

# ROTARY CLUB OF COCOA

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Club #  
4389

Rotary Organized 1905  
Cocoa Chartered 1924

## District 6930 Group 13

District Governor, Frances V. Owen  
Assistant District Gov., Brenda Mulberry  
**Rotary International President**  
Dong Kurn Lee

### Officers 2008-2009

President.....Jay Schenck  
Pres. Elect.....Pat Hare  
Secretary.....Bill Carey  
Treasurer.....Charlie LaRoche  
Sgt.-At-Arms.....Paul Chinaris

### Directors 2008-2009

Fundraising.....Jason Manning  
Club Service.....Mary Ann Alderman  
Youth Services.....Jack Masson  
Vocational Services.....Drew Wales  
Community Service.....Ralph McCoig  
International Service.....Kieta Osteen-Cochrane  
Rotaract.....Pat Hare  
PastPresident.....Bill McCarthy  
Membership .....Mark Amos

## “Celebrate Rotary”

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

**FIRST.** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

**SECOND.** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian’s occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**THIRD.** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian’s personal, business, and community life;

**FOURTH.** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



### OUR OPENING SONG

*I want to wake up in the morning  
Where the orange blossoms grow,  
And the sun comes peeping  
Into where I’m sleeping  
And the song birds say hello.  
I want to wander in the  
orange grove  
As I used to long ago,  
And go drifting back to Florida  
Where the orange blossoms grow...*

Tuesday	7:30am	Melbourne Beach	Beach Street Eatery, Ocean Ave.
Tuesday	7:15 am	Cocoa Bch Daybreak	Roberto’s Little Havana, CCB
Tuesday	7:15 am	Titusville Sunrise	LaCita Country Club
Tuesday	12:15 pm	Cocoa	BCC Community Dinning Rm.
Tuesday	12:15 pm	Eau Gallie	Palm Café, Kiwi Tennis Club
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Viera	Holiday Inn
Wednesday	7:15 am	Merritt Island	Victoria’s Restaurant
Wednesday	12:15 pm	Indialantic	Eau Gallie Yacht Club
Wednesday	12:15 pm	Cocoa Beach	Holiday Inn, Cocoa Beach
Thursday	7:15 am	Rockledge	Rockledge County Club
Thursday	12:00 pm	Titusville	LaCita Country Club
Thursday	12:15 pm	Merritt Island	Piccadilly, Merritt Sq. Mall
Thursday	12:15 pm	Palm Bay	Rancho Viejo
Thursday	6:30 pm	Melbourne	Melbourne Hilton Rialto Place
Friday	7:30 am	Suntree	Suntree United Methodist



## COCOA ROTARY CLUB MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY



Name & Spouse	Office	Home	Since	Classification	Name & Spouse	Office	Home	Since	Classification
P H h Alderman, Mary Ann (Ron)	537-8260	452-4154	95	Comm. Relations	H H E Lanni, Ed (Shirley)	446-5435	639-8915	99	Ship Capt./Ret
H H Amos, Mark (Laura)	631-0511	749-8230	03	Real Estate/Dev.	H H e Laroche, Charlie	449-4064	58	Sporting Goods	
P H eh Anderson, Bob	636-5858	636-0048	66	Ed. Admn. Ret.	H P H Loehnoltz, Lowell (Dee)	634-6199	636-0366	71	Ag. Extension
H H e Arnold, Mike (Terri)	636-3131	777-7017	89	C.F.P.	H H Manning, Jason (Shannon)	633-1874	632-9447	83	Geo. Tech. Eng.
H H e Barber, Bob (Lyne)	631-7000	636-9253	75	Prep. Sch. Adm.	H H Masson, Jack (Joy)	453-2618	632-6791	88	Insurance/Life
H e Berry, Roy (Mary)	412-5096	636-8462	02	Realtor	Ph H e McCallister, Glenn (Bernice)	633-4964	633-5100	08	Ambulance/Trans
H e Bird, Gerald (Jerrilyn)	452-0420	639-1378	86	Dentist/ Oral Surg.	Ph H e McCarty, Bill (Jean)	433-4132	633-0855	01	Mortgage/Banker
P H e h Bronson, Nelson (Kathleen)	631-4492	637-8841	08	Home Inspector	H H e McCoy, Jason	633-4964	633-5655	96	Publishing
H h e Brower, Nancy (John)	452-0420	453-6114	95	Photo./Equipment	H H McCoy, Ralph (Edita)	638-0855	638-1247	02	Aerospace/Ret.
H H e Brubaker, David (Dawn)	631-4492	454-9735	03	Community Bank	H H Miller, Jon (Melanie)	632-4277	632-4277	74	Education Curr.
H H e Carey, Bill (Linda)	631-5550	636-0817	59	Radio/ogy	H H Miller, Bud (Ludy)	636-5133	636-5921	82	Private Banker
P H eh Carmichael, Bill (Carol)	636-1889	636-8477	72	Autonotiver/Tires	H H Narvaez, Al (Rose)	637-9294	636-5921	82	Restaurant
H h e Chavers, Frank (Bobbie)	453-9560	636-6825	00	Risk Management	H H e Newbern, Tom (Marge)	433-7060	452-7449	08	Ed./Coll. Admn.
P H eh Chinaris, Paul (Carrie)	636-9951	636-2791	04	Security/Alarms	H H e Newman, Ethel (Thomas)	433-7515	459-3842	03	Ed./Coll. Admn.
P H eh D’Albora, John (Norretta)	636-4056	636-4642	50	Citrus Grower	H H e Osteen-Cochrane, Kieta	632-3515	639-2049	94	Equipr./Health
P H e h DeLeo, Joe (Karen)	631-1550	633-2370	90	Attny./Litigation	H e Pickens, David (Kim)	636-4275	268-8091	07	Funeral Director
H H P Fayer, George (Dana)	636-2211	632-7931	00	Hosp./CFO	P H e Pound, Frank (Betty)	639-0505	636-4992	91	Honary, Judge
H h Fetrow, Brenda	637-7218	632-5891	04	City of Cocoa	P H h Ripley, Steve (Jackie)	253-4060	636-3034	82	Hosp. Laundry
H H Flom, Elena (Mark)	632-1111	784-0045	93	Edu./Coll Admn.	P H h Roll, Lyne (Lee)	631-8039	453-7904	00	Architect
P h H E Gilley, Phil	433-7138	783-9045	01	Orthodontist	P H h e Rood, Jack	636-4361	751-9713	01	Ins. Personal
H h e Hare, Patricia	631-0383	690-1922	82	Education Admn.	H h e Rusnak, Steve (Laura)	636-4361	751-9713	01	Ins. Personal
P H H Houser, Steve (Dawn)	576-0022	453-4532	91	C.P.A./General	P H h Sanderson, Sandy (Ruth)	726-4955	952-1748	96	Utilities/Electric
P H e Johns, Carl (Martha)	453-5130	633-4321	87	C.P.A./Tax	H H e Schenck, Jay (Deborah)	636-7826	632-7005	03	Beverage Dist.
P H H Johnson, Clarence (Shirley)	636-0274	453-5130	72	Honorary, Judge	P H eh Simmons Ellen (Roy)	632-0550	631-1921	93	RN/Nursing Svcs.
P H H Kellar, Ned (Dot)	453-0274	454-4818	70	Fam Counselor	P H h Sullivan, Frank (Jeanette)	784-2427	783-9992	92	Honary, Theater
P H H Krueger, Gary (Pam)	633-7664	269-5805	94	Consul Engineer	H H Violet, Suzanne	633-0788	868-5592	96	Import/Export
P H h Krupp, Linda (Michael)	633-9300	639-1478	96	Edu./Coll. Spec.	H H Wales, Drew (Julie)	632-7660	799-2828	03	Minister
P H h LaMar, Rob (Rene)				Auto Sales	H H e Witek, Nick (Donna)	632-2205	632-2205	84	GC/Const
					P H H E Wohn, Bob (Faye)				Honary/Judge

### Key:

P=Past President

H=Paul Harris Fellow: Given a total of \$1,000 or more to RI (lifetime)

h=Paul Harris Sustaining Member: Given \$100 or more during current year

E=Club Endowment Fellow

e=Club Endowment Sustaining Member



This week's program

## Club Assembly



The Rotary Club of Cocoa was pleased to have some members of the PINK Team as its guests on Tuesday, January 6, 2009. Marian Passamore, Rockledge High School advisor of the team, Candace Prince, and Peter Wales represented the team. The PINK Team has been in existence for 11 years. Last year, they placed **THIRD IN THE WORLD**, won their division, and won in Hawaii! Not only are they skilled at winning competitions, since 2002, 12 students have received over \$415K in scholarships to FIT and UCF. Wow!



Cocoa Rotary President Jay Schenck presents a check for \$500.00 to the Pink Team (from left to right) Jay Schenck, Candace Prince, Drew Wales, Peter Wales, & Marian Passamore.

Rockledge, Viera, and Cocoa Beach High Schools have formed a partnership with NASA to compete as The PINK Team in the FIRST (For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology) robotics' competition. This is a world-wide competition with over 2,000 teams competing from around the globe.

FIRST is a fast-growing, internationally recognized educational organization that is taking the nation by storm. FIRST is creating a world where science and technology are celebrated, and kids dream of becoming heroes in those fields. To maintain our leading social and economic position, this nation must foster a passion for scientific achievement. Since 1992, FIRST has been holding exciting, no-holds-barred robotics competitions for students from kindergarten through high school.

Teams begin preparing in the fall for the competition that kicks off in January. Each team of students, educators, and professionals then have a six-week timeframe to take their robot from conception to final construction. These unique, custom build, radio-controlled machines will then have to compete at various competitions around the world. After they are given the rules for the current year's competition, the Team spends a couple hours reviewing them and the restraints. They divide into three or four groups and brainstorm ideas. On the second day, these groups present their ideas to the rest of the groups, and the ideas are synthesized into one plan.

Money is always a factor, and the PINK Team operates on a \$60,000 budget. They do fund-raisers and rely on donations, too. They work year-round, offering camp for girls only 9 to 10 years of age, work at the Special Arts Festival at the Zoo, offer a Lego League for 9 to 14 year olds who build a robot out of Legos and then program it. Since 1999, the PINK Team has also been mentoring other teams.

The PINK Team now has a home on the air force side of the Cape; they want to get all teams badged so that they may come out and use the surface for practice with their robots.

For more information, you may visit their website at [www.thepinkteam.org](http://www.thepinkteam.org) or visit the international FIRST website at [www.usfirst.org](http://www.usfirst.org).

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Ralph McCoig  
won the 50/50

### 4WAY TEST

Jack Masson

VOCATIONAL PLAQUE

Pat Hare  
Pays Rent

### Four Way Test

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?

The mission of The **Rotary Foundation** is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

The Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation supported solely by voluntary contributions from Rotarians and friends of the Foundation who share its vision of a better world.

## Reminder! Reminder!

The second half club fees are due. Please see Charlie LaRoche if you have any questions.

## NEW BUDDY LIST

Do you know who your buddy is? We have a new Buddy List for 2009. Make sure to check with Bill Carey to find out who your Buddy is. This is effective starting January 13, 2009.



Turbo Late Winner

Sandy Sanderson



Sandy Sanderson 1/13

### Visiting Rotarians

Lou Skender                      Merritt Island Lunch  
Warren Price                      Suntree

### Visitors

Judy Steplen                      Lynne Roll  
Bill Hall                              Bill Pickens  
Jerry Quesda                      Mark Amos



The Queen of Hearts Total was  
\$2,090.00