



The Spoke



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January 12, 2022

September 28, 2016, newly appointed Sergeant-at-arms **Roger Brunswick** took the microphone to present:

The Rotary Club of Bonita Fine Menu *(allegedly adopted by the Directors.)*

The following fines will be levied upon members and guests at the sole discretion of the Sargent at Arms, the President or presiding officer.

\$5.00 will be levied if you:

1. Are being rude and talking while our Program speaker or President are speaking
2. Arriving late and still wearing your pajamas, night shirt or night gown.
3. Short stature jokes about the Sargent at Arms. Those under 5'6" will be excused and a tape measure will be available

\$4.00 will be levied if you:

1. Are found to be Texting or reading emails when our Program speaker or President are speaking
2. Caught napping and snoring
3. Walking around the room while the Speaker or President are speaking

\$3.00 will be levied if you:

1. Fail to display your Rotary pin or wear a Rotary shirt.
2. Caught napping but not snoring
3. Wear Shorts to a meeting between November 1st May 1st.
4. Scooters (Those leaving before the closing bell)

\$2.00 will be levied if you:

1. Your Cell phone rings, beeps or otherwise makes sound during meetings
2. Arriving after the Opening Bell

\$1.00 will be levied if you:

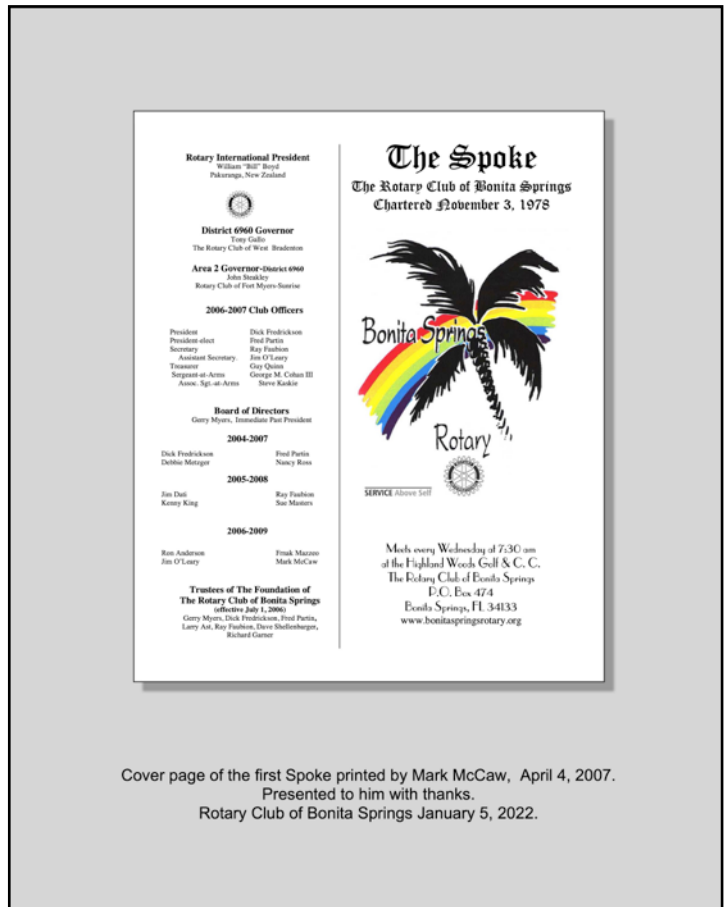
1. Are sitting at a table that does not contain at least one member of the opposite sex.
2. Sitting alone at a table when there is open seating at another table
3. Any other reason deemed inappropriate by the Sargent at Arms, the President or presiding officer.
4. Any other reason that the Sargent at Arms deems inappropriate. (An Ex. Dressed wearing stripe with plaids is not fineable because there is no excuse for bad taste.)

Last Week Meeting

President **Kae Moore** bonged the meeting to order. **Ann Angle-Garrett** (rr) presented the Invocation; **Joe Murgalo** led the Pledge of Allegiance; and **Adam Botana** lead the Four Way Test with the help of a cue card. **Mark Generales** came forward to lead singing of several verses of *Auld Lang Syne*.

Bob Lombardo rose to report on the Boat Show preparations and to solicit sponsors for the event. He said that last year there were 4,500 attendees and he expected more this year. He said early signups have been good, but there is still a need for parking lot attendants.

Kae asked **Mark McCaw** forward. He recognized Mark's contribution of printing The Spokes since 2007. Mark's printing at his own expense eliminated the club's more than \$1,000 per year for printing of black and white copies. Kae gave Mark this plaque in recognition of his support.



Cover page of the first Spoke printed by Mark McCaw, April 4, 2007. Presented to him with thanks. Rotary Club of Bonita Springs January 5, 2022.

EZ Cash

This was the third monthly EZCash drawing. **Chris Riesen** and his staff conducted the drawing. Winners were:

\$100 Ted Schumaker

\$250 Waterhouse

\$500 Vince Tasso

The next drawing will be on 2/2/22.

Foundation

Nancy Ross says there is still time to contribute to the Wheelchair effort. The chairs will be going to Nassau, Bahamas. \$100/wheelchair.

Mark McCaw, Foundation treasurer, told us that he had recently made a check for \$10,000 for Lovers Key and \$1,824 for "I Like Me" books. He says the Foundation has several other projects in the works.

Joe Murgalo Time

Joe introduced visitors and organized an all-lady chorus to serenade birthday boy **Ron Anderson**.

There were plenty of Happy/Sad\$ announcements. **Len Eckert** spent the holidays in frigid Denver and was "Never so happy to be from Florida".

Mark McCaw told us that he had been named the Administrative Referee at USA Swimming's TYR PRO series meet in Des Moines.

Adam Botana issued a invitation to anyone wanting to come to the glorious capital of Florida to give him a call.

Kae reminded us of the upcoming Area 2 event coming up on January 23rd. Give him a call to get a copy of the offering flyer.



**Rotary Area 2
Funding Club Foundations Event**

What: Brunch and Show
Where: The Stage
When: January 23, 2022 1PM-4PM
Cost: \$69.00 per person

1-2 PM is check in and cash bar.
2-4PM ABBA Tribute band and dinner..

\$20.00 per person comes back to your Club's Foundation.

District Governor representation will be in attendance also.

Reservations: 239-405-8566. **Please advise reservationist which Rotary Club you belong to.

District 6960
Area 2

Upcoming Programs

- Jan 12. Dr Sandra Kauanui. FGCU School of Entrepreneurship.
- Jan 19. Dr Dee Fabry. District Literary Chair
- Jan 23. Area 2 Social. Dinner and Show at The Stage 1 - 4 pm.
- Jan 26. TBA
- Feb 2. TBA
- Feb 3. First Thursday ??

Birthdays (Jan 9—Jan 15)

Don Manley Jan 12

Donna Flammang Jan 15

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50/50 is \$1,000±



Rick Barber drew the 7 ♥ to win \$5

2021-2022 Club Officers

President	Kae Moore
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Treasurer	John Flammang
Sergeant-at-Arms	Roger Brunswick
Asst. Sgt-at-Arms	Joe Murgalo