March 28, 2024 Week 35



Chartered November 3, 1978









Burger President Jim rang the bell. Jerry did Invocation, Joe the Murgalo led us in The Allegiance, Pledge of and Adam Botana did The Four Wav Test. Mark led us in song.



Our speaker this week is Michael Maibach who will be speaking about George Washington

First Thursday, April 4th @ Vinchino's from 6pm – 8pm

Thanks to everyone who assisted in the move of our X-mas Tree Storage.



Rotary Leadership Institute - RLI and a Grant Writers Certification class will be held on Saturday April 06, 2024, 08:30 AM - 04:00 PM at Babcock High School Preregistration is required; no on -site registration will be available. Register on DACdb.

Reverse Raffle is sold out! Great job everyone. All tickets that have been sold must be turned in at this week's meeting. All unsold tickets must also be returned on Thursday morning. Please turn tickets into Jim Horein. Dust off your hat and shine your boots as this promises to be a fun evening for all!



Save the date for our District Assembly, scheduled for Saturday, May 4th. Details will follow. This will be our annual business meeting as well as our **training** day for next year's club leaders.

Save the Date for our District Conference to be held on the second weekend of July in Punta Gorda. Details will follow.

Rotary Sings:



Easter Parade by Irving Berlin

In your Easter bonnet, with all the frills upon it, you'll be the grandest lady in the Easter Parade.

I'll be all in clover, and when they look you over, I'll be the proudest fella in the Easter Parade.

On the Avenue....5th Avenue....the photographers will snap us, and you'll find that you're in the rotogravure.

Oh, I could write a sonnet about your Easter bonnet, and of the girl I'm taking to the Easter Parade.

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Joe's Corner







Dear God of all Humanity, we ask that You empower us to be ambassadors of Your love and wisdom to all the people of the earth. We know that, with Your grace, we can disrupt the cycle of pain and suffering visited upon Your children including those who appear to be agents of hate and intolerance but who are in fact victims of suffering as well. To remedy our imbalance we ask that You give us the strength and courage to act as one family deserving of Your mercy so that peace and unity may be realized in our lifetimes. We ask this in Your name Amen

Upcoming Programs

3/28 - Michael C. Maibach 4/4—First Thursday, Vinchino's Bonita Springs

April 6th, Reverse Raffle SAVE THE DATE!

Birthdays

Larry Hildebrandt, 4/1 Larry Vars, 4/1



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Mike Poff, January
Rex Sims, February





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Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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