



Tampa Interbay Rotary

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**THIS WEEK: NO MEETING. INSTALLATION BANQUET
AT TAMPA YACHT & COUNTRY CLUB
THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 6:30PM**

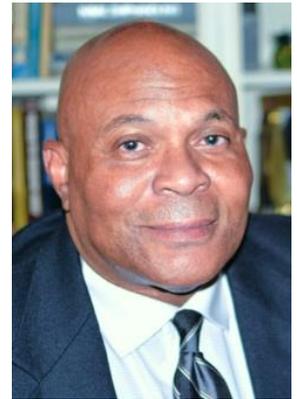
**NEXT MEETING: THURSDAY, JUNE 23 - 12:15 P.M.
THE CENTRE CLUB, 123 S. WEST SHORE BLVD., TAMPA**

Next Week's Speaker:

Stanley Gray, a candidate for the School Board of Hillsborough County, is a graduate of The United States Naval Academy, commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps. He served in Training, Infantry, Artillery, Ceremonial and Reconnaissance units where he commanded four companies for over four years. For his service, he was awarded several personal awards for both merit and leadership.

Stanley worked for 12 years in the Human Resources field for several Corporate 100 Organizations; over seven years at the Director or V.P. Level. In 2001 he established his own H.R. Practice that revolved around Labor, Organizational effectiveness, Organizational Development and Executive Search. He also developed a commercial real estate investment firm that provided housing for renters in the Tampa/ St. Petersburg area.

In Tampa he has served on the Board and Executive Committee for the YMCA, The Boys and Girls Clubs and Hillsborough Kids. He has mentored a host of high school students. Additionally he founded On Track (ontracktampa.com), a tax-exempt organization which will provide coordinated learning instruction and appropriate mentoring to augment and assist with the curriculum at Lanier Elementary School, Monroe Middle School and Robinson High School.



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UPCOMING PROGRAMS & EVENTS

- Jun 16** No Lunch meeting; Evening Interbay Rotary Installation Banquet at Tampa Yacht & Country Club
- Jun 23** Stanley Gray, candidate for Hillsborough County School Board
- Jun 30** Joe Tomaino, Christo Rey
- Jul 7** No Lunch meeting. Possible Social.
- Jul 14** Don Fell, Economist - A look at economic reality in an election year
- Jul 21** Susana Weymouth, Executive Director, Tampa Bay Businesses for Culture & the Arts
- Jul 28** Bring Your Kids and Grandkids to Rotary. More info coming

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Recap of the June 9th Tampa Interbay Rotary Club Meeting by Steve Kauffman

In the absence of President Ken Hopkins and incoming President Valdes, Steve Cooper welcomed us to another Interbay Rotary Club meeting. He invited Bob Krueger to led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Rotary Four Way Test.

Ted Hamilton shared the reflection and invocation: “There is a story about a group of shipwrecked people adrift on a long, narrow lifeboat. The boat is so long that people in the front think of themselves as the ‘front’ people and those in the back as the ‘back’ people. One day the front of the boat develops an uncontrollable leak. A man in the back says to the woman next to him, ‘Thank God that leak is in the front. If it were in the back we’d be doomed.’

“My friends, sometimes we forget that we’re all in the same boat. A serious threat on one part of the world is a serious threat to every part. Martin Luther King put it this way: ‘We must learn to live together as brothers or perish together as fools.’ Amen”

All enjoyed fellowship and the meal.

We had one guest, Rotarian Mr. Ross Bender of North Carolina.

Happy Dollars included the following:

- Jim Crews was in a generally festive mood and reminded all of us that he would appreciate hearing from us regarding the Installation Banquet at the Tampa Yacht and Country Club next Thursday. Don’t miss it!
- Chuck had kudos for all those involved in the Golf Tournament on Memorial Day Weekend. Everyone enjoyed the day. There were plenty of prizes and lots of fun for everyone.
- Rainer stepped up and dropped \$65 bucks in the hat. Happy Birthday! He shared that all things are go for the S4TL event and that he would welcome our attendance at the event on June 20-21.
- Margaret Roset was celebrating her daughter’s graduation – from 5th grade! Margaret, you have a long way to go!
- Not to be left out, Steve Cooper stepped up and dropped \$67 in the hat. Nothing says Happy Birth-day like a big donation to Rotary! Thanks, Steve!

Ted Hamilton reminded us that he is always on the hunt for good speakers. He reported that Rotarian Walt Woolf had pointed him in the direction of our speaker today.

Ted then proceeded to introduce our speaker, Andrew T. Huse, who is a Librarian with the University of South Florida Special Collections Dept. We all realized Andrew would be warmly welcomed and followed carefully when Ted explained that he lectures across the state Florida on food and food ways! He is our kinda guy, don’t you think?



It should be noted that Andrew has written extensively in magazines and newspapers, including Creative Loafing and Cigar City Magazine. He has authored two books, “Columbia Restaurant: celebrating a century of history, culture and cuisine” (2009) and “Seabreeze by the Bay Cookbook: recipes from our kitchen to yours” (2001).

Andrew’s topic today was the History of Tampa from the Perspective of the Hospitality Business. He began his remarks by stating that “food has been the ‘Trojan Horse’ of history.” Wars were fought, Unions and Strikers were inspired, legislation passed and reputations established and destroyed by what and where people ate and drank. Indeed!

He reminded us that Tampa was no exception to this rule. One hundred and twenty years ago, the great divide was between Central Avenue and Ybor. Latin “new comers” were spicing up Tampa, raising questions related to taxation, Sunday blue laws and the Café Culture.

Andrew provided wonderful old pictures of Tampa restaurants from 100 years ago, and spoke of Smith Dairy Kitchen, Columbia and Seabreeze. Issues of the place of women and unions in the food world would lead to tension and even violence. Interestingly, Unions came with the Latins, and with unions came a prohibition on women working in food and drinking establishments.

In Tampa, prohibition was a miserable failure. Besides raising the price of liquor and lowering its quality, the “Noble Experiment” exacerbated Tampa’s wide-open moral conditions, corrupted law enforcement and other public officials, and fostered the growth of an emerging criminal element.

Andrew will publish a new book shortly about the history of Tampa as seen through its hospitality business – food, liquor and lodging industries.

There was \$115 in the raffle pot. Andrew drew Doug Smaus’ number. Alas, no joker! See you all at the Installation Banquet next Thursday evening!

Happy Events

There are no Tampa Interbay Rotary anniversaries or birthdays to celebrate this week.

Celebrate!! ... your birthday, wedding anniversary, spouse or child's birthday, etc. by contributing \$1 for each year to the Rotary Foundation. Make your donation via cash or check, payable to Tampa Interbay Rotary (put "Rotary Foundation" in the memo line) and give it to Arlin Beachy or mail it to P.O. Box 320843 Tampa 33679-2843.

Thanks so much!

Events & Activities

Ongoing Club Activities

Meals On Wheels – Deliveries in South Tampa every Thursday

Interbay Rotary Socials - Monthly @ various venues

Interact Club @ Robinson High School – Dawn McPeak is our faculty liaison

Upcoming/Annual Club Events

Interbay Rotary Installation Banquet - June 16 at Tampa Yacht & Country Club

BBQ & Brew to benefit Starting Right, Now! - November 5

Metropolitan Ministries Food/Toy Drives - Two weeks prior to Thanksgiving & Christmas Holiday Party - December

Salvation Army Bell Ringing - December Speech Contest -TBA

Cycling For Autism 2017 – TBA

NJROTC pass and review (graduation) at Robinson HS - April

District Events

Rotary Day at the Races - March

District Speech Contest - April

District Conference - May

Health Tips from Preservion, Inc. *Keeping You "In the Know"* By Cindy A. Krueger, MPH

Our health guru is taking a pass this week, but will be back next week with more important info for us!

Minutarian from DG Tom Wagner

This week we applaud three of our members for representing our district at the Southland Young Professionals Summit in Atlanta this past weekend.



One hundred representatives from Zones 33 & 34 converged on the Georgia Tech Hotel & Conference Center for an intense two-day conference discussing the future of Rotary and were part of the process to discover what's working now, identify solutions to challenges, and amplify the positive experiences so that more young professionals can discover Rotary, and Rotary can continue to evolve and grow.

We thank Nathan Marvel & Daniel Martin of the Tampa Rotaract Club and Kathleen Novak of the Rotary Club of New Tampa for making the effort to attend this very, very important meeting. Some very interesting and important results came from this summit - Things that will shape the very future of Rotary.

If your club would like to hear more from these young professionals about their discoveries at this one-of-a-kind conference, please get in touch with me and we will help facilitate a visit to your club.

Plan now to attend the Membership and Public Image Seminar coming up on July 23rd at Imperial Swan Hotel in Lakeland. There is no cost to attend and this vital training will help you grow your club into the new year. Sign up today on www.DACdb.com.

I hope you have a wonderful week and a great club meeting!

Our life in pictures. You simply won't understand these if you're too young (under 40, 45?) ...

