

DECEMBER 14, 2016 HIGHLIGHTS

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| Presiding | Bonnie Bolton |
| Invocation | Gary Goforth |
| Pledge | Bob LeSage |
| Song Master | Anthony Crocker "Jingle Bells" |
| 50/50 Loser | Bryon/Woody Starr |
| Four Way Test | Frank Newell |
| Editor | Tim Snapp |

OUR GREAT GUESTS

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| Guest | Woody Starr, Newport VT |
| Guest | Eugene Stack, N. Chicago, IL |
| Guest | Don Cramer, Londonderry, NH |
| Guest | Frank Newell, New Market ONT |
| Guest | Andy Chernow, Cortland NY |
| Guest | Ed Powell, Morrison, MI |
| Guest | Sue Holman |
| Guest | Tim Braddock |
| Guest | Barbara Manzell |
| Guest | Dave Carpenter |
| Guest | Finnbarr Corr |
| Guest | Joe DeBacher |
| Guest | Mike Batista |
| Guest | David Park |



The hunt is on for a new title sponsor for the Golf Classic for this

May. Millennium Physicians has declined to renew its sponsorship for the 2017 Classic. If you know of any potentials, please let Norm Lutz know a POC.

LEE COUNTY COMMISSIONER

FRANK MANN

A lifelong resident of Lee County, and received his degree in Political Science from Vanderbilt University in 1964. He has spent 45 years in the business community and was founder of his own insurance agency in 1967.

Frank's career in public service began in 1974. He served eight years in the Florida House of Representatives and four years in the Florida Senate, representing Lee, Charlotte and Collier counties. In 1986, he was his party's nominee for Lt. Governor of Florida.

Commissioner Mann recently served as chairman of the Lee County Commission, Lee County Port Authority and Tourist Development Council. He also serves on the Metropolitan Planning Organization and on the Southwest Florida Regional Planning Council. He is the Commission's liaison to the Lee County Legislative Delegation and Florida Gulf Coast University.

Quotes from the History of Rotary

"Rotary is a fellowship of noblemen; not a hereditary nobility but a nobility that must be earned and re-earned....Nobility is measured by its obligations, not by its rights and privileges...service above self."

Rotary in the March of Mankind, THE ROTARIAN, July 1951
Frank E. Spain (insurance - law), Rotary Club of Birmingham, Alabama, USA.



This Week in History World Events

December 14, 1962 - The Mariner II space probe sent back information from the planet Venus, the first information ever received from another planet.

December 15, 1791 - The Bill of Rights (first 10 amendments to the U.S. Constitution) became effective following ratification by Virginia.

December 16, 1773 - The Boston Tea Party occurred as colonial activists disguised as Mohawk Indians boarded British ships anchored in Boston Harbor and dumped 342 containers of expensive tea into the water.

December 16, 1944 - American big-band leader Glenn Miller disappeared in a small plane over the English Channel and was presumably killed. Best remembered for Moonlight Serenade and In the Mood.

December 17, 1903 - After three years of experimentation, Orville and Wilbur Wright achieved the first powered, controlled airplane flights. They made four flights near Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, the longest lasting about a minute.

Announcements

Sunrise Rotary News

The upcoming international conference June 10-14, 2017 which will be about as close as it can get next summer in Atlanta. Check the district web site for more information.

Sue Holman has been proposed for membership. Sue is President and CEO of the Literacy Council Gulf Coast.

We are scheduled to meet on December 28th (next week).

Florida State plays Michigan in the Orange Bowl Dec 30th at 8 pm.

The Ohio State Buckeyes play Clemson in the Fiesta Bowl Dec 31st at 7 pm.

Northwestern plays Pitt in the Pinstripe Bowl Dec. 28th at 2 pm.

LSU plays Louisville (with the Heisman Trophy winner) in the Citrus Bowl Dec. 31st at 11 am.

Florida plays Iowa in the Outback Bowl Jan 2nd at 1 pm.

Holidays without Hunger, Rotary evening is December 23rd 7 pm to 9 pm at Harborside Event Center. Need to go to www.holidayswithouthunger.org and register to get a ticket to enter for Rotary Night.





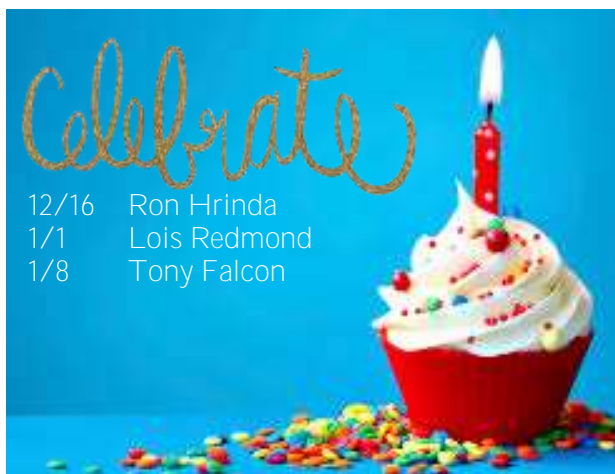
ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

YEARS OF SERVICE BASED ON DAC/DB DATA

| | | |
|-----------|---------------|----------|
| 1/1/2011 | John McGowan | 6 years |
| 1/10/2007 | Lois Redmond | 10 Years |
| 1/10/2007 | Eunice Fuhler | 10 Years |
| 1/4/2012 | Eugene Stack | 5 years |
| 1/14/2015 | Mark Pollock | 2 Years |

UPCOMING MEETINGS

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| Dec 21 | Pastor Clint Christmas Songs |
| Dec 28 | William Lombardo, South Trail Fire Chief |
| Jan 4 | Richard LeBer, CEO Harry Chapin Food Bank |
| Jan 11 | Fred Anderson, Former FBI Agent |
| Jan 18 | TBA |



DISTRICT AND CLUB EVENTS

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| DEC 23 | Holidays without Hunger Meals of hope packaging Night |
| FEB 04 | Rotary Leadership Institute in Fort Myers |
| MAY 17 | VIP Realty Junior Golf Clinic |
| MAY 19 | 2017 Sunrise Rotary ProAm Classic |

COMMITMENT

Commitment is what transforms a promise into reality. It is the words that speak boldly of your intentions and the actions which speak louder than words. It is making the time when there is none. Coming through time after time, year after year after year. Commitment is the stuff character is made of. The power to change the face of things. It is the daily triumph of integrity over skepticism.

Author Unknown

The Sunrise Rotary was happy to present the Lakes Park Foundation with a check for the proceeds from parking for the Scarecrow Festival. The total was \$13,240.42



FOUNDATION SPONSORS

Join fellow members by contributing an additional \$25 to The Rotary Foundation and The Sunrise will publish your business card or tribute for the remainder of the fiscal year. If you want to participate, please give your business card to Tim Snapp, and \$25 to John McGowan, or Bonnie.

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| Rotary Foundation | http://rotaryfoundation6960.org/ |

AREA ROTARY MEETINGS

| Meets on | Club Name | Location | Time |
|-----------|-----------------------|----------------------------|----------|
| Monday | Fort Myers - South | Crowne Plaza Bell Tower | 12:00 PM |
| | FMS - Sunset | Alico Golf Center | 6:00 PM |
| Tuesday | Estero | Elks Lodge | 12:00 PM |
| | Fort Myers | Marina at Edison-Ford | 12:00 PM |
| Wednesday | Fort Myers - East | Beef O'Brady's at Verandah | 7:30 AM |
| | Bonita Springs | Bonita Bay Club | 7:30 AM |
| | Cape Coral | La Venezia Ballroom | 8:00 AM |
| | Cape Coral - North | Palmetto Pine Country Club | 6:00 PM |
| Thursday | North Fort Myers | Three Fisherman Restaurant | 8:00 AM |
| | Lehigh Acres | Microtel Inn and Suites | 12:00 PM |
| | Bonita Springs Noon | Spanish Wells County Club | 12:00 PM |
| Friday | Sanibel-Captiva | The Dunes Golf Club | 7:30 AM |
| | Cape Coral Gold Coast | Gulf Coast Village | 11:45 AM |