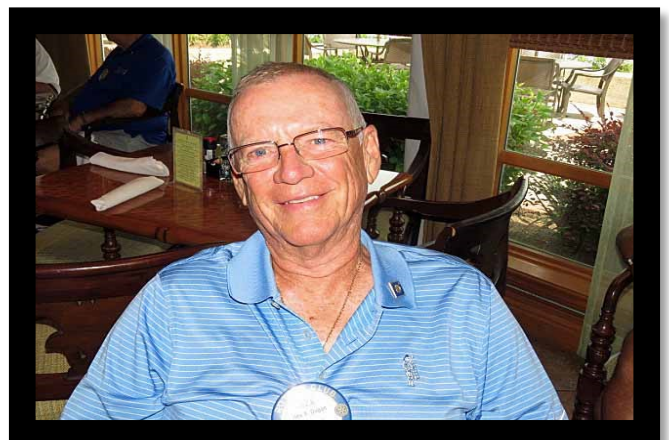
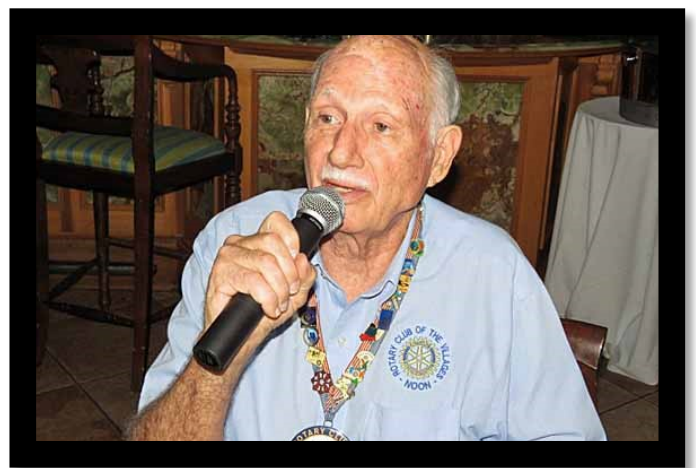
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The Pot Grows and the cards diminish, so if you want to miss a meeting, go ahead, that gives the rest of us a better chance to win.

**There are only 40 cards on the table that is all that is left between you and the pot, as Past President Bill draws a Ace of Hearts, the Joker is still thee for you.**



**\$211.00**











# Rotary districts collect emergency funds for Hurricane Harvey victims

Rotary clubs along the Gulf Coast of Texas and Louisiana, USA, are collecting emergency relief funds to help flood victims of Hurricane Harvey, which slammed into southeast Texas over the weekend.

Severe rainfall has caused historic flooding along the Texas coast, including in Houston, the fourth largest city by population in the United States. Deluged towns in the region are in desperate need of aid as thousands of residents were forced to flee their homes. About 6.8 million people have been affected by the hurricane, which made landfall on 25 August.

Several districts [located along the Gulf coast](#) in Texas and Louisiana have established disaster relief funds, including districts [5890](#), [5910](#), and [5930](#) in Texas, and district [6200](#) in Louisiana. You can find information about how to contribute to other district funds in Texas on district [5840's website](#).

“We know that a disaster of this magnitude will require our financial assistance for months into the future,” says District 5930 Governor Betty Ramirez-Lara. “Our disaster relief committee will provide support where we believe it can best be used.”

[ShelterBox](#), an independent charity and Rotary’s project partner, is also providing support to families displaced by the storm. Hundreds of light privacy tents will be deployed to evacuation centers throughout Texas for families to use temporarily.

“Our normal tents and ShelterKits are not appropriate for the conditions families are experiencing in Texas,” says James Luxton, ShelterBox operations team leader. “The flooding is covering large swathes of land, and is set to rise even further in the coming days, making indoor shelter the best option.”

If you have questions about how you can help, contact [relief@rotary.org](mailto:relief@rotary.org).

**Our Rotary Club and District are putting together the monies from this area , please check with club before making any donation. Call President Donny or Dick Kanyan**



**ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE**



# ***To an almost old person.***

I never really liked the terminology "Old People" but this makes me feel better about it.

And if you ain't one, I bet ya you know one!

I got this from an "Old Personal friend of mine"!

## **"OLD PEOPLE" PRIDE**

I'm passing this on as I did not want to be the only "old people" receiving it. Actually, it's not a bad thing to be called, as you will see.

- Old People are easy to spot at sporting events; during the playing of the National Anthem. Old People remove their caps, cover their hearts, stand at attention and sing without embarrassment. They know the words and believe in them.
- Old People remember World War II, Pearl Harbor, Guadalcanal, Normandy, and Hitler.. They remember the Atomic Age, the Korean War, The Cold War, the Jet Age and the Moon Landing. They remember the 50 plus Peacekeeping Missions from 1945 to 2005, not to mention Vietnam.
- If you bump into an Old People on the sidewalk he will apologize. If you pass an Old People on the street, he will nod or tip his cap to a lady. Old People trust strangers and are courtly to women and treat them with great respect.
- Old People hold the door for the next person and always, when walking, make certain the lady is on the inside for protection.
- Old People get embarrassed if someone curses in front of women and children and they don't like any filth or dirty language on TV or in movies.
- Old People have moral courage and personal integrity. They seldom brag unless it's about their children, grandchildren or their animals.
- It's the Old People who know our great country is protected, not by politicians, but by the young men and women in the military serving their country.

***This country needs Old People with their work ethic, sense of responsibility, pride in their country, and decent values.***

***We need them now more than ever.***

Thank God for Old People....

## **Random Thoughts.**

ROTARY DISTRICT 6980 FOUNDATION DINNER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2017

LAKE RECEPTIONS, MOUNT DURA

DON'T DELAY, REGISTER NOW

Please be advised that registration for attendance at the Rotary District 6980 Foundation Dinner is now available on the district web-site (DACdb) "[rotarydistrict6980.org](http://rotarydistrict6980.org)"

Individual registrations and tables of 10 registrations may be entered at the cost of \$50 per registrant. Please indicate meal choice when registering.

Please pay all registration fees with a credit card at time of registration.

Should you have questions or need help in registering, e-mail Dennis Veccia at [dveccia@cfl.rr.com](mailto:dveccia@cfl.rr.com)