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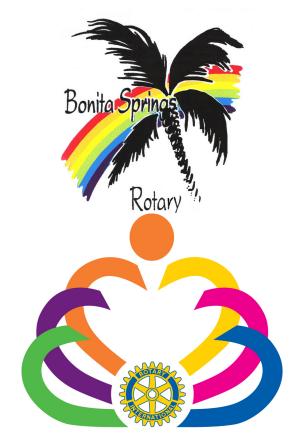
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Last Meeting

President Jim presided. **Jay Berube** delivered the invocation. **Ben Nelson** led the Pledge of Allegiance and **Jess Berube** led the 4 Way Test. **Ron Anderson** led a rousing rendition of *Take Me Out to the Ballgame.*



It was good to hear that **Poinsettia Sale** returns are currently coming in. Thanks to **Joe Murgalo** for bringing in our first order. Sale forms are currently available. Let's get

this year's sale off to a rousing start. Consider who you might contact now as purchasers of our wonderful harbingers of the Christmas Season—thanks for your help.

It's That Time of Year

Jay Berube briefed us on this year's Christmas Tree Sale and Charity Event which will take place November 26 through December 15, 2011 at the Ace Hardware Plaza on Bonita Beach



Road. Sponsorship opportunities are currently available at the \$600, \$400, and \$200 levels. Please visit Jay for additional information.

A Historic Moment

We were all proud to witness and enjoy a historic moment for our Club as **Sandy Scoggins** placed the name of **Bobbi Bird** as District Governor for the 2014-2015 Rotary Year. Sandy's motion was enthusiastically and unanimously approved. Congratulations and thanks **Bobbi**. We know you will be an outstanding Governor.

This Week's Program Cathy Timuta "Healthy Start of Southwest Florida"



Last week we heard from Cathy Timuta, Executive Director for the Healthy Start Coalition of Southwest Florida. Under her leadership, the Coalition has grown from \$1.5 million to \$3.2 million in annual

revenue and the number of pregnant women and babies receiving services has increased to more than 17,000 each year.

Cathy currently serves on the local Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Task Force and participates in the Fit Friendly Partnership. She was Past President and Co-Chair of the Legislative Committee for the Florida Association of Healthy Start Coalitions and helped design a statewide information system for the MomCare Program.

Her presentation offered great insight into Healthy Start, a not-for-profit dedicated to ensuring every baby has a chance at a healthy start in life. Cathy briefed us on the programs Healthy Start offers including prenatal care, risk screening,; home visiting/care coordination MomCare and Support Groups.

Thanks Cathy for a great presentation.

Rotaract at FGCU... A Record of Achievement



It was great visiting with Yan Bohyn, current President of the FGCU Rotaract Club pictured above with his leadership team and our Club Mentors this past week. Yan offered a summary and description of Rotaract's growth and impact at FGCU—and the results were nothing short of remarkable.

Last year at this time, the Club had twenty members. This year the organizational meeting was attended by seventy people making Rotaract larger than the largest fraternity on campus. Yan reported that the energy level of the Club is so high that it performs one community service project each week.

Yan also highlighted the Club's Mentorship program which had forty applicants and its Professional development workshop. While Yan who will serve as President for one more semester ,thanked those who have offered their time and involvement in support of Rotaract, thanks and congratulations should go out to him for his outstanding leadership.

Finally—a reminder. **Scott Anderson** is still in need of mentors for the Rotaract Mentorship program. If you are interested in more information or serving as a mentor and fostering this Rotarian spirit of excellence at FGCU please see Scott.

Member Spotlight

This week new member Camilla Campbell stepped into the spotlight briefly to share a little

information about her background, family, and career.

Born in Morgantown, West Virginia, Camilla was an only child with loads of aunts and uncles to encourage her. When it came time



to consider college, she chose Seton Hill University, a Catholic college in the small town of Greensburg, PA.

In 1991 Camilla moved to Florida and she got her start in the title business in 1999. In 2006 she started her own business, Sunshine Title and Escrow, Inc. in Bonita Springs. She recently joined our club because she wants to give back to the community.

There's one thing we all learned about Camilla during her "three minutes of fame" and that is how closely she follows directions. When President Jim turned the podium over to her, he reminded her of the time limit. In what must have been the shortest Member Spotlight ever, Camilla shared her life with us in less than two minutes! Welcome, Camilla!

This Friday Is Dictionary Day



Dictionary Day is set for this Friday, October 7. If you have not already signed up for a distribution site—please see **Roger Brunswick** and do so this morning. Dic-

tionary Day, an initiative in support of public education, is an extraordinarily Rotarian endeavor.

\$\$\$50/50\$\$\$ This Weeks Big Prize-\$1161



Last week an overwhelmed **Camilla Campbell** drew the Six of Diamonds to win \$5.00

As always...the real winner is our Foundation which gets one half of the prize purse.



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



Let's Sing, Rotarians!

This Land Is Your Land

This land is your land,
This land is my land
From California to the New
York Island,
From the Redwood Forest
To the Gulf Stream waters;
This land was made for you
and me.



As I was walking that ribbon of highway I saw above me that endless skyway; I saw below me that golden valley this land was made for you and me.

Rotary Make-Up Opportunities

Monday
Fort Myers South/Holiday
Inn Bell Tower (Noon)

Tuesday
Estero Spring Run 11:45 am
Naples Gulf Shore 730 am
Naples Beach Hotel 12:15pm
Naples Beach Hotel & Golf Club

Thursday
Naples North Collier Athletic
Club 7:30 am
Bonita Springs-Spanish Wells CC

Friday
Naples-Pelican Bay Club at

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