

ROTARY CLUB of SARASOTA



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Today's Program:

**ONE BOOK INITIATIVE
A PROGRAM SUPPORTED BY THE ROTARY
CLUB OF SARASOTA TO HELP SARASOTA
COUNTY STUDENTS ACHIEVE GRADE
LEVEL EXPECTATIONS.**



Chris Renouf, Sarasota County's Executive Director of Elementary Education, has been principal of Ashton and Toledo Blade Elementary schools. When principal, Ashton was designated as a High Performing Model School by the Council for Educational Change, Florida School Report, and Toledo Blade, a 1,600 student Title I school classified as a School in Need of Improvement, to become a Distinguished Title I School by the State of Florida.



Kelly Ellington, Director for Elementary Schools Curriculum and Instruction. Prior to serving in this position, Kelly taught kindergarten and grades four and five at Taylor Ranch School, then became the school's assistant principal and principal. Her previous administrative position was Director of Professional Development & Teacher Evaluation.



Holly Chesnoff, former elementary school teacher and instructional coach in Manatee County, is the English Language Arts specialist for Elementary Schools Curriculum and Instruction. She graduated with a Bachelor of Education from Florida Atlantic and received a Master of Arts Degree in Reading, K-12 at University of South Florida, Sarasota-Manatee.

Upcoming Programs:

**August 29 Anya Keogh, Sarah Lodge
Getting to Know our Members**

**September Program Coordinator
Maarten (Marty) Meckman**

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PREVIOUS MEETING (08/15/17) by Ron Rayevich

I needed something like the **Sarasota Swim Academy** when I was growing up, because I never did learn to breathe properly when swimming (or at least what I call swimming), and therefore I am only good for about 20 yards before I end up dog paddling. **Coach Ira Klein**, who heads up the **Sarasota Swim Academy**, headquartered at the Arlington Park Pool on Waldemere St., just a couple of blocks west of Tuttle Ave., explained how he and his wife have been able to teach youngsters (toddlers and up) to swim and to practice good water safety habits. In addition he has built a reputation for developing championship swim clubs for ages 5 and up with his 11-12 year old team becoming one of the top swim teams in the US. **Coach Klein** has 230 youngsters enrolled in club swimming by various age groups. But swimming isn't only for kids. We adults can be part of it and learn to swim for exercise and recreation. Every day 10 people drown in the US, mostly toddlers in Florida, and each year more than 1/2 million (that's a correct number) drown in Asia for lack of swimming skills. Let's not let our children, grandchildren or friends be part of these statistics. Thanks, **Coach Klein**, for your efforts to not only teach adults and kids to swim, but for building Sarasota's reputation for having great swim teams.

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Regular Social Gatherings

Saturday mornings at 9 a.m.

Panera Bread @ US 41 & Bahia Vista

Baloney Club 11:15 a.m. Wednesdays

Marina Jack Balcony before the regular meeting.

Club members and guests are welcome at all social gatherings. Be prepared to accomplish virtually nothing except getting to chat, laugh, and by chance learn something useful once in a while.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Karen Wreder	Airline Representative	Andrea Nierenberg

If no written objections are submitted to the Board of Directors by August 29, Karen will be eligible to be inducted on or after September 5.

**ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS 4571 Clark Road, Sarasota Wednesday, August 22nd, 6:30 PM
A Great Happy Hour Menu at Goodfellas Café and Winery**

**ROTARY DAY AT RAYMOND JAMES
STADIUM**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 @ 1 P.M.

**TAMPA BAY BUCKINERS VS
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES**

**BUS OF ROTARY FELLOWSHIP LEAVES FROM
MARINA JACK @ 10:30 AM ON GAME DAY.**

**\$145 FOR TICKET AND A SEAT ON THE BUS OF
FELLOWSHIP. LOTS OF ROOM FOR COOLERS
AND FOOD. CHAIRS AND TABLE FOR
TAILGATING PARTY.**

GREAT TIME FOR ALL.



**IF INTERSTED
CONTACT BOB
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NEW NEWS!!!!

**IF GOING TO THE GAME IS
NOT YOUR IDEA OF A GOOD
TIME, THEN THINK ABOUT
SPONSORING A BOYS AND
GIRLS CLUB STUDENT WHO
HAS A LOVE OF FOOTBALL.
FEW EVER HAVE THE
OPPORTUNITY TO
EXPERIENCE A LIVE
PROFESSIONAL GAME.**

NEW MEMBER BIOGRAPHY

Get to know our new members, and help them get to know you!

George H. Schofield, PhD is an Organizational/Developmental Psychologist, a working entrepreneur/virtual CEO, futurist, journalist, speaker, career coach, and author. He is a noted expert in career/employment and Life After 50. He was formerly a Regional Services Director for Right Management Consultants and a VP at Bank of America. His work ranges from Silicon Valley/the U.S. to Asia and to Europe including the Technology, Manufacturing, Educational, and Professional Services industries. George's Amazon 5-star rated book, *After 50 It's Up to Us: Developing the Skills and Agility We'll Need*, earned rave reviews from Richard Bolles, author of *What Color is Your Parachute*. In 2017 George was named one of the top 50 thought leaders/influencers on aging in the country by nextavenue.org, a part of the PBS system. His most recent book, *How Do I Get There From Here, Planning For Retirement (AND LIFE) When The Old Rules No Longer Apply*, published by AMACOM, the publishing arm of the American Management Association, is being hailed as innovative and powerful. George is based in Lakewood Ranch, FL.

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