

February is Peacebuilding & Conflict Prevention Month

Goldcoast
Rotary
Cape Coral, FL



Rotary District 6960 RI President - Shekhar Mehta | District Governor - Andy Lyman | Area Governor - Suzanne Vasbinder

Thursday, February 9, 2023

Birthdays

William Martin
February 26th
Olin Hill III
February 27th
Thomas E. Bellini
March 3rd
Joan Henry
March 3rd

Wedding Anniversaries

Wendell Christoff
February 27th
Dale T Arvay
March 2nd

Speakers

February 10, 2023
[Cape Coral Goldcoast Board of Directors Meeting](#)
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[Amy Strom - VP Operations](#)
Valerie's House

February 17, 2023
[DGE Jeff Coil - District 6290](#)
TBD

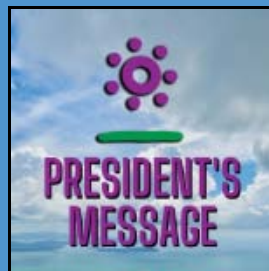
February 24, 2023
[Scott Digregorio](#)
Boom or Gloom?

March 03, 2023
[Club Meeting at Cape Coral Yacht Club](#)
RotaKids - Gulfcoast Elementary

Club Meeting

Cape Coral Goldcoast
Meets at Gulf Coast Village,
Auditorium, Main Building
1333 Santa Barbara Blvd.
Cape Coral, FL 33991
Time: Friday at 12:00 PM

President's Message



What a great presentation we had from Captain Phil Van Landschoot, who heads up the Special Operations Bureau at the Cape Coral Police Department. He filled in, in a pinch, when our regularly scheduled speaker could not make it. It was wonderful to hear about all of the ways our police are keeping Cape Coral safe, as well as what the various departments actually do. Captain Van Landschoot is responsible for Motorcycle Traffic Officers, Traffic Homicide Investigators, DUI Unit, Aggressive Driving Unit, Street Crimes Unit, Marine Patrol, Aviation, Commercial Vehicle Enforcement, Dive Tam, Canine Unit, Honor Guard, SWAT, and the Community Volunteers. To say he is busy is an understatement!

This Friday we have our Board meeting at 11:00am – **PLEASE NOTE – this is not just for board members.** If you are interested in becoming on the Board or just want to stay aware of club activities, please join us!

At our regularly scheduled meeting this Friday, we will be hearing from Amy Strom, Vice President of Partnerships and Operations at Valerie's House. Amy is a licensed clinical social worker who started at Valerie's House as a Volunteer Group Facilitator, but who fell in love with the Mission of Valerie's House and joined the team full-time. Valerie's House opened its doors in 2016. It provides support groups and activities for grieving children to heal after losing someone or something significant in their life.

ALSO, Bike Night is THIS Saturday. See you then!

God bless.

Yours in Rotary,
Lisa

District Conference Service Project

DG Neil & Rebecca Snyder have opened their hearts and home by fostering children. Do you or your club want to make an impact on a child's life? You can by participating in the district conference service project.

Pajama Project's mission is "to provide new pajamas and books and to foster literacy development in children who are abandoned, abused, removed from homes and placed in foster care or living in homeless shelters in District 6960. ([View the Flyer](#))

We have teamed up with The Twig and The Children's Network of Southwest Florida to help distribute pajamas and books to needy children. By supporting this district service project, you will be helping the foster parents in District 6960 fight the problems of homelessness, substance abuse, mental health, domestic abuse, poverty.

How can you and your club help? Start by coordinating club participation with members, friends and family to start collecting brand new Pajamas for boys & girls of all ages and bedtime books for boys & girls of all ages (new or gently used).

Then come celebrate your success by bringing the donated items to the District Conference on June 15th. There will be a breakout session during the conference to hear inspirational addresses from The Twig and The Children's Network of Southwest Florida while we sort, label and organize the pajamas and books.

Special thank you to John Kearney and Kearney Moving and Storage for providing boxes and delivery services. If you have any questions or need more information, please contact me.

Thank you,
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Meeting Photos from Last Week



Meeting Hosts & Greeters



Date	Host	Greeters
2.10.23	Machelle Shirk	Bill Berke & Donna Caruso
2.17.23	Don Thomas	Dylan Zsebe & Kevin Ahmadi
2.24.23	Lisa Musial	Harold Eskin & Julie Ferguson



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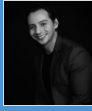
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