



Rotary Club of North Fort Myers

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Richard McConville - Charter President

We meet Thursdays 8:00 a.m., Three Fishermen Seafood Restaurant, N. Ft. Myers

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This weeks speaker: Introduction by Dwight Sedgwick

Bill Bonzer - Alcohol, Tobacco, & Beverage Enforcement

Bill is an Investigative Specialist II with the State of Florida, Division of Alcoholic Beverage and Tobacco's Bureau of Law Enforcement. Bill investigates complaints of violations of the State of Florida's alcoholic beverage laws, and conducts routine inspections to ensure compliance with Florida State Statutes.

Bill has over 25 years of federal law enforcement and intelligence collection experience. In the law enforcement sector, Bill has specialized in the enforcement of dangerous drugs laws and has worked street level drug enforcement as part of a multi-jurisdictional High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area (HIDTA) task force as well as international drug trafficking in the Miami, Florida area. He has also been tasked with working outside the United States in Nassau, Bahamas and in Calgary, Alberta, Canada. In this assignment he was honored to work with the Calgary City Police as well as the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, earning commendations from both of these foreign law enforcement agencies.

In the United States Army, active and reserve, Bill has served in the intelligence field. He has trained in and been involved with the collection and the protection of highly classified material. In this capacity he served in Germany, England, and various places in Europe on active duty. As an Army Reservist he served with an interrogation unit, The National Security Agency at Ft. George G. Meade Maryland, as well as other assignments.

After retirement from federal law enforcement, but prior to his current position, Bill served as a patrol officer (Peace Officer) with the Long Beach Airport Department of Public Safety. In this sworn law-enforcement position he conducted investigations, made arrests, and compiled information in a highly fluid and dynamic environment. Bill was tasked with performing investigations for the National Safety and Transportation Board (NTSB) on aircraft accidents that did not meet their response criteria as well as being a training officer for new officers.

PLEASE WELCOME BILL BONZER !!

SPECIAL THANKS TO: Jack Hess and his Salvation Army Bell Ringers - Mike Fahnländer, Ken Swanson, Bill Thomas and Allie, Dick Clark, Dick Marshall, Norm Jones and Betty, Tim Eckert, George Sinko and Jean, and Terry Tucker who raised **\$1,199.44** For the Salvation on December 22nd.

PLANNING AHEAD - THIS YEAR

Feb 9; Bike Night— See Tim

Feb 19: Wine & Cheese Scholarship Social - See Bill T

Feb 23: RLI - Ft Myers: See Dwight

Feb 28: Rotary/Interact Spaghetti Social @ N High - See Jack

April 27: Rotary Charity Golf Tournament - See Terry

May 9-11: Dist Conf - Westin Cape Coral

June 1: Rotary Induction Party

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Jean Sinko won the

\$13.00 50/50 but NOT the

\$229.00 POT !!!



BE THE INSPIRATION

INVOCATION

May those assembled here today enjoy the many offerings of Rotary. May we abide by the rules we have established, those of trust, fellowship and ethics, and may we place Service above Self in our daily endeavors.

Amen.

**“Toast To Rotary
and Peace - through
Service - the World Over.”**



Share
Rotary
Propose
A
New
Member

The Four Way Test Of the Things We Think, Say, and Do

- First, is it the truth?
- Second, is it fair to all concerned?
- Third, will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- Fourth, will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Of course it will, Now go out and live it!

Guest Speakers

Next Week 1-31: Spencer Roach - Florida House of Representatives
Last Week: Ryan Duffy - U. S. Sugar



Birthdays & Anniversaries



Member	Birthday
Greg Grier	1-04
John Mina	1-09
Allan Parvey	1-20
Charles Hampton	1-21

Member	Wedding Anv.
None of our members married in January	

Member	Club Anv.
David Rice	1-02
Nate Smith	1-22

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