March 12, 2019

Meeting every Tuesday @6:54 AM Open House 4<sup>th</sup> Monday Night 6 pm Windermere TownHall



# indermere Rotary Club

## Weekly Roundabout

Quote of the Week: "We do not have government by majority. We Have government by the majority who participate."

**Thomas Jefferson** 



- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

## **PROGRAM OF THE WEEK**

**Election Day in Windermere** 





## **MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**



## Fellow Rotarians,

All who attended know what a wonderful 4 Way Test contest awards we had last week. Congratulations to the winners and to all who participated at the Ranch, including the hardworking teachers and staff who made it happen! Thank you.

Tomorrow is election day so there is no meeting in the morning but do still go to vote! See candidate information below. We have the Ocoee Christian Center on Sunday the 17<sup>th</sup> March so look for the email requesting food dishes including green cookies and volunteers. Have a good week and come back on the 19<sup>th</sup> for our next meeting.

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 <u>www.WindermereRotary.org</u>



"Bad officials are elected by good citizens who don't vote."

George Jean Nathan

## **CLUB SPONSORS**

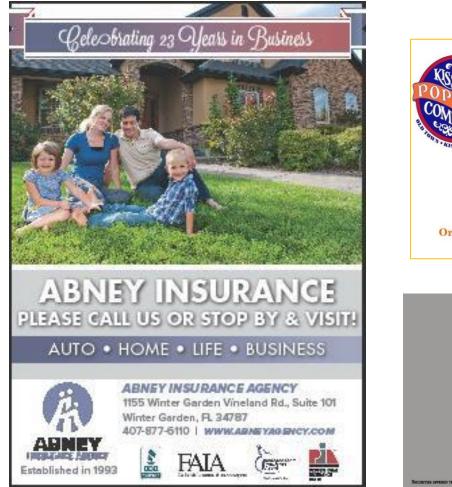
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## District 6980

## **Club 4426**

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		Windermere				
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Christian		Conservation			ROF	
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	Town Hall	TODAY	7 am			
	6 pm					

**NOTE NOTE NOTE:** <u>http://m.DACdb.com</u> Mobile District

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

**District Governor: Ron Janssen** 

Assistance Governor: Larry Lynch



**CLUB OFFICERS** Presient: Don Hairston

Pres. Elect: Doug Trovillion Treasurer: Phil Leopold Secretary: Todd Bednarek Past President: Norma Sutton Sgt-at-Arms: Rich Carb One

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#### **COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

Lobster: Andy Agoos & Frank Krens Golf: : Mike Magill 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.rotarv.org

**RI President:** 

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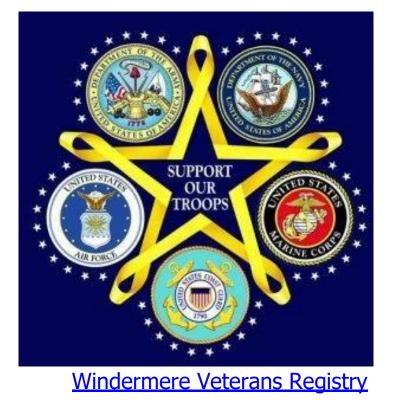
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## Rotary Club of Windermere

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

## 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

Rotary Club of Windermere

\*Scheduled Events for our Club to Add to your Calendar\*



Saturday, May 4<sup>TH</sup>

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

"If you don't vote, you lose the right to complain."

George Carlin

## <sup>'</sup>Tis Election Day in Windermere

## **Town candidates**

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Liz Andert. Andert, a six-year resident from Minnesota with a background in communications and marketing, said she decided to run because she understands how development and traffic can affect an area after having owned a business in downtown Winter Park. Andert emphasized her top priority would be natural resources and to improve the town's external communications.

Mike Hargreaves. Hargreaves, a three-year resident who owns a security company, decided to run because he is familiar with the cutthrough traffic and speeding issues plaguing the town and he hopes to delve into the issue and help find a feasible solution if he gets elected.

He said he would endeavor to take care of the budget and "see where they could skim" to redistribute funding for town projects.

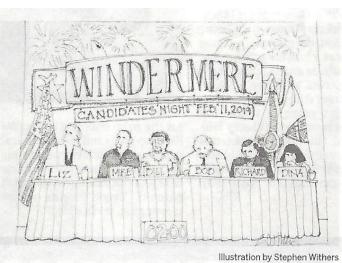
Bill Martini. Martini, a 22-year resident employed as a finance

specialist for Florida and a Realtor, decided to run because he is impressed by the level of volunteerism in the town. Resident safety and ensuring the town invests in better town facilities are his top priorities, he said.

**Bob McKinley.** Incumbent candidate McKinley, a 10-year resident with 45 years of management experience and four years on the council, emphasized his passion for the community and his value to the council. McKinley said he has worked to improve communication between the council and residents and hopes to prioritize the maintenance of the town's sidewalks, roadways and town facilities.

Richard Montgomery. Eight-year resident Montgomery, an incum-

bent candidate and newcomer to the council, said his biggest contribution is his recent experience on the council. If re-elected, he aims to have the five-year Capital Improvement Plan re-evaluated.



The election will be held on March 12.

**Dina Pryor.** Pryor, a four-year resident with 30 years of experience in retail management, decided to run because she has many ideas to help the town and firmly promised to work hard to get things done.

#### THE CHALLENGES

All candidates cited the issue of cut-through traffic and acknowledged the town's limitations regarding a solution as a top challenge.

"There's nothing we can do about the traffic," Martini said. "We are a geographic anomaly, but we've got to do what we can to keep our residents safe."

Montgomery also mentioned the costly challenge of bringing sewer water services to the town. McKinley shared his thought on the town's fiscal challenges and how they relate to other challenges.

Regarding solutions, Andert emphasized a need for communication with neighboring communities and affected residents. Pryor agreed, emphasizing if the town chooses to use barricades to deadend residential streets, it should be decided by residents.

## AND IF YOU WANT TO READ THE INTERVIEWS WITH THE CANDIDATES BY THE OBSERVER CHECK OUT THIS LINK:

<u>https://www.orangeobserver.com/article/meet-the-candidates-for-</u> windermere-town-council

## **OUR ROTARY FAMILY**

## 4 WAY TEST CONTEST AWARDS AT EDGEWOOD CHILDREN'S RANCH







## Karen & Don in Houston





Oops! I meant Alec! Johnson on winning Olympia Titan Water Polo team win St Andrews tournament The Windermere Parks and Recreation Committee was dog-tired, but delighted that the third annual Windermere PetFest was a howling success!

