October 12, 2023



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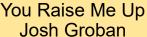






President Jim rang the bell. Chris Corrie read the Invocation and Joe Murgalo led us in The Pledge of giance. Loretta did The Four Way Test.





Songmeister Meg led us in Dream A Little Dream, requested by Stefan Gehrold.

Alan and Marjo were recognized as Rotarians of The

Month.

Don't forget to bring childrens' Halloween Costumes to the next meeting!

We have 53 registered for the 45th Anniversary already. Get your reservations in.

Mike Poff reported we have 42 poinsettias sold already!

Bob Lombardo announced Polio Plus —\$20 per square.

When I am down and, oh my soul, so weary When troubles come and my heart burdened be

Then, I am still and wait here in the silence Until You come and sit awhile with me.

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Mark gave an update on The Boat Show **Nautical** and Market.



We had a guest from the noon present a soup cookbook fundraising idea!



Lee County Sheriff's Office Community Response Unit made a presentation to the Club!





50/50 Nope! \$1,865



Joe's Corner

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BONITA SPRINGS
REQUESTS THE PLEASURE OF YOUR COMPANY AT A COCKTAIL
PARTY IN HONOR OF OUR
45TH ANNIVERSARY FROM 5:30P-8:30P.

Please Join Us For: FELLOWSHIP • FOOD STATIONS COCKTAILS ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM



RSVP HERE:

PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, HINMAN AUDITORIUM 10150 BONITA BEACH RD BONITA SPRINGS, FL 34135

Prayer for Peace

Our Father in Heaven, Rock and Redeemer of Israel, bless the State of Israel, the first manifestation of the approach of our redemption. Shield it with Your lovingkindness, envelop it in Your peace, and bestow Your light and truth upon its leaders, ministers, and advisors, and grace them with Your good counsel. Strengthen the hands of those who defend our holy land, grant them deliverance, and adorn them in a mantle of victory. Ordain peace in the land and grant its inhabitants eternal happiness.

Lead them, swiftly and upright, to Your city Zion and to Jerusalem, the abode of Your Name, as is written in the Torah of Your servant Moses: "Even if your outcasts are at the ends of the world, from there the Lord your God will gather you, from there He will fetch you. And the Lord your God will bring you to the land that your fathers possessed, and you shall possess it; and He will make you more prosperous and more numerous than your fathers." Draw our hearts together to revere and venerate Your name and to observe all the precepts of Your Torah, and send us quickly the Messiah son of David, agent of Your vindication, to redeem those who await Your deliverance.

Manifest yourself in the splendor of Your boldness before the eyes of all inhabitants of Your world, and may everyone endowed with a soul affirm that the Lord, God of Israel, is king and his dominion is absolute. Amen forevermore.

Upcoming Programs

October 12, CART, Blue Bucket
October 20, TBD

October 27, The Foundation of The Rotary Club of **Bonita Springs**

October 28th Gift Of Life Celebration, Forest CC November 3rd 45th Anniversary "Bonita Rays of Hope Celebration"

November 9th District Governor Alfred Current November 24th Christmas Trees/Poinsettias!! Dec 7th lahn Gonsenhauser, MD, CMO, Lee

Dec 21st Rich Kirschner, PDD, mini RLI presentation—with fabulous prizes!



<u>Birthdays</u>

Nope

Rotarians of The Month

Chris Corrie - June Rex Sims—July Angela Swanepoel—August Alan & Marjo White—September



2023-2024 Rotary International and Distict Leadership

Rotary International President

R. Gordon R. McInally, Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Scotland

District 6960 Governor

Alfred Current III, The Rotary Club of Englewood

Area 2 Assistant Governor

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President Jim Burger President-Elect Joe Murgalo Secretary Julie Pedretti Treasurer – Lynda Waterhouse Sergeant-at-Arms - Joe Murgalo Past President—Eileen Tasso

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Jim Burger, Eileen Tasso, Lynda Waterhouse, Julie Pedretti, Joe Murgalo

2021-2024

Donna Flammang, Jim Fitzpatrick, Mike Poff 2022-2025

Rob Cooper, Donna Marcotte, Ken Lahey 2023-2026

Wendy Arsenault, Stefan Gerhold, Bob Landy

Trustees of The Foundation

Chris Riesen, President; Gary Price, Secretary; Bob Lombardo, Treasurer; Steve McIntosh, Kae Moore, Eileen Tasso, Ron Anderson, Trustees



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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