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President, **Craig Kessler** welcomed everyone at the March meeting. He thanked everyone attending and he is looking forward working to build the attendance at our future meetings. The Nassau Blue Board of Directors is almost complete. We are still looking to have someone fill the Vice President position. The meetings are running more smoothly since we now have a President, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary and Sergeant-at Arms. It was noted at the meeting, attendance is difficult for some of our members because age, travel or personal responsibilities. We will be working on ways to accommodate those members and enable them to attend meetings and annual events. Our Treasurer **Bonnie Morello** thanked **Angela Maggio** for standing in and reporting the finances while she was away. Bonnie reported in March our finances are stable and positive based on the paperwork from our bank. She is diligently working with our bank to have the savings and credit accounts show the appropriate Board Members are on the accounts. More importantly, she discovered a problem with the annual Florida State Report of Incorporation for Nassau Blue Incorporated. It had not been filed for a period of time. We were in danger of losing our incorporation name and status. Bonnie has corrected this problem and reports Nassau Blue Inc., is now active again and all fees are paid through 2006. Good work Bonnie!

Recording Secretary **Fred Morello** read the minutes from the previous month's meeting. There were no additions or corrections. Fred thanked Angela for her assistance recording past meeting minutes while he was away.

**Corresponding Secretary Report:** Welcome to Patty Hartman. Membership rolls show no changes in member status. I have new member applications available. If a member needs one to sign someone up, I will email it to you. Members present at the March meeting expressed interest in having a Reunion in 2027. This will be discussed further in April.

**New Business:** Picnic in May! Awaiting construction updates from Walter Lewan.

**Joe Grella** reports that RPA Members are celebrating 75 years of service and have a Commemorative Bottle of Bourbon in a Satin Lined Box with Gold Lettering on the bottle. If interested the cost is \$175.00 a bottle.



Under New Business, a discussion about having a monthly meeting at another location took place. The idea is to accommodate members who can't travel to Spring Hill. This was tabled until April. In relation to that discussion, on Tuesday March, 10<sup>th</sup> Craig Kessler, Angela and Joe Maggio and me went to the Havana Club Restaurant in the Villages. **Chuck Marklin** invited us to a luncheon with Retired NCPD Members at that location. There was a large group of NCPD retired members from various Department Precincts and Units. They meet monthly for lunch and to socialize. It was not a formal club meeting, however, there were a lot of the same NCPD logo shirts worn by attendees. The luncheon was nice and moderately priced. Restaurant, food and service were good. I spoke with the manager of the restaurant after the luncheon. He was open to Nassau Blue holding a meeting there. It is worth a follow-up in the future.

The meeting was adjourned at 1322 hours.

**50/50 Winners: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize:**Craig Kessler **2<sup>nd</sup> Prize:**Patty Hartman **3<sup>rd</sup> Prize:**Jeanne Caglione

**\*NEXT MONTHLY MEETING\***

**SATURDAY, APRIL 4TH AT IHOP RESTAURANT, 3660 COMMERCIAL WAY, SPRING HILL, FL  
ARRIVE AT 12PM FOR LUNCH, THE MEETING STARTS AT 1PM**



*Happy Easter*

Havana Club Restaurant  
03-10-2026

