

Quote of the Week: "A small town is a place where there is no place to go where you shouldn't."

Burt Bacharach



Robert Smith Windermere Town Manager





- 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?

Robert Smith graduated from Barry University School of Law, Orlando, FL (2003) Juris Doctor. He has a Bachelor of Science in History from Florida State University (1999) and a Bachelor of Science in Criminology from Florida State University (1999). He is a member of Member Florida Bar, FCCMA, Former Sumter County Chamber of Commerce Board Member, Former Sumter County Fire Advisory Board Member. Leadership Sumter Alumni, a member Local Government Section Florida Bar, Tri-County League of Cities, Windermere Police Department Foundation Inc President 501C3 (2014-present), NFL Alumni Central Florida Chapter Treasurer 501C3 (2014-2015), and a Member of the Florida Municipal Attorneys Association. He is currently the Town of Windermere Manager (2011-Present) providing the overall direction for the Town in accordance with the policies established by the Town Council to ensure that the policy decisions made by the Town Council are carried out and that public services are delivered efficiently and effectively.

He is interested in History, Adventure Travel (Everest, Sahara Desert, Amazon River), Softball, Active Obstacle Races, Mountain Climbing (Kilimanjaro, Cascade Range, 14ers), Community Involvement (Give Kids the World, Tim Tebow Foundation, Mathews Hope) and of course, his wife and daughter.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Fellow Rotarians,

This weekend, Saturday, February 16th is our big lobster dinner and it looks as though we did it – we are sold out by five tickets over! Hallelujah and thank you all. We still need some gift cards for restaurants and other retail

options for the raffle items. Resort trips, beach house, jewelry and these types of items are good for live or silent auction. We only need a few so if you have or know someone who can donate something like this, get on it! Place holder as well for February 23rd for Olympia Interact working at Second Harvest. They need us to support this event so sign up to work at http://olympiahighschool.shfbcf.volunteerhub.com

Our own town manager Robert is our guest speaker in the morning so try to come here what is happening now in town. Cheers!

Yours in Service Norma (for Don)



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



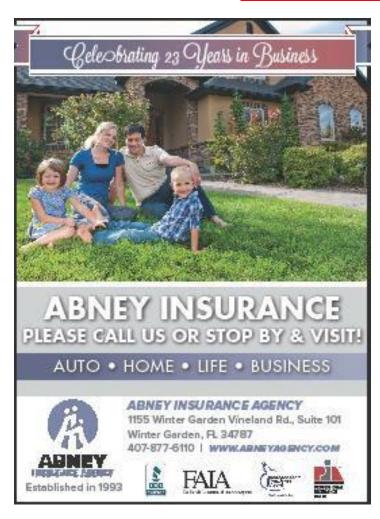
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FEBRUARY

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Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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					Farmers Market Windermere	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Guest Speaker: Avani Desai			Farmers Market Winde1mere	Don Greerå
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Guest Speaker: Robert Smith – Town Manager			Farmers Market Windermere	Dan Fanelli 2 yrs.
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Serving Dinner at Ocoee Christian Center		Guest Speaker: Avani Desai			Farmers Market Windermere Food Truck	Second Harvest Day
24	25	26	27	28	MAR 1	2
	Open House Town Hall 6 pm	NO MEETING TODAY			Farmers Market Windermere	

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

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

District Governor: Ron Janssen

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COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Lobster: Andy Agoos & Frank Krens Golf: : Mike Magill Veterans Day: Club et al

Veterans Day: Club et al Cinco de Mayo;: Byron Sutton

ROTARY WEBSITES

Windermere : <u>www.</u> windermererotary.org

District: <u>www.rotary</u> district6980.org

Int'l: www.rotary.org

RI President: Barry Rassin

Rotary Club of Windermere

The Rotary Club of Windermere has created an online registry for our Military heroes (active, retired, deceased) who are either from the local area or who are family and/or friends of area residents. Our goal is to create a respectable list of our Military service men and women online then to record these names and dates into a quality book to be put on public display in the Windermere Library. The site is ready now, although we will continue to enhance and improve it as we see entries generated. The link is http://windermereveterans.com. The cost is \$50 per entry. If you have a loved one who served or is currently serving, please consider honoring them by adding them to this registry as a record of our local military history. Thank you.

http://windermereveterans.com



Windermere Veterans Registry

Please bear with us as we work through the kinks with the new website!

"Duty, Honor, Country. Those three hallowed words reverently dictate what you ought to be, what you can be, what you will be."

Douglas MacArthur

William Case Criswell

JUNE 18, 1925 - FEBRUARY 7, 2019





Far above the storm clouds gathering

Far above that midnight sky Looking out just past the rainbow Where eagles dare not fly

Out among the ashes Of heroes long since past I will take my place among them When that final die is cast

Let not your heart be troubled That's what I've always heard But I stood for what I believed in With these my final words

For in this life but few things matter

In this short time that we have here

Leaving nothing behind but our honor

The thing we hold most dear

Rotary Club of Windermere

Scheduled Events for our Club to Add to your Calendar

Saturday, February 16

Lobster Dinner





Olympia High Interact
Service at Second Harvest
Saturday February 23



Saturday, May 4

Cinco de Mayo – Windermere Town Square

OUR DISTRICT NEWS

From District Governor Ron: Please share thus information with your clubs

The next Rotary Leadership Institute in our district will be **March 23rd at the Rosen College of Hospitality** in Orlando. Sign up through our District Calendar. If you or your members have any questions please feel free to call RLI Chair Tracy Belton at 352-253-5244 or toll free at 877-734-5249.

Many thanks and I hope to see your members at RLI.

Thank You Ron



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6:30 - 10:00 PM

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FOR MORE INFO: call 407.877.6110







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\$50 for WTC Members \$65 for Non-Members Table Sponsor: \$500

(7 guests plus speaker)

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OUR ROTARY FAMILY



Brad O'Connor made a great presentation on the real estate market here in central Florida last week. And, good to have President Don back with us!