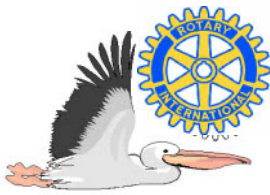


MARCH 15, 2013



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SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROTARY CLUB PRESIDENT'S THEME 2012-13

"SHARING, IMAGINING, BEING"



SPEAKER CALENDAR

MARCH RECRUITERS Thrifthauser/Mason

3/15 Jack Drury/Wheelchair Foundation & Steve Agis/Gift of Life

3/22 temporarily waiting response for confirmation Holocaust survivor

3/29 Club assembly

APRIL RECRUITERS Carney/Almas

4/5 Keith Williams, Director Sanibel Dept of Public Works ** **John Carney would like you to send your questions for Keith in advance to johnecarney@yahoo.com. Keith will then do the research, get the answers for you and re- spond when he is our guest speaker.**

4/12 Dennis Schofield - former insurance adjustor

4/19 Dr. Sidney Simon

4/26 open

SANIBEL-CAPTIVA MEMBERSHIP NEWS

New Member Inductions 3/22

SCOT B. HERZOFF

Retail/Jewelry

Congress Jewelers-Sales

WILLIAM PALMER

Banking/Wealth Management

SunTrust Sanibel-Client Advisor Sponsor-Scot

SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION AND APPLICATION IS NOW ON OUR CLUB WEB-SITE WWW.SANIBELROTARY.ORG

If you know someone who might be eligible, encourage them to apply.

The Club Song

Giver of all things good, We Thank you for this food, With one accord

Lead us we humbly pray, Onward in Rotary's way

Of service day by day, Most Gracious Lord

(Tune of My Country Tis of Thee)

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

TOMORROW

Saturday, 3/16

**Double the Pleasure,
Double the Fun!**

Meet for breakfast at the Sunflower Cafe, off Island at 8:00 a.m.

Two Tasks to accomplish:

* Unpack Arts & Crafts

Fair supplies from trailer

and place in storage

unit...Robert Monk

* Road Kill...Chris DeCosta

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

March 22nd (Friday)

Don Russell's House Party

April 15th (Monday)

Installation Dinner Captiva

Yacht Club

YOU CAN HELP OUR SPEAKER CHAIR BY VOLUNTEERING TO RECRUIT SPEAKERS FOR OUR WEEKLY MEETINGS.

Do you know someone that might make a great speaker for one of our upcoming meetings?..**Pass that name and any pertinent information along to Emily Kleitzen.** She will follow-up on all suggestions.



JROTC

Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps

High School is a telling time in the outcome of a young person's future.

Although there are prescribed academic programs of learning, which of course is the focus of our educational system (hopefully), a student does have choices when it comes to elective classes being offered here in Lee County. What would you think of an elective program that appeals to 5,200 high-school students in the county? First question that comes to mine is... what kind of class could that be? Well surprisingly, that elective class involves learning about leadership, character and student success, learning about personal discipline and responsibility for your actions. The elective program offered to these students is Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps (JROTC). Sanibel-Captiva Rotary guest speakers this week were retired Army Lt. Colonel Tom Madigan-Director of Army JROTC instruction for Lee County and retired Army Lt. Colonel, Bill Zocovics-Director of Operations for the Lee County Army JROTC. Tom stated right up front, "the most important goal of JROTC is to ensure our future leaders graduate from high school while simultaneously developing each cadet's leadership potential and character". The JROTC Program combines classroom instruction, a leadership lab and integrated curricular activities focused on attaining an awareness of the rights, responsibilities, and privileges of citizenship; promoting wellness and physical fitness; building life skills; and providing leadership opportunities. The mission is "to motivate young people to be better citizens" to develop each cadet to achieve goals of: ethical values and good citizenship, leadership potential, effective communication and logical thinking, improved physical fitness, incentive to live drug-free, positive self-motivation and management, the skills to work as a team member, motivation to graduate from high school and pursue a successful career. Although as part of the JROTC program in Lee County cadets do wear uniforms and may partici-

pate in a military-type drill team for ceremonial presentation and public appearances, there is no military instruction in the Lee County JROTC program. The drill team does get attention for the JROTC but this statement addressed to cadets sums up the program rather well "You are always on parade and that means, that everything you do matters, regardless of whether anyone is watching". Within the JROTC student academy program, students are given an enormous amount of guidance and encouragement to keep their focus on their future. As part of the JROTC power-point presentation last Friday Tom and Bill presented the stepping stones that leads to the success of the program...dreams & goals, self-esteem, team support, decide & plan, positive mental attitude. Each cadet is encouraged to make a five-year plan with identifying incremental goals for accomplishing those goals. The major goal for JROTC students is graduating for high school...Lee County JROTC-98.9% graduate, 20% go on to enlist in the military, 32% attend Voc-Tech School, 38% attend college. JROTC programs across the nation are providing guidance on how to become the best you possible and how cadets can contribute to society overall.

The JROTC Creed:

- I am an Army Junior ROTC Cadet...
- I will always conduct myself to bring credit to my family, country, school, and the Corps of Cadets.
- I am loyal and patriotic. I am the future of the United States of America.
- I do not lie, cheat or steal and will always be accountable for my actions and deeds.
- I will always practice good citizenship and patriotism.
- I will work hard to improve my mind and strengthen my body.
- I will seek the mantle of leadership and stand prepared to uphold the Constitution and the American way of life.
- May God grant me the strength to always live by this creed.