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On Tuesday, February 4th, the husband and wife team of Bob and Max Reed filled in at the last minute as our guest speakers.

Bob and Max provided a very entertaining trip down memory lane with their presentation on the Golden Age of radio. The Golden Age of radio ran from approximately 1921 to 1962.

They brought back many memories, ranging from Amos and Andy, Rin Tin Tin, Burns and Allen, The Shadow, The Lone Ranger, Sgt. Preston of the Yukon, Dragnet, and Gunsmoke.

They even discussed what could be considered the first "reality show" -- Queen for a Day. This

show had real women tell their sad luck stories and the one with the worst story won the prize she asked for, making her Queen for a Day! Imagine embarrassing yourself for a refrigerator!

During the presentation, Bob

performed several very funny impressions. They also touched on some of the most significant radio events in history, including Orson Wells Halloween broadcast of War of the Worlds and the Hindenburg disaster.



Guest speakers Bob and Max Reed

Tuesday, March 4th is the next luncheon.



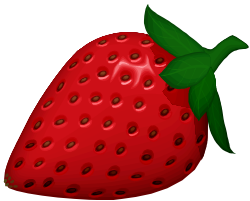
We usually meet at Lee’s Lakeside restaurant (downtown Orlando, off Central Ave. on Lake Eola) on the first Tuesday of each month at noon. **The cost for the lunch is \$12.** (\$5 for actives at UCF & Rollins.)

Chief Michael McCoy of the Orlando Police Department will speak at our March 4th luncheon. He will be speaking on Homeland Security in Orlando, with a secondary emphasis on law enforcement careers and the needs of your Orlando community in the future. Remember, guests are always welcome. RSVP’s are requested to Tom Laird.

Saturday, March 29th - Founders Day Dinner

Our annual Founders Day Dinner is on Saturday, March 29th at the 4th Fighter Squadron restaurant in Orlando. Please see the insert in this issue for complete information. **Remember, you must RSVP in advance to this event.**

April 1st Luncheon



It’s no April Fools joke. Our April 1st luncheon speaker is Dr. Chip Hinton, Executive Director of the Florida Strawberry Growers Association. Chip presents an excellent economic community talk with some good humor from a Gator.

Saturday, April 26th – Fantasy of Flight

The club is planning a group visit to the Fantasy of Flight complex in April. Please see the insert in this issue for complete information. **Remember, you must RSVP in advance to this event.**

The club web site address has changed. The free redirector I was using is no longer in business, so please note the new address under the newsletter logo on page 1.

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