# Rotary Club of North Fort Myers

Where the Tropics Begin

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Visit our web site: <a href="https://www.rotarynftmyers.org/">www.rotarynftmyers.org/</a>

We meet Thursdays 8:00 AM Three Fishermen Seafood Restaurant
At the Best Western Hotel 13021 N Cleveland Ave North Fort Myers

This weeks speaker: Introduction by Greg Grier

Dr Shanna Johnston - Chief Human Resources Officer School District of Lee County

Shanna serves as the Chief Human Resources Officer for the School District of Lee County, leading a team that supports over 100 schools, 13,000 employees, and 100,000 students.

Over the past 30 years, Shanna has served as a teacher, assistant principal, principal, federal program officer, executive director of school development and human resources (principal supervisor). While overseeing school principals, she led a team to diminish the number of failing schools from 23 to 0 with an equitable approach to serving children.

As a proud advocate for public education, Shanna holds a PhD in organizational leadership and a master's degree in education leadership. With all of that said, kids do not care about titles, they just want to know you care! No matter what role she has been in, her mission is always to serve children. They always come first.

Shanna and her family moved to Cape Coral in 1980. She and her two daughters graduated from North Fort Myers High School...different decades of course. Her two daughters, son n law, and grandson are her pride and joy. Nothing is more important than family to her and she enjoys spending lots of time with them.

Shanna will share her insights and inspirations on how we can work together as a community to address one of the most pressing challenges in education: teacher recruitment and retention.

PLEASE WELCOME OUR OWN DR SHANNA JOHNSTON !!!



Always a great day when we welcome in a new Rotarian. On March 13, Shanna Johnston was inducted by Norm Jones (left) along with Dwight Sedgwick, her sponsor.

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Will Barnes won the\$8 50/50 ButNot The \$50 Pot

#### PLANNING AHEAD

June 13: Distribute Food at The Pantry - see Hugh
October 11: Bike Night

December 13: Christmas/Holiday Party - Magnolia Landing
December 18: Christmas/Holiday Family Breakfast
December 20: Salvation Army Bell Ringing @ Publix - see Jack



#### 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

#### DR. TERRY L. TUCKER

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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 06:05: Christi Fulton - NFM Fire Dept - Safety Seminar Last week 05:22: Dr Stephen Wener - Honor Flight

# **Birthdays & Anniversaries**

<u>Member</u>	<u>Birthday</u>
Terry Tucker	05-22
Christina Schwinn	05-25
Fran Smith	05-26
Ed Shumate	05-29

Member Wedding Anv.

No members got married this month

Member\_ Club Anv.

No members joined Rotary this month

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