



Last Meeting

President Elect **Chis Riesen** was at the helm. **Sara McCollum** presented the invocation; **Roger Brunswick** led the Pledge of Allegiance; and **Bob Lombardo** recited the Four Way Test.

Announcements

Bobbi Bird had been in hospital for treatment and now is home. **Walter Restropo** is scheduled for surgery today in Columbia. Please make **payments** for the Installation Banquet on-line or to Joe Murgalo **Real Soon Now.**

New Member

We welcomed **Jim Burger** as a new club member. He was proposed for membership by **Chris Riesen**. His classification is Retired Consultant.



Song Leader **Mark Generales** introduced today's song, *Rawhide*. He gave us some back-

ground conjuring up memories of the "20 Mule Team Borax" commercial. Music critic Roger Brunswick said, "while listening to this song, with some 30 voices singing, I didn't hear anyone with the same words at the same time."

Dale Timple rose thank all those who helped with the Bonita Blues Festival. The event raised \$54K for Bonita Springs Assistance Office, Music for Minors, and Golisano Children's Hospital.



Chris welcomed **Leroy Jackson** President of the new Charlotte Harbor Sunset Rotary Club. The club was founded April 16, 2019 and has 42 members. Leroy delivered an invitation to his club's Charter dinner on July 15th. He is looking for support, "financially and counseling as we grow from a new club to hopefully a club like this one."

Roger Time

Adam Botana offered a Happy\$ and as a pre-announcement, "I'm throwing my hat in the ring for the 76th Florida Representative. I will have a no nonsense businessman platform."

Ron Anderson donated 20Happy\$ in honor of his and Ruth's 54th anniversary. **Rex Sims** upped the ante announcing his 70th anniversary of "joyful bliss". Rex's new book, *Fly Boys*, will tentatively debut September 15th.

Eileen Tasso added a Happy\$ for her son Vince's birthday.

This Week's Program:

Wendy Arsenault
Veterinary Cariology

This Morning's Invocation

Dear God, we ask for wisdom and strength not our own in order to make our citizenship and our professional endeavors worthy examples of life lived with integrity and compassion.

We intercede for members of this and other clubs who are experiencing adversity of any kind. Sustain them by Your grace and power. May they be uplifted and encouraged by the support of their colleagues and friends.

We offer thanks for food awaiting our enjoyment in the context of purposeful friendship. For the happy privilege of just being here, we are grateful.

In the spirit, as well as with words of gratitude, we offer this prayer. Amen.

Song: Mickey Mouse

Who's the leader of the club
That's made for you and me
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E
Hey! there, Hi! there, Ho! there
You're as welcome as can be
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E

Mickey Mouse!
(Donald Duck)

Mickey Mouse!
(Donald Duck)

Forever let us hold our banner
High! High! High! High!

Come along and sing the song
And join the jamboree!
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E



Program chair **Donna Flammang** introduced our speaker **Sue Haviland**, chair of the Rotary District Public Image Committee.

Sue gave a presentation on C.A.R.T. This is a Rotary started initiative, "Coins for Alzheimer's Research Trust", dedicated to raising funds to provide "seed" money for cutting edge, high impact research in hopes of finding a cure/prevention for Alzheimer's disease. Currently there are more than 800 Rotary Clubs in 23 districts actively supporting the CART Fund Project.

CART started in 1996 with Rotarians voluntarily emptying their pockets and purses of change at weekly meetings.

One hundred percent (100%) of donated funds go to cutting edge Alzheimer's disease research. As of May 2018 CART has awarded \$7.2 million dollars in



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45 grants to recognized US research institutions. All administrative expenses of the Fund are paid from interest earned from invested contributions.

The Fund is governed by a Board of Trustees composed of representatives from the Rotary districts that support the program. It is a 501(c)3 organization. The Fund is chartered as a nonprofit organization under the laws of the state of South Carolina.

An Executive Director runs the day-to-day operations of the CART Fund, and is paid on a part-time basis from interest earned on contributions to the Fund.

Donate to help research Alzheimer's Disease so that maybe one day we will find a cure



Steven Schlacta drew the 8♦ for \$5.

The 50/50 is thought to be **\$1,300±**

3 Years ago

Nancy Ross presented a special invocation in honor of Flag Day. **Tom Briers** led the Pledge of Allegiance and **Susan Schmitt** recited the Four Way Test beautifully.

Substitute Song Leader **Jon McLeod** finally got the lyrics to *Margaritaville* published in The Spoke. He showed up with his guitar and **Jim Dati** to lead the singing.

7 Years ago

Bedding for the Future, Part Two...**Jay Berube** announced that our "Old Fashioned Bed Race" team was currently composed of himself, **Les James**, and **Brian Olitsky**. President-elect **Stephanie Kissinger** joined the team which will compete in the race as part of the Bonita Springs July 4th Celebration. Thanks and good luck. Race proceeds benefit YMCA camp scholarships.

Upcoming Programs

June 22, Annual Installation Banquet, Barefoot Beach Country Club

June 26, Dr. Stephanie Byrne "Cancer in Companion Animals"

July 3

July 10 Club Assembly/Foundation Presentation

July 11 Club Social Trianon Hotel

July 17 Jon McLeod-Rotary AG

July 24 Ruth Bowling - Avent Health

July 31 Rob Cooper - Principal BS Elementary

Birthdays (June 16 - June 22)

Bill Oehler June 16

Don Thomson June 17

Jim Horein June 20

The Four Way Test

Of the 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?

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