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November 3, 1978



President Joe rang the bell and announced the meet and greet. Vince Modarelli read The Invocation, Bob Lombardo led us in The Pledge of Allegiance and Gordon Costly did The Four Way Test.



Mark led us in song. Kae was recognized at Rotarian of the Month.



Ron Anderson will be hosting us for our 2nd Thursday Social at the Rooftop, Downtown Bonita Springs.

Wendy discussed the silent auction items for the Reverse Raffle and Michele discussed the Wine Pull.

Jim Fitzpatrick reported on 21 new members over the last 3 years!

President Joe announced that Eileen will be our ADG!!



Donna asked the gentleman Club Members to sing Happy Birthday to her! But she did forget her check!!

Eileen mentioned the need for help at The Food Pantry, Mondays from 1—5 pm at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Bonita Springs.

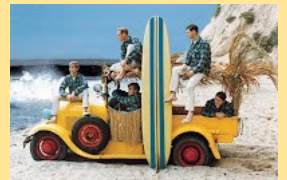
Our speaker was Caily Martin from The Bonita Springs Assistance Office.



Rotary Sings:

Wouldn't It be Nice

Beach Boys



Wouldn't it be nice if we were older?
Then we wouldn't have to wait so long
And wouldn't it be nice to live together
In the kind of world where we belong?

You know it's gonna make it that much better
When we can say goodnight and stay together

Wouldn't it be nice if we could wake up
In the morning when the day is new?
And after having spent the day together
Hold each other close the whole night through

Happy times together we've been spending
I wish that every kiss was never ending
Oh, wouldn't it be nice?

Maybe if we think and wish and hope and pray
It might come true (run, run, we-oooh)
Oh, baby, then there wouldn't be a single thing we couldn't do
We could be married (we could be married)
And then we'd be happy (and then we'd be happy)
Oh, wouldn't it be nice?

50/50

\$1,312.50

Only 10 cards left!



Bob's Corner



Invocation:



Lord, we come before you today and we thank You for all the blessings that You have given us. Many times our lives are so full of busy work that we neglect our relationship with You, for that we are sorry. We know that You never neglect us, for if You did our very lives would cease to be. Continue to pull us to Yourself, guide us in our journey, and hold us close in Your bosom until the day we come home to be with You forever. Be with us now as we gather in Your name, may we feel your presence among us. In Your name we pray. Amen.

Birthdays

Gary Price, 2/9
Jim Fitzpatrick, 2/12
Kevin Swanepole, 2/12
George M. Cohan, 2/15
Neil Anderson, 2/20
Suzanne Masters, 2/22
Dr. Steve McIntosh, 2/25



Upcoming Programs

2/6 - Estero Interact Club update
2/13 - Bobby Hunter / Lee County Sheriffs Office
2/20- Daniel Christenbury / Lions Eye Clinic
2/22—Noon Club Casino Night at The Elks Lodge
2/26 - Graham Deamer / FGCU Chief Development Officer for Intercollegiate Athletics



2024-2025 Rotary International and District Leadership

Rotary International President

Stephanie Urchick, Rotary Club of McMurray, Pennsylvania

District 6960 Governor

Kelsey Mitchell, The Rotary Club of Bonita Sunset

Area 2 Assistant Governor

Dee Fabry, The Rotary Club of Bonita Naples

2024-2025 Club Officers

President Joe Murgalo
President-Elect Julie Pedretti
Secretary Kelli Groom
Treasurer – Lynda Waterhouse
Sergeant-at-Arms - Bob Lombardo
Past President—Jim Burger

Members of the Board

Jim Burger, Lynda Waterhouse, Julie Pedretti,
Joe Murgalo, Kelli Groom

2022-2025

Dr. Steve McIntosh, Donna Marcotte

2023-2026

Wendy Arsenault, Stefan Gerhold, Bob Landy,

2024—2027

Angela Swanepoel, Mike Poff, Jim Fitzpatrick

Trustees of The Foundation

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

Rotarians of The Month

Larry Vars—December
Mike Poff, January
Mark G. & Meg W.—February
Dr. Robert Landy—March
Donna Marcotte—April
Dr. Steve McIntosh—May
Michelle Matuszak—August
Vince Modarelli—September
Carl Nickel, October
Jim Horein, November



Rotary  **4 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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