



February 21, 2017

Meeting every Tuesday @ 6:54AM
Windermere Town Hall



Windermere Rotary Club

Weekly Roundabout

Quote for the Week: “If we cultivate the habit of doing this service deliberately, our desire for service will steadily grow stronger, and it will make not only for our own happiness, but that of the world at large.”

Mahatma Gandhi

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK:

Marc Harris

District 6980

Service Projects Chair



Paul Harris Society Sustaining Member

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?

Marc is CEO of his real estate business, Marc Harris & Associates

He has an MBA from Babson College and a BA from Curry College, Milton, both in MS.

He currently serves as Service Projects Chair for the District for 2016-2017.

Previously, he was Secretary, Membership Chair, & International Chair - Rotary Club of Windermere, Treasurer, Secretary, President-Elect - Rotary Club of Cape Coral Goldcoast, He is a Graduate of the Rotary Leadership Institute.

He served as VP and Legislative Chair, Chapter 2363, National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association 2015-2016

Founder and President of Chapter 2364, National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association 2011-2015

PR Chair, President, Chapter 1002, National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Fellow Rotarians,

On March 31st, Dave's House will be holding their 3rd annual ***Insights That Inspire*** breakfast fundraiser. Once again I will be buying a table and inviting my friends to join me. You, my Rotary friends, are at the top of my list.

This year, the guest speaker will be Simon T. Bailey, author of "Release Your Brilliance / The 4 Steps to Transforming Your Life and Revealing Your Genius to the World". He is a best-selling author, a Hall of Fame Speaker and the CEO of Simon T. Bailey International, a company specializing in creating learning and development for individuals and organizations.

Sign in starts at 7:30 AM at the Rosen Centre Hotel. Please consider joining me.

Yours in Rotary Service,

Todd

ATTENTION ATTENTION ATTENTION ATTENTION:



**The only chance you have to win money here is to buy your
50/50 Tickets!**

*Trying something new! Scan this QR Code and directly to
www.WindermereRotary.org



Rotary Impact Tracker as of February 20, 2017 (Rotarians reporting projects online)

Total volunteer hours	13,977,118	Hours
Number of volunteers	1,772,353	People
Total cash contributions	429,831,843	USD
Total in-kind contributions	195,676,566	USD

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“If there is anything worse than international warfare, it is civil warfare, and the United States was destined to experience it in the extreme of bitterness.”

Paul Harris

FEBRUARY

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
George & Judy 📞	Richard Irwin 21 yrs.	Guest Speaker: Don Hairston Healthcare Executive		Don Greer 📞		
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
		Guest Speaker: Tom Bland CEO Paladin Holdings 	Board Meeting Sutton's 6:30 pm	Bob Matheison 46 yrs.		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Serving Dinner at Ocoee Christian Center		Guest Speaker: Marc Harris District Service Projects	Dan Fanelli 1 yr. Eric Santiago 1 yr.	Happy Hour at Stonewood 6 pm (Make it happen!)	 Food Truck Night 5-9:30	District Grants Workshop Rosen College of Hospitality 8 am breakfast
26	27	28	March 1	2	3	4
Amanda Stebbins 3 yrs.		Guest Speaker: Edgewood Children's Ranch 4 Way Test				

NOTE NOTE NOTE: <http://m.DACdb.com> Mobile District

You can get all the members #'s from this site!

District Governor: *Dan Semenza*
 Assistance Governor: *Eduardo Fernandez*

www.rotarydistrict6980.org www.rotary.org



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Lobster: Judy Black
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 Festival: Gregg Plouff

ROTARY WEBSITES

Windermere www.windermerrerotary.org

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RI President: John Germ
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 Dan Semenza
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Bulletin

Norma Sutton
normasutton@embarqmail.com

Rotary Club of Winter Garden

Evening at the Pops

Orlando Philharmonic Symphony

Saturday, March 25 6 pm – 9 pm

Bring your picnic basket, blanket, chairs

\$10 per person

Or, purchase a VIP ticket for complementary food and beverages and reserved seating on the veranda of Tanner Hall.

29 Garden Avenue Winter Garden

www.facebook.com/EveningAtThePops

also

Blood Screening Event

Wednesday, February 22 7- 10 am

Health Central Hospital - Ocoee Florida

\$50 in advance, \$60 at the door

Contact Todd Duncan for more information

407 296-1770

Rotary Club of International Drive

<http://rotaryidrive.org/>

**Follow this link to see the raffle that the I Drive club has set up
if you are interested in a chance at a great vacation!**

“He has a right to criticize, who has a heart to help.”

Abraham Lincoln

Community “For Recognition Concert”

March 4 4 to 7 pm

”Jazz in the Park” for service organizations Hosted by Orange County Mayor Teresa Jacobs. Bands will include Jazzway Express, The Dave Capp Project, Dimas, Sanchez Quartet and Matt the Saxman. Community and service organizations that volunteer their time to make Orange County a better place to live, such as Rotary, Kiwanis, American Red Cross and volunteer groups and HOAs, are invited to be recognized by the Mayor. Groups should call to participate. 4-7 p.m. March 4, Cypress Grove Park, 290 W.Holden Ave., Orlando, free, 407-836-6257. George has put us on the list so everyone, please try to attend to be recognized! Thanks, George!

District Conference 2017

The District conference will be at [The Doubletree Hotel](#) on the beach in [Cocoa Beach](#) from **May 5th to May 7th**.

We will be showing off the great projects your clubs have been involved in this year. Marc Harris, the District Service Projects Chair will be handling the project displays and presentations. We will also have presentations from some of the interact clubs as well as representatives from the new Interconnect Program started at Celebration High School.

Saturday night, May 6th, we will have the Foundation Banquet with the lighting of our seven foot high Birthday cake recognizing the **100 years** of our Foundation “Doing good in the World.” We have some of the candles for the cake sold already. PDG Jo Weber, the District Foundation Chair and DGD Cindi Cioci will direct this celebration.

More information about registering and other events at the conference will follow as the planning moves ahead.

Rotary International Convention 2017

Atlanta, George

June 10 – 14

Important Informtion To Look At Now

Pre Registration for the 2017 RI Convention is happening right now. Discounts are available based on the dates you register as shown below. We want to amass a great group from out District 6980 and the organizers are looking at booking hotels and even bus transportation. If you can attend, you need to register now. Refunds can be made up to a certain date if you discover a conflict. Please take a look at the schedule below and made a decision! Norma & Byron are in and Darrell will find out who else is planning to attend at tomorrow's meeting and to rally it up. These conventions are an incredible opportunity to learn how Rotary is changing the world and changing the organization to stay vibrant and current.

From December 16 to March 31 , 2017	\$415
After April 1, 2017	\$490

Register online at www.riconvention.org

Let's Have A Show of Hands!



Come on! Road Trip! Let's have a bus full to Atlanta!

Bus Idea didn't float so transportation is on your own!

To All Zone 34 Rotarians Registered for the 2017 Convention!

The 2017 100th Anniversary of our Rotary Foundation will be one of the greatest experiences you will ever have in your Rotary lifetime. This is your time to see and understand what you have accomplished while experiencing the friendship of tens of thousands of Rotarians from around the world. There are currently over **31,000 Rotarians registered** and another **8,000 waiting for visa clearances**.

The Host Organizing Committee (HOC) is dedicated to delivering to you the best of Rotary and the best fun in Rotary, but... **WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP!!!!!!**

There are almost **4,400 Zone 34 Rotarians registered for the Convention**, and only approximately 3% of you have signed up to be volunteers at the convention. The host areas usually have up to 50% of their registered Rotarians signed up as volunteers. The success of the convention will be determined by many factors. One of the most important will be the volunteer support. The volunteer effort is designed to make sure that Rotarians from all over the world have an enjoyable experience during their stay in Atlanta. As such, the volunteers have several responsibilities.

These are...

1. Welcome traveling Rotarians at the airport. Greet them with true **SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY**.
2. Direct them to the luggage areas and then to the taxis or MARTA areas.
3. Support the House of Friendship as greeters.
4. Provide Rotary visibility and ticket taking at HOC events.
5. Staff the HOC ticket booth (HOC events).
6. Stuff "goodie" bags.

Volunteers are expected to serve **one four hour** commitment. You can serve more if you choose to do so. Also, some group leaders will have six hour sessions to ensure a smooth transition between volunteer groups. Most of these commitments will not interfere with any Convention plenary sessions. Each volunteer will be provided with a commemorative vest and hat, and a special volunteer pin that you can keep. You will also have a training session provided during the late 1st quarter of 2017 and then repeated prior to the Convention. You will be provided with a MARTA pass. In order to volunteer you must take the following steps:

1. Visit www.rotaryconvention2017.org/volunteer.
2. Click on the [Volunteer Registration Form](#) link.
3. Fill out the form completely.
4. Click on the Send Volunteer Registration

RYLA THIS MONTH

What else do we need?

Even with all the help you've already provided, we still need just a little more. Please take a look below and write back if you are able to provide your time or resources for any of the following.

Pass this along to everyone you know in your club or otherwise who may be able to help. If you want to pass along the contact information for someone who can assist, we will be happy to contact them.

Pizza Night - On Saturday night we would like to provide pizza for the kids. We need funds to be able to do this or free pizza. The cost is approx \$250.

Volunteers - We need volunteers in the following order of priority:

(1) Registration - On Wednesday, February 22 from approx 3pm to 8pm. Help with welcoming students and getting them checked in.

(2) Saturday Night Party Chaperones - On Saturday, February 25 to monitor the party.

(3) Security - Every night from 10pm until 2am. To ensure campers stay in their cabins.

(4) Monitoring activities throughout the event - Every day of the event. To assist with administrative tasks and assist the students where needed. If you can only make it for part of one day or multiple days, every bit helps.

(5) Cleanup - On Sunday, February 26. To help with cleanup after the event has ended.

Medic / Nurse / EMT - we would like to have someone on staff to provide medical attention if needed. It does not have to be the same person for the entire event. If they are only able to stay for one day, then we will find someone else to fill the other days.

THANK YOU again for all your support. With your help, this will be a great event. As Rotarians, you can come by and visit anytime during the event and we will gladly show you what your students are doing.

Eddie Fernandez, RYLA 2017 Co-Chair

Barbara Coggins, RYLA 2017 Chair



RLI

The Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) is a multi-district, grassroots leadership development program of member districts organized into regional divisions in various parts of the world.

RLI is not an official program of Rotary International and is not under its control.

RLI seeks to have Rotary Clubs in its member districts identify those Rotarians who appear to have the potential for future club leadership (not necessarily as club presidents) and provide those so identified with a quality education in Rotary knowledge and leadership skills so important in voluntary organizations.

**Rosen College of Hospitality Management
9907 Universal Boulevard Orlando, Fl**

register at: www.rlitraining.org

March 18 7:30 AM

**Word has it that if you attend RLI you will want to remain a Rotarian
for the rest of your life!!**

OUR ROTARY FAMILY

Dave's House Breakfast in February 2015.

Let's support Todd again and join him this year!

