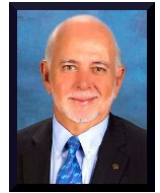




April Clark
District Governor
2018-2019



Barry Rassin
RI President
2018-2019

May 2, 2019 **Rotary Motto: Service Above Self**

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Larry Baldwin from Crystal Coast Waterkeeper® Focused on Protecting our Coasts and Sounds



Larry joined us to talk about his life as a Waterkeeper®, originally for the Neuse River and now for the Crystal Coast. He focused on two issues: drilling in our Atlantic waters and the effect of hog farms on the waters of Eastern North Carolina. First, drilling. Importantly, no drilling is “leak free”. There are currently 300 continuing leaks in the Gulf Coast. The oil settles on the bottom of the ocean in a sledge pool killing life on the ocean floor, and we don’t know how to clean it up. A spill in our waters is especially dangerous because of our proximity to the Gulf Stream – just 50 miles from shore and less from a drilling platform. Seismic blasting to locate oil destroys ocean life from the size of krill to whales. It’s thousands of times louder than any other noise in the water. There are over 500,000 commercial fishermen on the east coast at risk of losing their occupations.

Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations (CAFOs) have largely replaced family hog farms, polluting the land and waters and causing fish kills in our local rivers. Humans are also affected with respiratory illnesses and contaminated drinking water. Waste water treatment plants are the solution, but there’s no economic or legal reason for companies like Smithfield’s, a Chinese company, to build them.



Ace of Spades - \$544
Winner gets \$272
Only 32 cards left!

Happy Birthday!

May 09.....Jim Gregson
May 27.....Dave Lindsay

Program Schedule for April and May 2019

May 2.....James Walker
May 9.....Neil Whitford
May 16.....David Bradley
May 23.....Jim Chalk
May 30.....Win Chalk

Drawing for the Ace of Spades by a special guest: Carter Johnson, Rick and Barbara’s grandson



2018-2019 Club Officers

President.....Jim Gregson
President-Elect.....Johnny Thompson
President-Nominee.....Steve Smith
Secretary.....Johnny Thompson
Treasurer.....Jim Garner
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Gerald Renfrow
Past President.....Rick Johnson

Club Committee Chairs

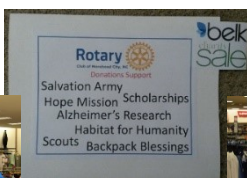
Bulletin Editor.....Carolyn Perrigo
Club Administration....Darden Eure, Jr
Fund Raising.....Dean McDonald
Membership.....Steve Smith
Public Image.....Dick Rogers
Rotary Foundation....James Walker, Jr
Scholarship.....Stanley Harrell
Service Projects.....David Bradley

Belk Charity Sale: Mar 27 – May 4

MHC Rotary
Served on:

Mar 27, Apr 3,
Apr 18, 24 & May 1

Special Thank You to Dick Rogers who organized the events and worked them!



**Need you to
Serve on:
May 4**

