



Rotary Club
of Bonita Naples

Rotasphere

Club Meeting

Bonita Naples
Meets at Artichoke & Company -
11920 Saradrienne Ln, Bonita
Springs, FL 34135
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Bonita Springs, FL 34135
Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

Club Leaders



James F. Fabry
President



John G. Wharton
President-Elect



Dee Fabry
Secretary



Dixon W. Blevins
Treasurer



Sam Black
Club Director



Linda Lee Dworkin
Club Director



Tamton Mustapha
Public Relations Chair



Kenneth Strumm
Club Director



Stephen C. Agius
Membership Chair

Kim Scott Anderson
Sergeant-at-Arms

Events and Speakers

Zoom Meeting July 9, 2020 Zoom

Meeting Video Link:

https://www.dropbox.com/s/zfpb97888cjr216/July%209_2020.mov?dl=0

Members in Attendance: Bob Bornstein, Dee Fabry, Gary Dworkin, Lin Dworkin, Dick Blevins, Jim Fabry, Mike Prioletti, Ally McEwan, Sonny Grech, Barbara Meyer, Don Crost, Joe Gellings, John Wharton, Steve Agius, Tam Mustapha, Betty Jean Christansen, Stuart Stern, Mrs. Steve LaPoint, Mike Rusk, Joanne Zicarrelli, Kim Anderson, Sam Black, Cindy Cedano, Mark Thompson, Janet DiBenedetto. Al Rigoni

Open Meeting at Noon ♦ Jim Fabry (Gary on the Bells)

Invocation ♦ [Mike Prioletti](#)

Pledge of Allegiance - [Betty Jean](#)

Health News:

Prinya and his wife have COVID-19. We are unsure of the status of Mark ♦'s wife, Marilyn. They are awaiting test results. Gary will check on Rob G.

District News:

July 31, 2020 ♦ Infinite Possibilities ♦ Women in Rotary Zoom meeting. Sylvia Whitlock ♦ 1st Female Rotary Club President ♦ Register on DACdb. Use the link below:

<http://Register now: https://www.ismyrotaryclub.org/Register/index.cfm?EventID=77490067&NoCaptcha&NoOpt>

Rotary International and District Dues invoices going out this week.

Kim Anderson-Sargent at Arms: Kim shared that Birthday people pay \$35.00 unless they want to do a skit or something fun (then it is \$20), which is difficult during Zoom. There is a trend from Tam and Sam to pay the amount of their birthday years. Mark shared he celebrated his second birthday. He had stem cells procedure on July 5 two years ago. The doctors told him it is considered a monumental ♦rebirth♦. So he is contributing this month for this ♦rebirth♦ and his birth date is next month.

Birthdays:

Mark Thompson- 7/5 (2nd birthday), Gary Dworkin ♦7/7, Kim Anderson ♦7/14,



Cindy J. Cedeno
Past President
Rotary Foundation
Chair



Gary S. Dworkin
Past President

Account Leaders

Darryl Keys
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Area Governor
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Area Governor
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Area Governor
Doug Smoot
Area Governor
Gerard M. Sola
Area Governor
Suzanne Vasbinder
Area Governor
Dennis Wallace
Area Governor
Belynda Williams
Area Governor

Betty Jean Christensen ♦ 7/15, Scott Hunter 7/22, Steve LaPoint ♦ 7/23, Joe Gellings ♦ 7/27, John Wharton ♦ 7/29, Janet DiBenedetto ♦ 7/30

Rotary Anniversaries

Dee Fabry ♦ 7/18

Wedding Anniversaries:

Art Nor ♦ 7/14, Bob Bornstein ♦ 7/29

Learning Opportunity of the day: Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI)

Short video of Steve Agius which was made at the request of the RLI talking about his favorite session to share. Link Below:

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/ofwllzrivcdl4k1/Steve%20Agius%20Video%20MOV%20format.mov?dl=0>

Presentation about RLI by Steve Agius - He has been a discussion leader at the RLI events. The Institutes are normally held two times a year (in the spring and the fall) with 100 ♦ 125 people. Unfortunately, the spring was cancelled due to COVID-19. The ♦ think tank ♦ people who run this are trying to come up with a alternate delivery method due to COVID-19.

There are three segments: RLI 1, 2, and 3. Each provides deeper insight into Rotary.

RLI Part One

RLI Part Two

RLI Part three

Graduate Level - One topic in-depth. Membership or Foundation

Districts offer it all over the state so you can complete it all and meet new people. Members are reimbursed for attending. It is an all-day event.

We are looking forward to resuming RLI. It should be called the Rotary Learning Institute, instead of Rotary Leadership Institute.

Dee shared her experience at RLI, as well as Betty Jean. It is a great way to meet Rotarians from other clubs. ♦ I think everyone who is in Rotary should be required to attend. It changes your perception of Rotary. ♦

Ana LaPoint shared that she was a Rotarian in Educador. She is so glad to be a part of our club and we are very happy to have her, Steve, and Miss Beverley. Also a shout out to Al and Barbara.

Getting to know your members ♦ This week Mike Prioletti

♦ Born in Syracuse, NY. Very snowy place. Hobart College. And went to NYC in finance. Advised them on product line extension, advertising strategies. After 11 years, moved to Naples. Our tiny apartment was bought by a friend of Paul Simon ♦s. We looked all over and landed in Naples. I have 3 daughters. One of them is with me now. I am married to Kim and she was a member of this club. We have been married for 1.5 years. I manage the Baird Wealth Management office in Pelican Bay. I have worked there 29 years. Midwestern based ♦ employee owned. Been a Rotarian for 27 years. Love our club. Professionally people in my profession join clubs and move on. I, however, think of this club as extended family. ♦

Kim A. ♦ New Sergeant-at-Arms. Happy Dollars.

Mike R. ♦ Loved the biscuits and gravy we had at RLI. Mike attended the RLI

meeting in Port Charlotte at an older facility. They cook up great powered eggs. (Tongue-in-cheek). I got my task refund. Colin ♦ I broke out my old Nintendo Wii. He discovered Super Mario Brothers. So we play Super Mario Brothers now. ♦

Ally ♦ My son went to visit his cousins. He had a wake board accident and had lots of staples in his head.

Gary ♦ I want to thank all of you for my gavel plaque. He even showed us where it will be hanging. Officially, thank Lin and everyone who joined me for my birthday.

Barbara - \$10.00 for Jim ♦s installation.

Janet ♦ Ten happy dollars ♦ I serve on the RI Task Force on Polio Eradication. The appropriations committee is putting \$61 million. I am heading back to New York to get my car.

Remember, bring those envelopes next week.

Steve A. ♦ \$20 dollars ♦ You are sworn to secrecy. My fianc♦e Janet was having air conditioning troubles. Yesterday she was able to go home. As much as I love her, I am not ready to take the next step. I am glad to have my house back to myself. ♦ July 16_2020

The lunch will be a salad and plated lunch at Artichokes. Jim will send the COVID-19 protocols we will be following at the face to face meeting. We will be following CDC guidelines.

Attendance Raffle Led by Dee

Kim A ♦s number was drawn and he won the attendance prize. He chose the pistachio green bag which was filled with a travel journal, a 2005 Ford Mustang (Hot Wheels car), hand sanitizer, note cards and envelopes, and a Rotary 2020-21 pin with the Opportunity Doors logo.

4 Way test ♦ led by **Kim Anderson**

*******Get to Know Member for July 16 is Ally McEwan*******

Adjourn