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Frank Lloyd Wright’s “Child of the Sun”, Florida Southern College

by RoBERTa Rauch



On a beautiful Florida Spring day (February 19th), fourteen FSMGCC members and two NAMGAR friends from Pennsylvania gathered in Lakeland at Florida Southern College. This campus has the distinction of being the largest collection of Frank Lloyd Wright architecture in the world. Our tour of the “Child of the Sun” collection, as Florida Southern College is known, was ably led by volunteer Jeff Payne. He skillfully blended real Florida Southern College history with Frank Lloyd Wright history and folklore, making the 2-hour tour go by all too fast. Our own Member Irbye Giddens and

friend Cleona, both Lakeland natives, augmented Jeff’s narrative with colorful anecdotes and recollections of the construction of the structures, completed over the period 1941-1958.

Frank Lloyd Wright was renowned as the world’s most imaginative architect. “...His organic architecture joined the structures with the earth, in this case with the rolling hills of orange groves.” We were all interested to see his concrete stylized renditions of orange trees all over campus from the esplanades to the E. Watson-Benjamin Fine Administrative Building and many locations along the way. The colorful William H. Danforth Chapel is a miniature cathedral shaped like the prow of a ship. This building contains the original pews and



cushions, designed by Wright and constructed by industrial arts students and home economic classes. Some of the campus construction was actually done by student labor

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in exchange for tuition.

We were impressed to see the campus centerpiece the Water Dome, designed by Wright, in action. This huge fountain is a perfect circle 160 feet across, propelling water spouts 45 feet into the air, creating a spectacular "water dome".

At the end of the tour, we sat in chairs in the original library to hear Jeff's concluding remarks. We all thanked him heartily for his efforts which were both entertaining and educational. Our Club is making a donation to the Maintenance & Restoration Fund of Florida Southern College.



We then drove in caravan into Lakeland, around its swan-filled lake, to Molly McHugh's, an Irish Pub. The traditional pub libations were available as well as dart board and pool table. However, our lunch came "take-away" from the kitchen across the street! Is this an Irish custom? No matter... lunch was very tasty.

After lunch everyone headed home, some stopping for strawberry shortcake in Plant City, the Strawberry Capital of the World. This fine day of fellowship was fun, educational and entertaining, thanks to Jeff Payne, Irbye Giddens and all those who went. "It's gotta be fun!"



Ted's chrome bumper to chrome bumper adventure

By Ted Badger

At about age ten, I was crawling on my back, through the grass. The ground was cool and damp. I was crawling under a 1953 flat head Ford. My father handed me an open end – box end wrench and explained how to disassemble the universal joint at the rear of the transmission. He then pointed to the universal located at the other end of the drive shaft and said, that one is the same, go take it apart. I remember excitement, running through my veins, anticipating a successful disassembling. I knew then that I was hooked on cars and destined to become a "backyard mechanic". Working on cars over the next few years with my father and listening to him discuss cars, which he had owned; with my uncle I knew that I would one day pursue a restoration.



I purchased my 1965 MGB during the early 80's. I drove it, recreationally, for a couple of years before putting it into storage, waiting for the time that I could begin the restoration.



The restoration, for me, has been an historic journey. I began, 4+ years ago, by disassembling bagging and labeling every part. As a backyard mechanic I did not feel qualified to attempt body work and painting, so I turned the stripped shell (body) over to Glenn's MGs for restoring and painting. Glenn's did a 1st class job with the body restoration and I have enjoyed a great relationship with everyone at Glenn's shop since that time.

The remainder of the restoration has been my own doing. I am working to retain as much of the original metal as possible. I strip and zinc all nuts, bolts and washers. I restore all original parts that I deem



restorable and replace those that I can not with new parts. I currently have all body, glass and trim parts replaced. I have replaced the wiring harness and have nearly everything connected. I have restored and reconstructed all suspension, steering, and everything underneath the car with the exception of the exhaust system, which is partially installed. The interior is layed in but not installed. I am currently working on the engine and carburetors, which I am thoroughly enjoying.

I anticipate completing the project sometime within the next year, but I realize it may take longer. I'm not really in any hurry.

The journey this far has been everything that I had expected it to be. From my perspective, restoring a car is by no means a wise financial investment. It is however a rewarding personal investment. The knowledge that I have gained, the friendships that I have formed and the pleasure of watching a vehicle turn into something that is arguably a work of art is a tremendous return on my investment.

More Room in the Trunk

By John Lester

In my MGB, the spare wheel seems to take up a great deal of room which I could use better for my Golf Clubs, Spare Parts, etc, etc etc.

So I went and bought a compact spare or a "donut".



On "The MG Experience" www.mgexperience.net there is a list of cars with the same bolt pattern, 4 on 4 1/2, as the MGB. The best car is probably the Honda Accord from 1990 to present for a used compact spare. I found mine at Langstons Used Auto Parts for \$ 50 including Tire. Turn it upside down so you get a large

March 2011 Fellowship

March Anniversaries:

March 1	Michael & Terri Milligan
March 13	Lee & Jennifer Robertson
March 15	John & Ann Suter
March 17	Jim & Sharon Alonso
March 28	Mike & Karen Silvernail

March Birthdays:

March 2	Laura Lee Rice
March 5	Ted Goleskie
March 7	John Longo
March 8	Ted Badger
March 8	Karen Silvernail
March 10	Bert Rauch
March 11	John Lester
March 11	Kelli Pillsbury
March 13	Chester Baumgartner
March 14	Marie Terlop
March 17	Kathy Dailey
March 17	Patricia Taylor
March 20	Tim Kasprzyk
March 21	Angie Joseph
March 23	Jay Waldo
March 27	Ann Suter
March 29	Bernie McEntegart
March 30	Chuck Helt
March 31	Norris Williams

Fellowship News

Harry Britton is recovering from kidney surgery. Patricia Soler is responding positively since her stem cell transplant on February 1. Don & Phyllis Graham have moved to their new "digs". They now reside at 2701 Regency Oaks Blvd. Apt 505, Clearwater, FL 33759.

hole for all your junk, buy a short bolt and a really big washer and bolt it down to the trunk floor. You might find it cheaper if you shop around the junk yards. Buy it with the Tire on as tires are expensive from a tire store and forget buying it from a Honda dealer as this is really expensive. Also do not forget to match the size with your existing tires, mine were 14" so I bought a 14" donut.

As you can see from the pictures you do get a lot more room in the trunk for all that stuff that you cannot live without!!!



The Florida Suncoast MG Car Club Monthly Minutes Summary February 9, 2011

President Glenn Lenhard called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m. and welcomed new members Joy & Bill Curnoe. Bill spoke about his passion for MGs.

Glenn also acknowledged Delmas & Polly Greene and John Picot from the Alfa Club. Delmas invited our Club members to participate in some of their Club's upcoming events:

Sunday, 2/27 – Polo match at the Sarasota Polo Club. Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$12 at the gate. Plan on arriving before 11 a.m. in order to park together

3/11 – 3/12 – Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance at the Ritz Carlton.

10/11 – Picnic at Fort DeSoto

Information on these events can be found on our Club's website.

Secretary's Report & Treasurer's Report: These reports were approved as presented.

Membership Report: There are currently 64 member/families.

Regalia: If anyone wants name badges, shirts, or other regalia, contact Barrie Carson.

Past Activities:

January 15th – "Train to Nowhere" Parrish, FL – Walter Bumby reported that it was a great event and attendees learned a great deal about the history of the trains. They sat in the open car and enjoyed looking at the scenery. The repair yard where volunteers were restoring a Pullman car was very interesting.

January 22, 2011 – Breakfast at the Hilton Garden Inn hosted by Lorrie & Jack Maniscalco followed by a tour of Ybor City. Awesome, terrific, informative, and very good, were some of the comments made by those who attended this event

Future Activities: Glenn briefly read off the list of events:

February 19th – Florida Southern College Tour

March 12th – Fun rallye to The Stanford Inn in Bartow for tea/brunch – Rick Bucchino –.

March 20th - The New Orleans British Car Day will be held on the Delgado Community College City Park Campus. Check out the website: <http://www.bmcno.org/Show10/Carshow10.htm>

April 2nd – All British Car Show at Mead Gardens in Winter Park

April 8 – 10th – GOF South 2011 at Weeki Wachee, FL sponsored by the Nature Coast English Car Club/Suncoast Classic MG Club. A motion was approved to have the Club donate a raffle item.

April 9th – 3rd Annual British Motor Classic Car Show to be held at the Davis Islands Seaplane Basin Park on the grounds of the Peter O. Knight Airport in Tampa

April 23rd- "Wheels Across the Pond", at Carlin Park in Jupiter, Florida. For more information, check out the event's website: <http://www.wheelsacrossthepond.com/>

Breakfast Club:

February 26th – hosted by Gail & Glenn Lenhard – 9:00 a.m. at The Hangar Restaurant & Flight Lounge, Albert Whitted Airport, 540 1st St SE, St Petersburg, 33701, 727-823-7767.

March 19th – hosted by Lorraine Spicer & Barrie Carson – at Boris Family Restaurant 11411 Ulmerton Road, Largo, 727-559-7986. This restaurant is down the road from Heritage Village which will be having a Quilting Display that weekend.

April – Jean & Dennis Magee

Fellowship: Pat Soler underwent a successful stem cell transplant from her sister who was a perfect match. Don & Phyllis Graham have settled into their new place and recently sold their home.

Newsletter: Deadline for articles is February 20th.

Old Business: North East High School Project – Bruce said that there wasn't anything new to report. He has left messages with Don Muhleman but has not heard back from him.

Glenn asked for a volunteer to replace Dave Tietz.

New Business:

Dennis Magee said that he received an email from Lee & Liz Niner - NAMGAR Chapter & Interest Group Contacts Coordinators who suggested that our Club become an affiliate. They require at least five Club members to belong to NAMAR and offer many benefits to their affiliate Clubs. Dennis will forward the email to Gail for follow-up.

Dennis will set up a date in May, in lieu of a Breakfast Club event, to have dinner and honor Jack & Lorrie Maniscalco at the Tilted Kilt.

Glenn and Gail have just returned from the 9th British Motor Trade Association Annual Conference which was hosted by Classic Motorsports in Daytona. About 35 British cars were on display at Classic Motorsports. Joe Curto spoke to the group about SU carburetors. Glenn said that the purpose of the BMTA, which is an international group of British car businesses, was to "keep the hobby going". It has been instrumental in getting parts quality up.

Announcements: Derek Kirby won the 50 – 50 Raffle.

The meeting adjourned at 8:38 p.m.

Gail Lenhard, Secretary



FSMGCC
Activities



Bold Type = FSMGCC Sponsored Events

March

4,5 & 6: Sebring Vintage Car racing

5: Tampa Bay British Car Club -Carl & Donna Tela have put the final touches on the Dade City run. March 5 the Pinellas group is meeting at the McDonalds on McMullen Booth and Enterprise and leaving at 9:00AM, and traveling to McDonalds at SR52 and US41. The run will start at 10:45 to 11:00. This would put us back to the restaurant at around 12:30 to 1:00 with one break in the ride for photos. The monthly car show / cruse in is the same day. And that evening is Jazz nights at the Garden Cafe! Enjoy live jazz music from the Valerie Gillespie Ensemble and a special dinner menu 6pm-9pm. Reservations fill up fast so call ahead to reserve your table. The Garden Cafe is located at 14227 7th Street in Historic Downtown Dade City. 352-567-7277. Carl Needs a head count for the lunch restaurant and parking. Please RSVP carl at cdsboats@tampabay.rr.com

9: Regular Business Meeting at Stoneybrook Pub, Aircro Golf Club, 13690 Stoneybrook Dr. Clearwater Telephone: 727-573-6039, 7:30 p.m. Dinner starts at 6 pm.

11: 2nd Friday Cruise In, Safety Harbor - Taste Safety Harbor Cruise In 6:00 PM - 8:00PM Sponsored by Taste Cafe, Main Street, Safety Harbor 727-723-1116. Drive your Classic Car and receive a free beer or glass of wine.

12: Bartow Fun Run -Road Rally from Bradenton to Bartow, lunch at the Stanford Inn, English B&B, then on to Ellenton. See page 9 for flyer. Mandatory RSVP by 10 PM on March 6th required.

13:Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance 2011 at the Ritz-Carlton and The Golf Club of Amelia Island at Summer Beach. This event is known as one of the nation's most ground-breaking vintage automotive events both in design and innovation. Last year, over 250 cars from seven countries participated.

19: Breakfast Club hosted by Lorraine Spicer & Barrie Carson – at Boris Family Restaurant 11411 Ulmerton Road, Largo, 727-559-7986. Breakfast will be followed by a visit to Heritage Village, located at 11909 125th Street N., Largo, FL 33774. Heritage Village will be having a National Quilting Day Celebration from 10 am to 3 pm. Hands-on activities for adults and children along with demonstrations, lectures and exhibits from area guilds will engage visitors in many new aspects of this historic American craft.

19: Pilgrimage Day Car Show at the Masonic Home, St Petersburg.

19: Cars and Coffee.duPont Publishing Headquarters West Parking Lot 3051 Tech Drive St. Petersburg, FL 33716 7 AM – 9AM For info contact Alan Morin at 800-233-1731 or e-mail amorin@duPontRegistry.com

25-27: Grand Prix of St Petersburg

April

2: The 27th Annual All British Car Show at Mead Gardens in Winter Park. This beautiful park setting offers convenience, shade trees, and excellent restrooms, making the show great fun for the entire family. For additional information or questions, contact Rick Frazee at mog4@earthlink.net or 407-620-0507.

8 – 10: Suncoast Classic MG Car Club presents: The 45th Anniversary GOF South at the City of the Mermaids, Weeki Wachee Florida. This show is highly recommended for our members to attend. See

their website for complete details: www.gofsouth.com. Participate in a Golf Tournament on Friday or canoe the crystal clear Weeki Wachee River. Dinner and dancing will be held on Friday night. MG display and banquet will be at the Hernando Beach Club on the Gulf of Mexico.

9: 3rd Annual British Motor Classic Car Show to be held at the Davis Islands Seaplane Basin Park on the grounds of the Peter O. Knight Airport. In addition to the car show, there are Classic Show airplanes on the closed airfield. Truly a unique show that offers free entertainment and food for the whole family. This is a "must" show to attend and one that promises fun and excitement for all.

13: **Regular Business Meeting at Stoneybrook Pub, Airco Golf Club, 13690 Stoneybrook Dr. Clearwater Telephone: 727-573-6039, 7:30 p.m.**

16: **Breakfast Club at Taste Café' 9 AM., 500 Main St. Safety Harbor, followed by free Tour and Presentation at SYD ENTEL GALLERIES, 247 Main St. Safety Harbor, followed by optional Safety Harbor Grapefruit Festival (additional details will be forthcoming).**

Florida Suncoast MG Car Club

Breakfast Club

April 16, 2011 9 am

At

Taste Café'

500 Main St. Safety Harbor



Followed by

**Tour and Presentation at
SYD ENTEL GALLERIES
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Followed by

Safety Harbor Grapefruit Legacy Fest

This festival celebrates the fact that the first grapefruit ever planted in Florida was on the plantation of Odet Philippe. Day's activities will be family fun and include ceremonial tribute to Philippe, children's games and activities, fun-run, and of course lots of menu items from area restaurants centering on grapefruit.



Please RSVP by April 14 Dennis Magee dmagee@ij.net 727-726-1273

Enjoy Lunch and Tea at the beautiful Stanford Inn in Bartow! And a drive on the Tail of the Gecko!



Meet the Tail of the Dragon's Little Friend

Florida may not have mountains, canyons and the ultimate twisty roads, but what it does have is some of the country's best driving weather when the rest of the country can't figure out how they're going to get their car dug out of the snow.

This twisty gem is tucked away in the middle of the state and has a personality all its own. Kind of like that little reptile that is always trying to sell you insurance, this guy's busy trying to get you to get out and drive your LBC!

BARTOW FUN RUN 2011



**Florida Suncoast MG Car Club
presents**

Bartow Fun Run Saturday, March 12, 2011



Please join us for a fun run to The Stanford Inn and Tea Room in Bartow, FL. We will begin with instructions for the drive to the inn on flip cards along with questions to be answered by hints given along the way. After a stop for lunch at the Stanford Inn, we will begin part two of the fun run and end at the historic Gamble Mansion in Ellenton, FL. We will have refreshments and snacks provided in a beautiful shaded picnic area at the mansion. We will present some fun awards to the car with the most correct answers to the questions we provide in the instructions.

Highlights

- Part one of the trip is 67 miles along rural roads—sometimes twisty!
- Stanford Inn for lunch (see website for menu: www.thestanfordinn.com)
- Part two is 72 miles along some different roads, including Tail of the Gecko!
- End at the Historic Gamble Mansion for presentations and refreshments.

Please note:

- It is recommended to have a "navigator" for this fun run, although you can participate by following another car. GPS devices are welcome.
- This is not a race nor a timed event—just a fun trip to a great B&B while touring some interesting rural roads.

RSVP to Rick Bucchino by March 6th!!

Email: rbucchino@verizon.net
Phone: 941-708-9213

GOF South XLV REGISTRATION FORM

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Friday Evening Treasure Chest Buffet with Live Entertainment \$20.00 pp x # Attending = \$ _____
 Buffet featuring Cottage Pie, Pilapia with Herb Rice, Vegetables, Tossed Green Salad, Rolls, 45th Anniversary Cake, Coffee & Iced Tea followed by dancing to the sounds of light jazz of Cameron Decker
 B.Y.O.B. Set ups will be provided.

- Saturday Afternoon WINE & CHEESE GATHERING
 Wine with Cheese, Fruit and Cracker appetizers will be served by the Hotel Pool
- Saturday Evening AWARDS BANQUET and Trophy Presentation
 Buffet featuring Roast Beef Carving Station, Roast Pork Loin with Gravy, Mixed Greens with Raspberry Vinaigrette Dressing, Potatoes Au Gratin, Shredded Carrots, Homemade Yeast Rolls, Fresh Brewed Coffee & Iced Tea, Coconut Custard Pie, Cash Bar Champagne to toast the winner will be provided.
- Hospitality Room with snacks and beverages throughout the event.

MG REGISTRATION

Registration is for one car and includes fresh made to order sub from the Mermaid Snack Shack Club Chef Terry and his helpers will be ready to take your order for a fresh sub made to your liking. Water will be provided. The Beach Club bar will be open for your choice of beverage as a Cash Bar.

Registration cost is: \$40.00 for 2 people \$35.00 for 1 person # Attending _____ = \$ _____
 Additional lunch will be available for \$6.00 per person. # Attending _____ = \$ _____
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 No Charge

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REGALIA: Items are pre-order only. Must have order in by March 4, 2011

_____ GOF South XLV T-Shirt (digital printed) @ \$12.50 ea. = \$ _____
 Sm _____ Med _____ Lg _____ XL _____ 2X _____
 # _____ GOF South XLV Golf Shirt (digital printed) @ \$22.50 ea. (2X - \$25.00 ea.) = \$ _____
 Sm _____ Med _____ Lg _____ XL _____ 2X _____
TOTAL DUE = \$ _____



Wine Glasses with Etched MG logo will be available in Hospitality for \$4.00 each or 4 for \$12.00
T-Shirt 12.50
Golf Shirt 22.50

Please make check payable to: Sun Coast Classic MG Club, P.O. Box 10728, Brooksville, FL 34603
 For questions contact: Diann or Ron at 352-593-4168 or Ralph at 352-796-6984

SORRY, NO REFUNDS AFTER MARCH 15TH, 2011

Make your reservations with the host hotel directly by March 15, 2011 to receive the GOF South 45 discounted rate. I am aware of the hazards inherent with motor vehicle events and specifically release and so indemnify the organizers, supporting sponsors and the Sun Coast Classic MG Club collectively and separately, for any and all liability from personal injury or property damage incurred by me or my guest while participating in or traveling to and from the GOF South XLV event. I understand that adult beverages are served at this event, and I, and my guest, will govern ourselves according to the laws of the State of Florida, and agree to refrain from a course of conduct deemed to be untidy/unpleasant/dangerous and or misbegotten. I further agree that the Sun Coast Classic MG Club reserves the right to revoke my registration and retain my registration fee should I be found to have violated this agreement. I have read, understand and agree to this release.

Signature _____

Welcome to... **45th Gathering of the Faithful**
 Sponsored by Sun Coast Classic MG Club & Nature Coast English Car Club



GOF South Mk XLV
 April 8 - 10, 2011
 Quality Inn Weeki Wachee
 6172 Commercial Way
 Spring Hill, Florida 34606
 1-800-490-8268

Hosted by
Sun Coast Classic MG Club

Welcome to the official website for the 45th GOF South - Annual Gathering of the Faithful. The Suncoast Classic MG Club members are proud to produce for you a GOF that we hope you will find a little different. Utilizing our "backyard", the beautiful Nature Coast of Florida, we are attempting to give you a memorable GOF at a reasonable cost.

As the plans for GOF 45 are formulated, this website will be updated. In order to keep you informed of the activities we are planning. We are linked to the two other major Florida British Car activities for the month of April 2011, in order to give our out of the area British car enthusiast help in planning their travel schedule.

Our host hotel, the Quality Inn, is located across the street from Weeki Wachee Springs State Park, where the famous Mermaids of Weeki Wachee have been entertaining tourist for the past 60 years. We hope to offer discounted passes for those of you that would wish to visit the attraction.

The GOF activities will start on Friday, April 8th. At your leisure we offer a canoe trip down the spring feed Weeki Wachee River. The crystal clear water and sub-tropical surroundings will transport you to a Florida long since past. The down stream trip takes about two hours, and don't be surprised if our mascot manatee isn't found swimming under your canoe.

We know your MG is a little cramped on a trip, so we only ask you to bring your favorite four golf clubs, (or we can supply them), because 1:00 pm on Friday is the shot gun start of the 9 hole "Classic MG Open" Golf tournament. This will be held at the Heather Country Club, a mile north from the host hotel.

Meanwhile, the Hospitality Room and Registration will be in full swing at the Quality Inn. The First Timers Show will be held by the pool from 4:00 pm to 5:30 pm. You will have plenty of time to rest and relax before attending the "Sail With Us" at the Treasure Chest Buffet prepared by our club members at the High Point Community Center. Just a five minute drive from the hotel. Spend a relaxed evening renewing old friendships and dancing to the sounds of light jazz with Saxophone and Vocals by local talent, Cameron Decker.

On Saturday morning our Showcase of Cars and Judging will be held a relaxing 15 minute drive along the Nature Coast from the pool to the Hernando Beach Club on the beautiful Gulf of Mexico with the sea breezes blowing. Lunch which is included in your registration will be served at the Mermaid Snack Shack by club members. Spend the afternoon exploring the Nature Coast using one of our self-guided tour maps of the local area.

Join us poolside at the hotel for Wine and Cheese, before we return to Hernando Beach Club for our banquet and awards ceremony, taking time to toast the Sun setting into the Gulf of Mexico. Following the banquet the hospitality room will be open for those final good-byes and casual conversations around the pool area.

Sunday morning join us in the hospitality room for those last minute farewells.

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**New Meeting Location
Stoneybrook Pub**

Upcoming Events

March

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5: Tampa Bay British Car Club -the Dade City run.

**9: Regular Business Meeting at Stoneybrook Pub,
Aircor Golf Club, 13690 Stoneybrook Dr. Clearwater
Tel. 573-6039 , 7:30 pm.**

**11: 2nd Friday- Taste Safety Harbor Cruise In, 500
Main Street, Suite E, Safety Harbor, Fla. 34695 (6
p.m. to 8 p.m.) www.tastesafetyharbor.com. 727-723-
1116. Free beer or glass of wine if you drive your clas-
sic car.**

**12: Bartow Fun Run -Road Rally from Bradenton to
Bartow, lunch at the Stanford Inn, English B&B, then
on to Ellenton. See page 9 for flyer**

13: Amelia Island Concours d'Elegance 2011

**19: Breakfast Club hosted by Lorraine Spicer & Bar-
rie Carson – at Boris Family Restaurant**

**Next Meeting is March 9, 2011 —7:30 pm
Stoneybrook Pub
13690 Stoneybrook Dr. Clearwater 573-6039**



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