Greeter/Invocation: Our greeter today was Barry Gray. Barry delivered the invocation and then he led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendance: Jim Romano announced we had 2 visiting guests to introduce Rotarian Phil Bolander and his wife Becky from Greenfield, Indiana and Rotarian Mark Stephenson from Columbia, MO. Casey Riley introduced his guest Yani, who is a commercial banker at ServisFirst Bank here in Venice.

Announcements: Please don’t forget to collect the “Soap for Hope”. This year’s collections will be delivered to Family Promise. There are still spaces in the E-spray for your business card ad. Cost is $60 – please speak with President David if you are interested.

SPONSORS NEEDED: President David shared that everyone should consider being a sponsor of our club. Sponsorship not only helps with the day-to-day operation of the club, but it is also a way to advertise your business. The cost starts as low as $250 for VNR members – this includes a business listing on all event advertising materials, your logo and listing on our website for one year and recognition on social media sites. If you are interested in corporate advertising with tickets and other perks, please consider the $500, $1000 or $3000 sponsorship. If you have any questions, please contact David or any VNR Board member.

NIGHT AT THE VENICE SYMPHONY – President Dave reported a fun time was had by all last Saturday evening at the Venice Symphony Concert! According to many different attendees, the performance was sensational!!!

DISTRICT 6960 FOUNDATION DINNER: This was also held last Saturday at the Plantation Golf and Country Club. Jane Mendola, Judy Jankowski, David and his wife Kelly attended. He said it was well attended and it was a nice evening.
**DICTIONARY PROJECT**: Chris Gray announced the dictionaries have been delivered to Venice Elementary, Laurel Nokomis Elementary and he will finish up with Epiphany Cathedral third graders! Chris thanked all those who helped deliver them.

David announced the Venice Nokomis Rotary Foundation Board of Directors met via Zoom last Friday. There will be an upcoming program soon updating the club on how the new set up between the club and Foundation works.

This Friday, March 3, 2023 Fox Lee Farms has what they are calling the “Charity Challenge”. Admission is $10 per person. The event starts at 2:30 pm along with a $25,000 show jumping event. There is also a chili cookoff from 4-6pm. The different charities involved will be racing “gators” around a track, our own Rotarians-President-Elect Casey Riley and Jackson Boone will be the drivers of the Rotary Gator!!! The winning team receives $2500. There are other “challenges” happening between the charities. GO ROTARY!!! (the other charities participating that we are aware of -Family Promise, The Twig, Venice Area Chamber of Commerce and Sertoma).

**TOAST TO VENICE** is quickly coming up. Chairman Matt Britton announced the date is March 11, 2023 at Maxine Barritt Park 2pm – 5pm. This is another fundraising event that we need ALL HANDS ON DECK. This year the tickets are $60 each. If you buy 4 tickets the total cost would be $200. We are hoping each member can sell 4 tickets! Colleen has linked the ticket sales to our website. There is also a QR code one could use. We need alcohol for the wheelbarrow of spirits we auction off at TTV!!! You can drop the bottles off at Matt's office (211 Nokomis Ave Southwest - Roberts Insurance) or bring your bottles next Thursday...we are in desperate need of these quickly!!!

**3/23/23 at State College of Florida**, we need a couple volunteers to man a booth to try to attract students for a new Rotaract Club at SCF (and future Rotarians).

An upcoming fundraiser for us and easy to do is helping out Wellen Park in the “Bartender Event”. All we must do is hand out alcohol...the club will be getting them the liquor license and then they will pay us a percentage of the proceeds. David e-mailed out a sign-up sheet. It is 5-9pm on Friday and Saturdays in March and on St. Patty's Day 10-2. Please help! Keep **Saturday 4/22** open on your calendar! It is the date our Rotary Club volunteers with Challenger Baseball.

We need you to be a buddy! It is a super fun time to help out the Challenger players. They LOVE their baseball and need our help. Our final fundraising event of the year will be the **Golf Outing on 6/3/2023**. We need a chair for this event. Rich Cimo and President Dave are happy to help. Wendy has all the information to make this a “turnkey” event for the chairperson.

**PAUL HARRIS/VNRF**: No Paul Harris to award today, however Jeff Pick came forward and presented President Dave with a check for $7000 for the Venice Nokomis Rotary Foundation. He said last June he committed to a $21,000 gift, in three different installments and this is installment #2. Of the $7000, he requested $2000 to the Robert Waldron Scholarship Fund and $5000 to Investment in Youth. Thank You Jeff!!!!

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**Cart Talk**

Jane shared “Tips for a Healthy and Active Lifestyle for People with Dementia”. Eating healthy and staying active is good for everyone and especially those with Alzheimer’s and related dementias. As the disease progresses it becomes even more challenging. Here are a few tips: (1) consider different activities and match them up to the person's ability. Consider gardening, cooking/baking and chores. (2) add music to exercises or activities...dance to the music if possible (3) Be realistic as to how much time you spend on the activity – sometimes several short mini workouts are better than one long workout (4) walk everyday – this is good for caregivers too (5) buy a variety of heathy food – single servings and salads (6) give them a choice – “do you want cottage cheese today or yogurt?” These are the just a few examples to help. Remember that every 65 seconds someone in the US is diagnosed with Alzheimer’s Disease.

**Program**

Our program today was introduced by President Elect Casey Riley. Our speaker was author Ron Zaleski who penned the book “The Long Walk Home: A Veteran's Barefoot Journey Across America”. Ron is also the founder of the non-profit The Long Walk Home (thelongwalkhome.org) Casey met Ron at Art Fest this year where Ron had a booth. Ron shared his life experiences with our club.

Ron is a Marine who served from 1970-1972. While in the Marines, he was in a group with 5 other guys – he was fortunate enough to be assigned state site, but his buddies were not. Ron stated he didn’t want to go to Viet Nam...he didn’t want to kill anyone. He prayed to God he wouldn’t have to shoot and kill anyone. After he got out in 1972 Ron met up with one of the members of his group who had a limp only to find out they all got “shot up” and two of them died. Ron then carried around a lot of guilt, anger and shame. He stated he was an ANGRY man due to this guilt. In order to recognize his buddies and others who lost their lives he decided to go barefoot. If anyone would ask him why he was barefoot He would reply “Why, you have a problem with that?” Again, he was a very angry man.

He became angry again after 9/11...why must we go to war all the time? To help bring awareness to Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) Ron founded his non-profit - The Long Walk Home and he decided to hike the Appalachian Trail barefoot! He said he sat there angry for 30 plus years and blamed everything on everyone else. He commented that your life doesn’t change unless you change. He walked approximately 2100 miles, through the woods and wildlife to bring awareness to our Veterans, but also, he said he discovered himself along the way. He found empathy and self-forgiveness along the way and most important he found a purpose in life other than himself. He also found peace.

In 2010 he decided to walk barefoot across the United States while carrying a sign “18 Vet's a Day Commit Suicide”
and he also carried a petition for people to sign to require veterans to receive mandatory counseling. He delivered that petition to Washington, DC when he completed his walk, although nothing has changed yet he continues to try!

With his non-profit The Long Walk Home his mission is to bring awareness to and to prevent Veteran Suicide. He hopes to help Veterans with the transition from military life to civilian life. His program has the “10 Challenges” … On his website he states "Our challenges are like a Boot Camp, laying the groundwork to redefine our mission because we are now in charge of our lives. We are not victims. It's up to us, not Uncle Sam! You will communicate each challenge to your mentor as you complete them through our online portal. Upon completion of your Bootcamp Ten Challenges, you will have the opportunity to become a mentor for The Long Walk Home." Ron said they can always use mentors. If you sign on to his website, thelongwalkhome.org you can sign up to take the 10 challenges. You can do it at your own pace or Zoom classes. Ron also goes into the prison's and speaks about the 10 Challenges program.

Ron recommended the next time we see a Veteran and thank them for their service, consider saying/asking "thank you for your service -what can I do for you?". If you smile at someone, you might change their life. One little change can help them and you!

Sunshine Report

President Dave reported that Colleen Carver was in the ER this past weekend. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

Pay The Lawyer

In the absence of Jeff Boone today, Steve Picazio Jr. had the pleasure of fining everyone!! He gave Chuck a $2 PTL fine for cursing in line and starting the pledge of allegiance with "Our Father". President Dave was fined a confusion $ for sending out an e-mail on Wednesday and saying several times "the meeting today"…but our meeting is Thursday, not Wednesday! Doug was fined for Fleetwood Mac playing during the prayer. Casey and Jackson were each fined for sending out an e-mail on Wednesday and saying several times "the meeting today"…but our meeting is Thursday, not Wednesday! Doug was fined for Fleetwood Mac playing during the prayer.

Casey and Jackson were each fined for being our Rotary Racers at Fox Lee Farms on Friday...Steve asked if they drove the Corvette in the parking lot??? Those drivers should be our racers!!! (Chuck and Rich)...it was suggested maybe they do a test drive in the parking lot!!! Peter Deich was fined a "glad to see you back Peter" dollar. Evan Lebson was fined a $ for driving over to Chaz 51 for our meeting. John Bragg was fined $2 – one for his cell phone ringing during the program and the second for the ding when the voice mail was available! Casey was fined for introducing our speaker Ron as a "former Marine" …Ron corrected Casey and said once a Marine, always a Marine.

Happy Dollars were given by: Mark Murray for being happy to be back at the Venice Yacht Club...that was matched by about 8 other Rotarians!!! Bruce Bench for his oldest sons 33rd birthday; Barry Gray for picking up is son Jeff and his girlfriend from the airport for a short visit; visiting Rotarian Marian Spark gave a happy $5 for her Birthday month of February and also for being able to attend the wonderful Venice Symphony last weekend; Ron, our speaker, for meeting Casey at the Art Fest and for being invited to speak to our club and finally Steve Picazio Jr for his daughter Brooke being on Spring Break in South Carolina with her rowing crew and out of the wild Boston winter weather!

Matt Britton gave a bittersweet dollar- their Foster Child, Axel, whom they have had for three years is reuniting with his father today. Please keep Axel and his father in your prayers…..also please keep Matt, Nicole and their family in your thoughts and prayers during this time. We want it to work out for all involved....

The meeting ended with the 4-Way Test!

Getting To Know Your Fellow Rotarians

Please meet one of our newer members, Matt Soloway, who joined us this past December. Matt is a Florida native having been born in Orlando January 29, 1996.

However his family moved to Westchester, Ohio when he was one year old and that is where he grew up attending and graduating from Lakota West High School. He returned to Florida in 2014 and received his Associate in Art degree from State College of Florida in 2017. He married his wife, Megan, in November of 2021.

He worked for Bob Johnson’s “Bob’s Twist & Shake” Ice Cream store here in Venice since 2014 and in January of this year purchased the business.

He knew when he had the opportunity he would join Rotary as his father was a Rotarian as is his former employer and they told him about all of the wonderful things Rotary does not only in our community but also world wide.

Growing up he played the base drum in his high school marching band. He is a very good bowler with a 180 average. He also enjoys playing Paddle Board. He hopes some day to find time to visit Europe.

He is very happy to be a member of our Club and looks forward to getting more involved.

50/50 There were 36 cards left including the Joker. The jackpot was $1115, and the winning number was the red ticket of “7969”, Zoomer Tom Hanks held the winning ticket… since Tom was not able to pull the ticket Rotarian Van Laughlin pulled a ticket for him. Van pulled the King of Diamonds, so the jackpot continues to grow.
Paul Harris

Paul Harris Society members pledge to donate at least $1,000 of their own money each year to the Rotary Foundation. That works out to about $84 per month or $2.74 per day. Donations can be made via credit card, bank charge, or with dues payments, and can be made annually, semi-annually, quarterly or monthly. We invite you to become a member. Please see Jeff Pick for more information.

Paul Harris Fellows have made a total donation of at least $1,000 (sometimes over month or years) to the Rotary Foundation. After the first $100 has been donated our club matches each dollar donated by our members. That means that a club member needs to donate only $550 to become a Paul Harris Fellow. (Matches are not made for non club members). The 2nd $1,000 donation level earns a Paul Harris Plus 1. The same for each $1,000 up to $9,000 which would be a Paul Harris Plus 8. At $10,000 or more the recognition becomes a Major Donor. Please see Jeff Pick for more information.

Bequest Society members commit a legacy in their will to the Rotary Foundation. Recognition starts at $10,000. Please see Jeff Pick for more information.

Benefactors pledge to leave at least $1,000 to the Rotary Foundation.

### Paul Harris Society

- Barry Constant
- Penny Corell
- Tom Fitch
- Barbara Freeman
- Barry Gray
- Christopher Gray
- Susan Hanks
- Jay Kasmalk
- Nanci Korman
- Jesse Lazarus
- Evan Lebson
- George Lewis
- Nancy Lewis

- Bill Mehserle
- John Myers
- Wendy North
- Stephen Picazio Sr.
- Diane Pick
- Jeffrey Pick
- Joseph Pokorney
- Craig T. Riley
- Victoria Stultz
- Steven Wirth
- Sarah Young

### Major Donors

- Christopher Gray - 1
- Susan Hanks - 1
- Jay Kasmalk - 1
- Mark Murray - 1
- Wendy North - 1
- Steve Picazio Sr. - 1
- Joe Pokorney - 1
- Steve Wirth - 1
- Evan Lebson - 2
- George Lewis - 3
- Jeffrey Pick - 3

### Bequest Society

- Barbara Freeman - 1
- Jane Mendola - 1
- Mark Murray - 1
- Wendy North - 1
- David Pankiw - 4
- Barry E. Constant - 5
- Diane Pick - 6
- Jeffrey Pick - 6

### Benefactors

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- Barbara Freeman
- George Lewis
- Jane Mendola
- Mark Murray
- Wendy North
- David Pankiw
- Diane Pick
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- Steve Wirth

### Paul Harris Fellows

- Marc Antine
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- Edward Benson
- Richard Bond
- Annette Boone
- Jackson Boone
- Jeffery Boone
- Stephen Boone
- Stuart Boone
- John Bragg
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- Craig T. Riley
- Casey Riley
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- Mike Sundaram
- Lee Thacker
- Mirian Walters
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- Clifton White
- Randy Winkel
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- Richard Zwiebel

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The Rotary Foundation

Donor Recognition Program

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You can also donate with your dues payments. The Rotary Foundation enjoys an outstanding reputation and the highest ratings from companies that rate non-profit organizations, such as: www.charitynavigator.org

Below is some information about donor recognition awarded to donors to the Rotary Foundation.
The Venice-Nokomis Rotary Club honors the memory of Rotarian Charles “Doc” Matson and his ideals by awarding two annual awards in his name. ‘Doc Matson served the Venice-Nokomis Rotary selflessly for almost 20 years and he held the world record for continuous perfect attendance of 67 years, 3 months, 3 weeks. The recipients of these awards should exemplify the Rotary motto of “Service Above Self” and be the best possible example of living by the fundamentals of the 4-Way test.

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- Clif White
- Dan Boone
- Jack Meyerhoff
- Bob Bowlin
- Bill Van Cott
- Grady Hough
- Bob Miles
- Frank Whiting
- Terry Littrell
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**Is it the TRUTH?**

**Is it FAIR to all concerned?**

**Will it build GOOD WILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?**

**Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**
Thank you to all of our past presidents who have fearlessly led the Venice-Nokomis Rotary Club to greatness!

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2016-17  Penny Corell
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2018-19  Jane Mendola
2019-20  Wendy North
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Interact Club
Meets Tuesdays at 6:00 pm - during the school year
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**Club, District & RI Calendar**

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**Board Meetings**

2nd Thurs. of each month  | 5:00 PM  
Join Zoom Meeting  
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**Websites**

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