



September 20, 2022



Meeting in the TownHall @ 6:54
& via Zoom except 4th Monday night social

Windermere Rotary Club

Weekly Roundabout

Quote of the Week: “What we need is not more Federal government, but better local government.”

Calvin Coolidge



The 4-Way Test

of things we do and say:

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?

Today's Program

Commissioner Nicole Wilson
District 1



Nicole Wilson has been living in West Orange County for over 20 years, raising her family and building a community here. Elected County Commissioner for District 1 in December of 2020, she is an environmental and land use lawyer passionate about civic engagement. She has seen District 1 grow from orange groves to homes. Commissioner Wilson has a BA from Mercer University and a Juris Doctorate from Barry University. She has served on the Orange County Community Action Board and Orange County Public Schools Leadership Orange Class of 2018. She is also a Former Girl Scout Troop Leader, Citrus Council, Founding Member Florida Rights of Nature Network, Founding Board Member Dolphin Education Fund at Lake Whitney Elementary, Former PTO President at Lake Whitney Elementary, Founder Lake Whitney Elementary Dolphin Dash 5k and remains heavily involved in the PTA. She currently lives in unincorporated Orange County with her husband, son, and two dogs while her two other children are off at college. She has made transparency and quality of life a priority doing weekly online office hours and bi-weekly BCC e-newsletter updates.

MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Greetings Windermere Rotary Family



It is my pleasure to serve as your 2022-2023 President.

Polio has been in the news of late. To encourage members to contribute to The Rotary Foundation's work to end polio, our district has established the Polio Plus Society of District 6980. To become a member of this society the district is asking members to commit to donating \$100 every year to the Polio Plus fund until the WHO certifies that polio has been fully eradicated. In addition to receiving a Polio Plus society membership pin (Rotary has a pin for every special thing), your donations qualify for Paul Harris recognition points. I'll bring along a supply of forms for interested members to complete to become society members. Also, you can donate by going to www.endpolio.org/donate.

And thanks to Frank Krens for authoring the article on our club that appeared in the fall edition of the Town of Windermere Gazette. Fall is kicking in with many activities:

- Orlando Health Windermere Run Among the Lakes on October 15
- The Windermere Police Foundation Bunk Build on October 8
- The Town's Halloween Parade on October 29
- Windermere Wine and Dine on November 5
- All Aboard the Polar Express on December 2
- And don't forget our Top Golf fundraiser coming up in November

Yours in Rotary Service - Jim

*“If you want to save your child from polio,
you can pray or you can inoculate....Try science.”*

Carl Sagan

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September 2022



Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
				Norma Sutton 34 yrs. Byron Sutton 51 yrs.	Farmers Market Windermere Frank Krens ♂	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	 Janet James Mahon ♂	Club Meeting 6:54 Guest Speaker Girish Sharma Don Hairston 6 yr		Diane Krens ♂	Farmers Market Windermere Warrior Weekend Concert	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Club Meeting 6:54 Guest Speaker Regiane Scoz-Cidral		Norma Sutton ♂ Joe Santangelo ♂	Farmers Market Windermere	
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		Club Meeting 6:54 Guest Speaker Nicole Wilson	Board Meeting 7 PM at Jim's	Edgewood Ranch Golf Tournament	Farmers Market Windermere Food Truck Night	Edgewood Ranch Picnic 11 am – 2 pm
25	26	27	28	29	30	OCT 1
Calvin Wimbish ♂	Happy Hour Burntwood Tavern All welcome!	No Meeting This AM			Farmers Market Windermere	

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NOTE: <https://m.dacdb.com/> Mobile District

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

District Governor: Andres Goyanes

Assistant Governor: Greg Gorski



Covid-19 Situation in numbers (by WHO Region)

Total as of September 18, 2022

Global 617 109 730 cases 6 530 626 deaths 1.06 % death rate

Global Population 7,973,000,000 est. cases 7.7 % of population

13 952 421 Currently Infected 99.7% Mild
40 225 Serious or Critical 0.3% Serious

Africa 12 634 916 cases 257 533 deaths

Americas 179 605 288 cases 2 861 416 deaths

Europe 224 626 436 cases 1 915 231 deaths

Asia 187 946 729 cases 1 476 003 deaths

US 97 495 561 cases 1 078 656 deaths 1.10 % death rate

Florida 7 135 414 cases 80 861 deaths 1.13 % death rate

Orange Co. 449 903 cases 3 077 deaths 0.68 % death rate

LATEST NEWS (Healthessentials)

Can you get COVID-19 multiple times? You might wonder how many times can you get COVID-19. That line from the movie [Mean Girls](#) comes to mind: The limit does not exist. "Think about it this way: There's no set number of how many colds you can get over your lifetime. I can't say, 'I've gotten a cold 10 times in my lifetime. There's no way I'm not going to get it 11 times,'" Dr. Duggal explains. "The same is true of COVID-19. If you get exposed to a new variant, the risk of reinfection is always there."

The reason is that while some viruses, like [chickenpox](#), stay relatively the same over time, the COVID-19 virus is more like the [flu virus](#). It's a master of self-preservation and mutation. After your body successfully fights off a variant of COVID-19, or gets the COVID-19 vaccine, your immune system can spot the offending virus when it tries to come back. It kicks out the virus like a bouncer on patrol for a troublesome club-hopper.

If that customer returns wearing sunglasses and a fake mustache a few months later, though, the bouncer may not recognize them and will open up the velvet ropes to usher them into the party. That's how it is when the COVID-19 virus mutates. It changes itself just enough to slip by your body's defenses undetected.

If you're vaccinated and following all the recommended safety measures, Dr. Duggal says your risk of reinfection is lower. And thankfully, if you get COVID-19 again, it's likely going to be less severe. "But we have to be mindful that having been infected doesn't give you immunity from other variants. You can't bank on that," he adds.

Vaccination Update as of September 16, 2022

4 938 668 940 fully vaccinated or **63.3 %** Worldwide

224 633 737 fully vaccinated or **68.2 %** US population

14 666 081 fully vaccinated or **69.1 %** Florida population

988 046 fully vaccinated or **74.7 %** Orange County

Latest News (Scientific American)

A new generation of COVID booster shots are now available to most people 12 years of age and older in the U.S. The Food and Drug Administration authorized new formulations of the Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech COVID vaccines for use as a single booster dose just a few weeks ago. That decision was quickly endorsed by an immunization advisory panel at the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The updated boosters target the newer, widely spread Omicron subvariants of the COVID-causing virus, BA.4 and BA.5, as well as the early 2020 form of the microbe, known as the ancestral strain. On the week ending on September 10, **BA.5 was estimated to be responsible for 87.5 percent of news infections** in the U.S. This is the first change for the Pfizer and Moderna shots since they were introduced two years ago, when they contained only genetic material from the ancestral form of the virus.

The new booster shots are expected to trigger a better immune response against the new subvariants. Clinical studies of similar two-part COVID boosters, as well as mouse research with these specific formulations, suggest that will be the case. Still, some scientists point out we have no hard evidence the new shots will provide longer-lasting protection than previous boosters. That's an issue because people are tired of frequent requests to get yet another shot. But the U.S. government is pushing for a rapid and wide rollout before an anticipated increase of cases in fall and winter months.

Club Information You Need to Know

Topic: Windermere Rotary Zoom Meeting (In Person and Zoom) Time: 07:00 AM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Sep 20, 2022 07:00 AM Sep 27, 2022 07:00 AM Oct 4, 2022 07:00 AM Oct 11, 2022 07:00 AM
Oct 18, 2022 07:00 AM Oct 25, 2022 07:00 AM Nov 1, 2022 07:00 AM Nov 8, 2022 07:00 AM
Nov 15, 2022 07:00 AM Nov 22, 2022 07:00 AM Nov 29, 2022 07:00 AM
Dec 6, 2022 07:00 AM Dec 13, 2022 07:00 AM Dec 20, 2022 07:00 AM

Please download and import the following iCalendar (.ics) files to your calendar system.

Weekly: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/tZAqc-uurjIqH9JG5cDVd3fB_k9GKF6WnoeS/ics?icsToken=98tyKuGsqT8oHNScsByBRpwIB4-ga-7ziFhfgvp3u0rmJxZXMQUUCekbFZlZRu_e

Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84742609056?pwd=FFV25fXQSjXwsNRd8liPE7c1lb3LDM.1>

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Rotary Club License Plates



Fellow Rotarians, as well as family and friends of Rotary, the new Florida Rotary Tag website is live. You can use this website to access the Orange County online voucher pre-sale system to reserve yours. Go to <http://www.floridarotarytag.com> to see it. We need to have 3,000 vouchers sold for it to go into production. Please start sharing this website with

everyone you know and remember you don't have to be a member of Rotary to get one! You can also buy a voucher through your local tag agency at your county's tax collector office. (This specialty license plate is only available for motor vehicles registered in the State of Florida)

Edgewood Children's Ranch Picnic

Rotary Club of Windermere is sponsoring a picnic for the kids at Edgewood on Saturday, September 24th from 11 am until 2 pm. We will have two water slide inflatables, food trucks, games and fun with the kids. We need all the help we can get to interact and make this a great days for them. So, put this on your calendar and come out to the Ranch to enjoy the day.

Can anyone volunteer to pick up and set up the Rotary tents at Edgewood?

Activity at Edgewood

FYI

Sign Up Now...

Edgewood Golf Tournament

**Thursday, September 22,
2022**

Shingle Creek Golf Club

8:00am Shotgun

7:00am Registration Begins

Foursome Including Hole Signage -

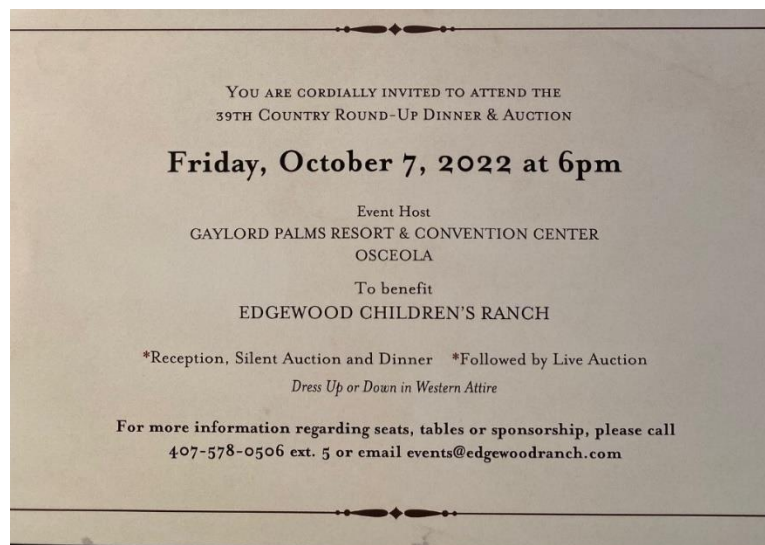
\$1,500.00

Individual Player - \$150.00

Continental Breakfast Provided

Lunch & Awards Immediately Following
Play

***For more information, to register or
sponsorship opportunities, please call
Kimberly at 407-295-2464 ext. 5 or email
events@edgewoodranch.com***



Edgewood Cabin Leaders



Thank you, Frank, for writing this article for the Windermere Gazette!

What & Who is the Rotary Club of Windermere



Rotary values diversity and celebrates the contributions of people of all backgrounds, regardless of their age, ethnicity, race, color, abilities, religion, creed, socioeconomic status, culture, sex, sexual orientation, and gender identity.

Our next major social / fundraiser event is TopGolf in November. We'd love to have you join us there and at our Tuesday meetings. Feel free to check out our club website at WindermereRotary.org and follow us on Instagram and Facebook for more updates.

We're a diverse group of professionals committed to high ethical standards and to making our community and the world a better place. Our first priority is serving our community - conducting youth programs at local elementary and high schools, supporting veterans causes and the Edgewood Children's Ranch, helping needy individuals and organizations, and making improvements and additions to Town facilities. We also support the global efforts of Rotary International, most notably the effort to eradicate polio worldwide.

Since our founding in 1969, we have met most Tuesday mornings in the Windermere Town Hall (currently with a Zoom option) for breakfast, fellowship, and programs of general interest. We meet periodically at Edgewood Thornebrooke Elementary schools and at Edgewood Children's Ranch for essay contests on the Rotary Four-Way Test and elsewhere for socials and events. We are associated with 48 other Rotary Clubs in Central Florida and with the 46,000 clubs and their 1.4 million members in 200 countries.

Membership in Rotary provides opportunities for community involvement, personal development, professional networking, and friendship. Most agree that the best part is the satisfaction gained from making a real difference in the world.



OUR ROTARY FAMILY

**Tom & Andrea
in California
at Nixon Library &
Sunset Beach!**





Regiane spoke to us last week about the education system in Brazil (and did a great job)!



Norma & Byron at Camaraderie Fundraiser at the Signia Hilton



Edgewater High School Interact club raised \$600 for the school's Agricultural Department by charging \$20 each to name the 30 chickens donated to the school by 4Roots, an alliance of community stakeholders investing in healthy sustainable agriculture.

The Edgewater Interact Club helped clean up and add space for the new chickens. The chickens are cared for by the Agricultural students and teachers and eggs are distributed throughout the community.

This is Frank's granddaughter, President of the Interact Club.

