



SUNRISE SALUTE

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News from the the Rotary Meeting of June 7, 2010



2009-10 RI Theme

Leading the Way At San—Lee

San-Lee Sunrise Rotary President Neal Jensen , opened the meeting with the 'Quote of the Week': "When someone tells you that nothing is impossible...ask them to dribble a football." - unknown source.

Nolan Williams led the Rotary invocation.

Martin Davis led the Pledge of Allegiance.

President Jensen led the 'Four Way Test' to close the meeting.



San-Lee Sunrise Rotarian Bill Ray (center) introduced Jimmy Haire (right) owner of Jimmy Haire Photo Studio and well-known local and regional historian, for a program of visual images of the history of the City of Sanford. Also pictured is San-Lee Sunrise Rotary President Neal Jensen.

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Good News

- Matt Garrett shared his mother's 80th birthday on June 8th and the fact that his mom still walks a mile a day.
- Nolan Williams shared his return from a vacation in Jamaica to celebrate his 32nd wedding anniversary. Nolan stated his trip was not impacted by the gang violence in Kingston, Jamaica.
- Charles Oldham shared his pride in his grandson Hemi's graduation from preschool. Hemi stated at his graduation that he wants to grow up to be an astronaut.
- Ashley Hinman announced he will present his talk on the U.S. response to 9/11 at Carolina Trace on June 30th.
- Ashley also announced his son has purchased, and is renovating, the second oldest home in the state of Maryland.
- Dave Merriman announced his grandson's graduation from high school, and Dave will be out of circulation for six weeks due to knee surgery.
- Paul Dauphin reported the 4th birthday of a grandson.
- Terry Mullen the graduation from kindergarten of a granddaughter.

Club News

- President Jensen presented a check to Susan Larsen with the National Fire Safety Council to continue a program of fire safety training in Lee County preschools.
- President Jensen described the graduation program at Grace Christian school where a San-Lee Sunrise scholarship was presented.
- A listing of San-Lee Sunrise charitable giving for the past four years was circulated to the membership.



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