

July 11, 2018

This Morning

This morning Mid-Bay Rotary President **Deb Fontaine** will host a Club Assembly. We look forward to hearing/review the goals/objectives Mid-Bay has instore for Rotary Year 2018-2019. We look forward to Deb’s leadership.

Last Meeting



We heard from Claire Jones from Niceville Sharing and Caring. Claire talked to us about their programs and recent activities. In 2017 food was provided to 7,461 people in need along financial assistance to 1,314 citizens. She empathized that Sharing and Caring will not turn away people without giving them food. Currently, they have 87 volunteers (Interviewers and Pantry Workers). Their current “fund raising” activity is “Tools for Schools.” Every week our Rotarians are tasked to provide a donation to Sharing & Caring. Accompanying Claire was Jack McAlister, one of the founders of the Niceville-Valparaiso-Choctaw-Beach Sharing and Caring. Both Claire and Jack shared notes of thanks from clients who were helped by Sharing and Caring and who are now on their own and are now donating to Sharing and Caring. Rotarian **Art Rosebaum** also shared his experiences as a volunteer Sharing and Caring Pantry Worker. We presented Sharing & Caring a check for \$500.00. **Art Rosenbaum** was Claire's sponsor.

Sharing and Caring

The Mid-Bay Rotary Club *Sharing and Caring* “Person at Bat” for the week of Jul 11th is **Richard Gal. The person “On Deck” is **Steve Gardner** for the week of Jul 18th. Focus on **non-perishable foods, disposable diapers, laundry detergent, shampoo, tooth brushes, etc., or cash.****

Future Activities, Programs, and Sponsors Mid-Bay Rotarian’s July Birthdays: Harold (Jul 8), Dave S (Jul 10), Dave U (Jul 23), and Tom O (Jul 29)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Program/Activity</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Jul 18	Sheriff Larry Ashley	Dave Swanick
Jul 25	TBD	Bob Boggs

We have a New Sheriff (Sgt at Arms)!

You can be fine exempt for the year by contributing \$50.

Mid-Bay Rotary Board and Directors for Rotary Year 2018-2019

 Deb Fontaine President	 Dave Swanick Vice President	 Steve Gardner Immediate Past President	 Tieah Kirk Pres Elect 2019-2020
 Rory Cahoon Secretary	 Denise Fitzpatrick Treasurer	 John Suerken Sgt at Arms	 Club Membership Dave Underwood
 Ron Moore Club Info	 Grant Belgard RI Foundation	 Bert Melnick Club Function	 Bob Hoffman Club Services

Rotary Prayer

Oh Lord, and giver of all good,
We thank Thee for our daily food.
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways,
Help to serve Thee all of our days.

Rotary’s Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say, or do,
Is it the **TRUTH**?
Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
Will it build **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

