



The Rotary Club of Naples Bay

The Bay Newsletter

September 07 - 30, 2021

Weekly Club Meeting

Every Tuesday at 12 Noon

Perkins Restaurant

3585 Pine Ridge Rd., Naples, FL 34109 ([directions](#))-239-596-0700

Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3282508899p> **Make**

Up Locations/Times

Tuesday

Marco Island Sunrise Club - Pres. Eric Condee - Meets at 7:30 am at Stonewalls Restaurant on Marco Island

Marco Island Noontime Club - Pres. Lucin K. Love Abounader - Meets at 12 noon for more information call 239-777-9200

LaBelle – Pres. Bryan Beer – Meets at 12 noon at Quart House for more information call 239-839-9200

Rotary Club of Bonita Springs Noon Club – Pres. Kae R. Moore -Meets at Noon at 11920 Saradrienne Ln., Bonita Springs, call 239-339-3489

Charlotte Harbor – Pres. Bob McDuffie - Cultural Center of Charlotte Harbor at 7am

Wednesday

Gulf Shore Sunset Club – Pres. Tony Power - Meets at 7:30am and 6pm at Hyatt House on 5th Ave – zoom and live meetings – 239-331-3130

The Rotary Club of Bonita Springs Sunset Club – Pres. Cheryl Willett - Meets at 7am Shangri-La downtown - call 412-508-4022

The Rotary Club of Naples – Pres. Ronald W. Gustason - Naples Beach Hotel at 12pm - Limited seating due to Covid. For more information go to info@rotarynaples.com

Rotary Club of Cape Coral – Pres. Amy Rouskey – Meets at 8:00am La Venezia Ball – call 239-699-7942 or go to INFO@CAPECORALROTARY.ORG

Bulletin Submissions

Send all changes, updates, and photos with captions to Joseph Cofield (josephcofield2767@gmail.com)

Get Involved in the many projects RCNB has to offer! Pick One! On Going Activities

Speaker Coordinators

2021

September | Joseph Cofield

September 07, 2021: Management Professor/Consultant, Dr. Vana Prewitt – Vana Prewitt Org. Mgt Serv.

September 14, 2021: Retired Educator, Don Polly - Skill Recognition and Job Opportunity

September 21, 2021: Author, Bill McKinney - SCORE – Building A Small Business

September 28, 2021: Retired Fireman, Sam Cadreu – Impact of 9/11 and Shaped Collier County

October | Beverly Dahlstrom

November | Laura Lee Wilson

December | Jerry Grandey

January | Wayne Dahlstrom

February | Sandra Simmons

March | William “Bill” Jones

April | Rankin Lusby

May | Howard Petersen

June | Tom Sawyer

July | Ron Westrom

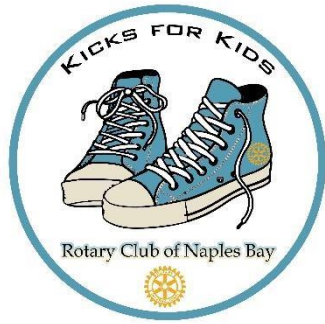


September 07: Dr. Vana Prewitt, Rotarian – PEACE Project Prez

Beverly, Dr. Vana and Secretary Joseph



Kicks for Kids | Wayne Dahlstrom, Chair



Kicks for Kids recently awarded first, second, third and fourth prizes to the students at Lorenzo Walker College Design Class for designing the new Kicks for Kids logo. Kicks for Kids, since Jan. of 2017, has delivered sneakers to 20 different organizations in our community. The total of sneakers delivered from January of 2017 to Nov. of 2020 is 1,447 pairs. Wayne expects more organizations to request sneakers soon. Recently, our local Boys and Girls Club on Davis Boulevard and the Immokolee Center were recipients of 317 pairs of sneakers. The Boys and Girls Clubs community engagement manager, Madelyn Lopardo received their sneakers at the front door of the Davis Blvd location. Join the Kicks for Kids Team! Wayne can be reached at wd.top100@gmail.com

Membership | Erica Young, Chair



Want to become a new member of RCNB? Now is the time! Erica is eager to tell you all about our club. Besides the great Fellowship, you can enjoy lunch, help your community, and enjoy speakers on a variety of topics and get the know the Rotary Way. Applications are available at our website NaplesBayRotary.org. Erica can be reached at emygerman@aol.com.

Carl R. Veus met Erica and understood Rotary Opens Opportunities. Our prospective members Ron Westrom, Gary Cox, Alfred Gray and Frank Bremeisen, from Wisconsin and Linda Coffnar, Virginia.



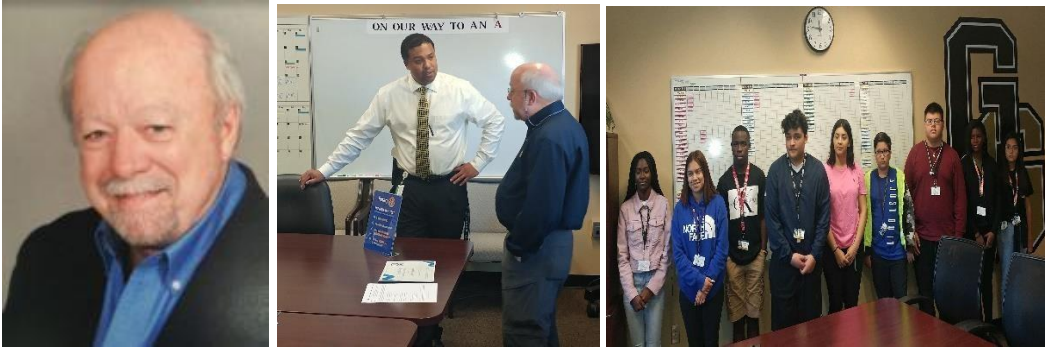
Ron Westrom

Gary Cox

Linda Coffnar

Frank Bremeisen & Uncle Paul

Youth Services | Jerry Grandey, Chair



RCNB supports lots of different programs for youth of all ages. We also have specific strong relationships with two local schools, Golden Gate HS and Lorenzo Walker Technical School and College. We sponsor an Interact Club at GGHS, several students from both schools for Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and recently hosted a Rotary Youth Exchange student from Finland. Each of these programs (and others) has specific needs for Rotarian involvement. Without Club Members volunteering to participate with them, they cannot continue. If you are interested in connecting with one or more of our youth programs, Jerry would love to hear from you to discuss ways YOU can be helpful. Director Jerry can be reached at jerrygrandey@icloud.com.

Global Grants | Jerry Grandey, Chair



In each of the last three years our RCNB Foundation has contributed funds to a Global Grant certified through The Rotary Foundation. Each of these grants is designed to bring clean water to remote areas in South America, one in Guatemala and two in different parts of Peru. We are looking for the next good Global Grant project to consider for funding. If you want to learn about how to evaluate Rotary Global Grants, or if you have previous experience with them, Jerry would love to hear from you at jerrygrandey@icloud.com.

District Grants | Laurie Lee Wilson, Chair



For the 13th consecutive year, Rotary International has received Charity Navigator's highest rating: <https://on.rotary.org/37KIQAB> Laurie Lee Walker can be reached at wll508lee@aol.com

Public Image | Chris Pritchard, Chair



Public Image is about our club working with the community. Chris and Wayne coordinated with CCSD and proved it starts with being "BENEFICIAL to all concerned". Erin A. Dever, MBA Administrative Coordinator to the Undersheriff stated, "Thank you, Wayne! It is always our pleasure working with you. 'As you well know, our deputies enjoy sharing their knowledge in specialized training and experience with the community.' Please let us know if there is anything else that we can do to assist. Take care and we will see you next year!" Chris can be reached at colliertoastmasters@gmail.com.

Scholarship Projects / Joel Miller, Chair



Each year, The Rotary Club of Naples Bay presents scholarships to students at Golden Gate High School and Lorenzo Walker Technical College. A special education scholarship will be awarded this Rotary Year!

Joel Miller is now our Scholarship Chair with Committee Members Dr. Shirley Richards, Rotarian Erica Young and Director Jerry Grandey. Your contributions to the Scholarship Projects are making a difference.

One trip to the DMV with \$32.50 and you can receiver your voucher for the purchase of your Rotary License Plate - [Only 3,000 vouchers needed so order your voucher today for more details - Cofield1944@gmail.com](mailto:Cofield1944@gmail.com)



Foundation / Tim Miller, Chair



The mission of the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International is to enable Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

The Rotary Foundation transforms people's lives with service projects both close to home and around the world.

Tim Miller can be reached at: timmiller2004@comcast.net

Club Meetings

Live Every Tuesday of the month at Perkins Restaurant

[3585 Pine Ridge Rd., Naples, FL 34109](#)

[Phone: 239-596-0700](tel:239-596-0700)

Meeting starts at 12 noon

Join Us on Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/3282508899>

Next Meeting Date: 05/25/21

Board Meetings

Live on the First Thursday of the month at Perkins Restaurant

[3585 Pine Ridge Rd., Naples, FL 34109](#)

Meeting starts at 5:30

Join Us on Zoom: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82035931469>

Next Meeting Date: 10/04/21

OUR HISTORY

THE ROTARY CLUB OF NAPLES BAY

The Rotary Club of Naples Bay is part of Rotary International, a worldwide service organization headquartered in Evanston, Illinois. The first Rotary Club was organized and founded in Chicago, Illinois in 1905 by Paul Harris, a young attorney with three other businessmen. Our club was founded as the Rotary Club of Naples East on March 10, 1973. The territorial limit of the club was all the area to the east of the western shore of Naples Bay. Today, Rotary no longer has territorial boundaries. The Rotary Clubs of Naples and North Naples were the sponsoring clubs and charged with the original formation of our club. About twenty-two local professionals and businessmen were among the original members. The Flaming Fountain Café served as the initial meeting place. A Charter Night was held at the Golden Gate Inn on April 17, 1973, and the charter was presented by the District Governor Joe Seldon, Jr. of District 696. The club was then on its own to forge forward and become a successful service organization in our community. Fred Gartz, a local investment broker, was the Charter President. Other officers were: VP- E.T. Wainwright, Secretary- Mark Rasmussen, Treasurer- Millard Younkers and Sergeant at Arms Richard Redenbaugh. During the last 35 years, the club has met at numerous local establishments including the old Elks Club (demolished) in downtown Naples, Elks Club on Airport Road, Glades Country Club, Naples Bath & Tennis Club, Mirabelle & Villa Versailles Restaurants at the Gordon River Bridge, the Elks Club and presently back to the Naples Bath & Tennis Club at Airport Road. The club's name was changed from the Rotary Club of Naples East to the Rotary Club of Naples Bay on January 1, 1998, and ratified by the Board of Directors of Rotary International on October 3, 2001. Some of the early charitable endeavors by the club were contributions to the United Way, Youth Haven, scholarships to Lely High School seniors, restoring the playground at Bayfront Park, distributing toothbrushes, and teaching dental hygiene to villagers in South America and raising disaster funds for cyclone and earthquake victims in India, etc. The club's main fundraisers have been golf tournaments, an annual Christmas Auction and celebrity Roasts

(Tax Collector Guy Carlton, Bob Moates, Sheriff Don Hunter, State Representative Dudley Goodlette etc.).

The majority of the proceeds were used for scholarships to our deserving students from Lely High School. Every year the club has held several social events such as soft ball games, cookouts, boat rides, visits to the dinner theatre, annual Christmas parties etc. The club has an annual election of officers in December of each year. In addition to a President, President Elect/Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and Past President, there is a Board of Directors. The Directors usually head up the Four Avenues of Service which include Club Service, Community Service, International Service and Vocational Service. A mission statement was established on July 1, 2004, which highlighted the above and set the course for the future

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Rotary Club of Naples Bay is an organization of business and professional persons, part of a worldwide network of Rotary Clubs, defined by the ideal of humanitarian service. The Rotarians of Naples Bay are committed to the universal application of tolerance, friendliness, and humanitarian service in all aspects of their lives, both as club members and on an individual basis. The club provides direct services to various organizations in the Greater Naples community and raises funds for philanthropic purposes, supporting both local and worldwide projects.

Please Visit This Section Each Week as We Add More Information About Our Amazing Rotary Club



A Special Welcome to Our Newest Members



Laura Lee Walker



Howard Petersen



Sandra Simmons



Carl V. Veus



Ron Clark



Helen Michell



Ron Westrom

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District 6960 News Brief -



Rotary Club of Naples Bay would like to have all members to come out to support this event and have a nice roast on the side with all the fun!

Visit District 6960 at: <https://www.dacdb.com/SecLogin3.cfm> In case you missed the 1st Quarter State of the District Address with DG Andy Lyman, you can catch the latest to see how our District is doing.



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Leadership Team

Rotary International President | President: Shekhar Mehta

Club: Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar West Bengal, India

President 2021-22 Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar West Bengal, India Mehta, an accountant, is chair of the Skyline Group, a real estate development company he founded. He is also a director of Operation Eyesight Universal (India), a Canada-based organization.

Email: www.rotaryintl.org

6960 District Governor | Andy Lyman

Rotary Club of Sarasota Sunrise

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Beverly Ann Dahlstrom
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Maria Delk
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[Guest Speakers for September](#)

[Rotarian Joseph Sponsor](#)



Feed Back of Your Newsletter!

Joseph – We are now moving into the 2nd Quarter of our Rotary Year. I believe it is time we make our Newsletter the best we can offer once again. This page will always be your previous month and if you keep your Secretary busy he probably will make sure that your weekly and monthly information are updated on your brand new website. Please hold your Secretary accountable as Madam President Beverly is holding all officers and Rotarians of the RCNB to task.

Best wishes

Secretary Joseph



Madam President Beverly

Youth Chair Jerry

Rotern/Mentor Chair Sandra

Membership Chair Erica

Rotern Carl

Secretary Joseph

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