

Gulf Breeze 3/1/2011

Last Week -

**Guests:**

Bob Bellavance, a former member and president of our club from Massachusetts. Roberta Cantor from Salem, Massachusetts. Oscar and Carol Carlson from Maryland. Charlie Harris, a former member of our club. Sally Trotter, also formerly a member of our club and currently a member of the Inner Wheel. Grayson McCormick, Melissa McCormick's youngest son, and a recent graduate from USF.

**Happy Bucks:**

**Carl Keltner** gave a happy buck because Melba Rilott agreed to buy \$100 of raffle tickets. **Carl** gave a happy buck because his daughter and son-in-law, and granddaughter, Calla, are visiting for a week from Chicago. **Bob Isham** gave a happy buck for the club buying some replacement Rotary pins. Ernie has them available in his jewelry shop. He also mentioned the St. Pete police officer that was killed last night. **Julie Scales** gave a happy buck for the really good ribs she had from Charlie Harris's restaurant, Twin Oaks. She had them at her book club. **Sally Trotter** gave a happy buck for the Inner Wheel Foundation which presented a Year of Achievement Award for the local club. **Mark Phillips** gave a happy buck for his time volunteering on Saturday selling raffle tickets for the Harley at the craft show. Also for his friend Scott Rogers who will be driving at the Charlotte Speedway. **Earl Tapley** gave a happy buck for two representatives of the University of Chicago who came down and took him to lunch and talked about the changes on campus.

**50/50 Raffle** Melba Rilott won \$4.

**Announcements:**

- Stephenie Fenton announced that Faith in Action was the Charity Basket recipient of the month. The club matches the donations.
- Jim Haley announced the Harley raffle sales were \$2,245 for the weekend, bringing the grand total to \$10,212. Wednesday there will be a car dealer auction and we will have volunteers there.
- Ray Kingsbury announced the Rotary International promotion for the anniversary of RI on February 23. They are offering double recognition for online donations for annual programs with a minimum donation of \$100. Details are at [rotary.org](http://rotary.org).

**The Program:**

Melba Rilott from the Inner Wheel Club of Dunedin spoke about the organization that was founded at the 1921 Rotary International convention as a Wives Auxiliary called the Rotary Annes. The name has now changed to Inner Wheel International, and is in 103 countries. The US group's major project is the myoelectric limb prosthesis. She shares some case examples of people that have been helped by the project. They have partnered with Hangar corporation. Hangar has established a program at St. Petersburg College, Clearwater Campus.

Next Week: Rob Dispirito, City Update  
Invocation: Becky Robbins-Penniman  
Joke: Sara Kessinger

