



The Spoke

Rotarian of the Year Bob Lombardo



Stephanie cited the accomplishments of this year's Rotarian of the Year, **Bob Lombardo**. He and his wife have hosted several Rotary socials, he has conducted the annual mini-golf for Gift of Life, went to Honduras to deliver wheelchairs, and has agreed to be club Treasurer next year.

Stephanie's Special Award



Stephanie made a special presentation to **Greg Holtz**, Spoke editor, for his dedication in preparing The Spoke each week. In addition to the Spoke, Greg is also a club director.

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STEPHANIE'S LAST STAND



member **Kae Moore** led the 4-Way Test.

Dale Timble and **Jon McLeod** led the singing of *Stand By Me*.



Brian Olitsky says there is still time to become a sponsor and T-shirt name for the Starspangled 5K. Also, he is looking for sign-ups for runners and walkers for the 4th of July event.

Jim O'Leary reminded that Tuesday, June 11th would be the election for Foundation Directors.

Chris Riesen introduced our speaker, **Patrick Nolan**, Fox4 anchor for 6,10, and 11pm news. Patrick told us of his quest and



experience as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar in Australia after graduation from UF.

He says the time in Australia was important in widening his view of the world and he has a lot of gratitude toward

Rotary for the experience. He claimed this was the earliest Rotary meeting he had ever visited.

Patrick's career philosophy is "keep showing up and sooner or later a good opportunity will home along." He started his TV career in Selma, AL which was "more culture shock than going to Australia."

His other stops were Panama City, FL, West Palm Beach, FL, and Houston, Tx. "You have to be willing to move. I've always liked the adventure of where the industry has taken me."

He noted there has been a lot of change in the business. When he started here there was one news broadcast at 10pm. Now there is news at 6, 10, and 11 pm plus four hours in the morning.

Media has discovered how to pinpoint audience interests. The changing speed of interaction now requires that he be on FaceBook 100% of the time getting viewer reaction on-line in real time.



Installation and Awards Banquet



**"The Fifty-Fifty" NOW \$3,710
Aw shucks, Jim Dati drew the K♦ to win
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As always..we're all winners as the "Fifty-Fifty" helps keep our club strong and ready to serve.

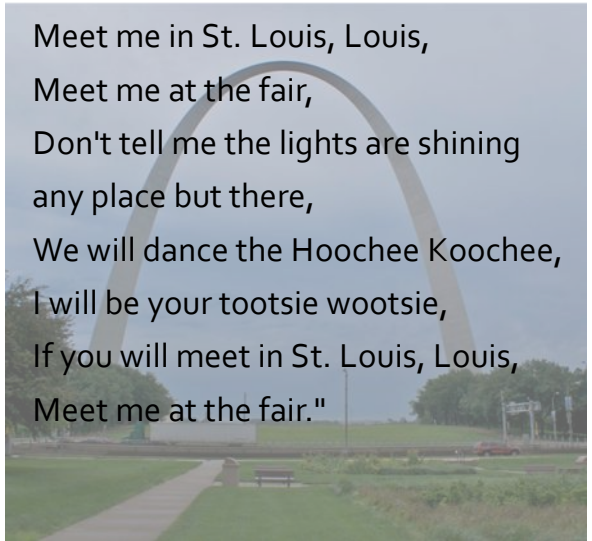
It's A Birthday Celebration!



None to Report

Rotary Sings Meet Me in St Louis

Meet me in St. Louis, Louis,
Meet me at the fair,
Don't tell me the lights are shining
any place but there,
We will dance the Hoochee Koochee,
I will be your tootsie wootsie,
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**The 4-Way Test
of things we think, say or do.**

**Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
Will it build GOODWILL and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all CONCERNED?**