



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



Gary S. Dworkin
President



James F. Fabry
President-Elect



John G. Wharton
Secretary



Dixon W. Blevins
Treasurer



Kim S. Anderson
Club Director



Linda Lee Dworkin
Club Director



Tamton Mustapha
PDG
Club Director
Public Relations Chair



Stephen C. Agius
Membership Chair



Cindy Cedeno
Past President
Rotary Foundation
Chair

Robert A. Grady
Sergeant-at-Arms

Events and Speakers

President Gary welcomed all with the ringing of the bell at 12:00

RI President: Mark Daniel Maloney

District Governor: Rich Kirschner

Club President: Gary Dworkin

President-Elect: Jim Fabry

Sergeant-At-Arms: Robert A. Grady

Secretary: John Wharton

Treasurer: Dixon W. Blevins

Ipp: Scott Hunter

Board Members:

PDG Tamton Mustapha

Lin Dworkin

Kim Anderson

Make up days:

Bonita Beach Sunset-Tuesday 5:30 P.M.

Estero Tuesday 12 noon

Bonita Spring-Wednesday 7:30 A.M.

Naples North-Thursday 7:30 A.M.

Naples Pelican Bay Friday 7:30 A.M.

Program for Next Week: Adam Botana (Bonita Boat Club) Water Quality in S/W Florida

On **September 19th Club Assembly** – please attend as we will be discussing committees' updates and the survey that we just filled out. Lots of good information will be shared at this meeting!

Steve Agius provided an invocation with thoughts and prayers for the people of Nassau.

Bob Bornstein led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Birthdays/Anniversaries- Betty Jean Christensen wedding anniversary - 41 years

Happy/Sad Dollar

Many Happy/Sad dollars

Members Attending: Steve A, Kim A., Don B. (**Chicago Don 1**), Don C (**Chicago Don 2**), Dick B., Bob Born., Betty Jean., Cindy C, Gary D., Lin D., Joe Gelling., Rosi H, Cindy H., Stuart S., Chris M., , Mike P., Mike R., Phil R., and Ken S., Jim



Betty Jean Christensen
Youth Services Chair



Scott D. Hunter
iPast President



Jonathon McLeod
Assistant Governor

F, Dee F, Dave M, Scott H.

Guests: Mr. and Mrs. Jasinski and their youth exchange daughter - Michael Jasinski

Chris Magnus brought his daughter (a future youth exchange student in the making!) to hear the Youth Exchange Student talk about her experiences.

Members Excused: Tam gone for a month (Be back next week)

Announcement: Gary talked about our 2 upcoming club raffles, Meals of Hope food packing for the Bahamas this Saturday at Naples High School, and the Bonita Morning Club social tonight at 5:30 at the Trianon Hotel. Cindy mentioned the Dictionary labeling event will be held this Saturday at Lee County School Offices starting at 9AM.

Cindy Cedeno provided us dates for 3 important Rotary upcoming events:

Oct 24, 2019 – World Polio Day

November 14, 2019 – District 6960 Foundation and Celebration Dinner

February 29, 2020 – Leap into Rotary Celebration

Steve Agius and Mike Prioletti mentioned the Disaster relief for Hurricane Dorian victims in the Bahamas. Monetary donations can be given to Steve who will take them to the District. Mike's company is collecting at his office building. He said to bring Hurricane supplies next week and he will add them to his companies.

In addition go to the District 6960 Web site for a list of supplies and their directions for collecting donations.

Listed Hurricane supplies (tools, cleaning supplies, non-perishable food items, etc.) are being collected by clubs and friends and need to be delivered ***no later than Tuesday September 10*** to John Smarge's warehouse at:

Ray the Mover
North American Van Lines
3861 Domestic Avenue
Naples, FL 34104

Items should be separated for shipping by category: tools, cleaning supplies, non-perishable food items, etc.

Monetary donations may be made online at www.rotary.org/donate.

Other donations, checks and cash should be sent to DG Rich Kirschner.

Program for the Day: Michael Jasinski – Poland Youth Exchange Student. Michael shared her experiences from the application process through her return. She praised each of the placements with 3 Polish host families and the support from all Rotarians, both in the US and Poland. Michael's photos helped us to see the beauty of Poland as well as the fellowship and the depth of her connections.

Dixon Blevins won the 50/50 drawing but picked the 7 of club's card.

Meeting adjourned at 1:00 P.M. followed by BonitaFest 2019 committee meeting.