

ROTARY CLUB of SARASOTA



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CLUB NUMBER 4339

DISTRICT 6960

ZONE 34

PRESIDENT – JOE DEVORE

Classification: Skilled Nursing Administration

March 20, 2019

SMILE, the weekly club newsletter

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REMAINING PANTRY DATES

Alta Vista

1:45 to 4:00 pm

March 28

April 4

April 18

May 2

May 16



Emma E. Booker

1:45 to 3:30 pm

March 26

April 9

April 23

May 14

SUMMER SCHOOL PANTRIES

Alta Vista

Coordinator Maarten Meckman

Unloading and Bagging 2 to 4 pm (or until done)

Distribution 6:15 to 7 pm

Emma E. Booker

To do or not to do, that is the question.
To do means we need a coordinator.

SAVE THE DATES

March 21 6:00 pm — Italian Sunset Serenade Howard Rooks Lido Beach Home 246 Morningside Drive

April 4 6:00 pm — Scavenger Hunt at Jessie White's Sarasota Architectural Salvage

April 25 5:30 until 7 pm—New Member Orientation for Red and new Blue Badge members.

More information later on the location.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE CHAIR - BOB GAGLIO

March Program Coordinator

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March 27 — Vicki Oldham — Newtown Alive

April Program Coordinator

Lee-En Chung

April 3 — Stephanie Sonnabend — 2020 Women on Boards

April 10 — Victor Young — Sarasota Metropolis Soccer Team

Rotarians Make the World Better,
One Community at the Time.



TODAY'S PROGRAM



Cynthia Holliday, along with her husband **Tim**, own **Children's World Uniform Supply**; purveyors of school uniforms & accessories, toys, games and promotional products for businesses of all kinds. **Children's World** has been frequently recognized for outstanding customer service and awards like the 2018 Best Places to Work award from the Herald Tribune, Best Store for Kids, and Best Local Minded Business. Cynthia and Tim are proud that their building has received an Energy Star Rating (one of only 18 total in the area) and is the second building ever to receive a perfect 100 score on the ranking. **Children's World** placed 2nd for the National Independent Small Business of the Year Award. Experts in all things toys and games, we'll learn what's new and hot in the biz. Joining Cynthia will be her store manager, Michelle.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

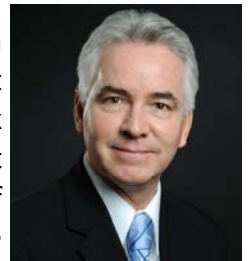
Name	Classification	Proposed by
Carl Jackson	Vitamin Manufacturer, Retired	Andrea Nierenberg
Matthew Voss	Real Estate	Jeff Meyer
Carrie Kashawlic	Non-Profit Youth Development	Karen Sites

If no written objections are submitted to the Board of Directors by March 27th, all three will be eligible to be inducted on or after April 3rd.

PREVIOUS MEETING (03/13/2019) BY JIM HENRY



Save Our Seabirds rolls better off the tongue and stays better in the brain (particularly aging brains) than does *Save our Birds*, but saving birds is what **Save Our Seabirds** does. Most of the birds that cannot be released back into the wild are given lifelong care. **Save Our Seabirds** is the foremost bird care facility in south Florida, and perhaps the southeast. Rotary Club of Sarasota member, **David Pilston**, via film and slides, demonstrated the care birds of all species, injured or newborn, when they become patients at **Save Our Seabirds**.



David also explained that a major function is outreach and educating the public on the need to be aware of, and take care of our birds. An interesting fact is that many bird watching tourists come to Sarasota County, and that teachers bring their students where they are given special tours. **Save Our Seabirds** is open to the public. Adult admission is \$12 and \$8 for children 4 to 12.

NOTICE

To stimulate public awareness and give the public an opportunity to participate in helping Sarasota County students achieve top place in the State's third reading level (in systems with over 2,000 students), an on-line campaign is underway. It would be helpful for Rotarians to help us lead the way by making others aware of this goal.

CLUB MEMBERS ARE NOT TO FEEL PRESSURED TO CONTRIBUTE MORE THAN THEY ALREADY HAVE.