

ROTARY CLUB of SARASOTA



CHARTERED APRIL 12, 1926

CLUB NUMBER 4339

DISTRICT 6960

ZONE 34

PRESIDENT – JEFF MEYER

Classification: Vice President, Investments

July 3, 2019

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PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

Name	Classification	Proposed by
Melissa Kotler Schwartz	Adult Education	Andrea Nierenberg

If no written objections are submitted to the Board of Directors by the end of the work day July 10, Melissa will be inducted shortly thereafter.

Rotarian of the Year
Sarah Lodge



Rookie of the Year
Karen Wreder



**Non-Rotarian
Citizen of the Year**
Fr. Celestino Gutierrez



SAVE THE DATES

SPECIAL MEETING

Wednesday, August 7 Lunch meeting will be the University of South Florida Sarasota

PROGRAM COMMITTEE CHAIR - BOB GAGLIO

July Programs

- July 10 — Robert Bernstein Selby Gardens \$91M Master Plan
- July 17 — Aaron Mattes Aaron Mattes Therapy
- July 24 — John Smarge Rotary International Haiti HANWASH
- July 31 — Charles C. Reith, Phd Reith Energy & Environmental Development



THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

MEMBER TALKS



Shelly

THIS WEEK WE WILL HEAR FROM **SHELLY WILSON, DIRECTOR, CORPORATE PROGRAMS AND COMMUNITY RELATIONS FOR RPM INDUSTRIES,** AND **KAREN ATTWOOD, OWNER OF THE MELLOW MUSHROOM.**



Karen

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



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PREVIOUS MEETING (06/26/2019) BY THE PHANTOM

It was pretty obvious that **Holly Kobie, Rotary District 6960 Youth Exchange Chair**, spoke from her heart about Rotary Student Exchange. Our club learned a lot, and she sparked some of our members to help out by stepping up to let **Matteo Ganassi**, from Italy, see the wonders of Sarasota and Florida. The more **Matteo** gets to interact with Rotarians, the greater the experiences will be for all. **Shelly Wilson's** family will be hosting **Matteo** for the year (*editorial note: In my opinion, this is better than changing host families*), but **Holly** encouraged other members to involve themselves in the exchange experience, first by clearing schedules with **Shelly**. (*Another editor's note: A wonderful day trip is a visit to the Kennedy Space Center. Perhaps a Rotarian would like to take their family and would be able to take Matteo with them.*) And don't forget to consider inviting **Matteo** to participate in ordinary family experiences like a weekend getaway to the Keys, fishing, beach visits, a dinner party that has others of similar age, or anything else they believe he may enjoy the experience. These who share experiences with **Matteo** will probably find that we all have more commonalities than differences.



ALTA VISTA SUMMER PANTRY

Thursdays 2 crews Pack 2-4 pm Distribute 6:15-7 pm

7/11/2019

Maarten says he will gladly accept all the help he can get!

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.