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GNL ANNOUNCES 2023-2024 BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND MASTERS CLASS XXVII

(Naples, Fla.)- April 27, 2023- Greater Naples Leadership (GNL) is pleased to announce the nonprofit organization's 2023-2024 Board of Directors and Masters Class XXVII, continuing GNL's over 25 years of giving back to the Naples community.

From October 2023 through March 2024, Masters Class members will participate in a series of educational sessions: Naples and Collier County; Arts and Culture; Healthcare; Education; the Environment; Growth and Economic Development; Human Services; Government; and Immokalee. These sessions include panel discussions, lectures, and site visits. All sessions feature presentations by noted leaders in each field. Volunteer opportunities in nonprofit and civic organizations are explored so graduates know where their experience and expertise can be utilized upon graduation from the program.

Immediate Past President Kitty Keane said, "After an exceptional year of community involvement including addressing the workforce housing crisis with an eye-opening public

forum, I am looking forward to seeing what our next Board and Master Class members can accomplish!"

The new Board was unanimously elected during the GNL annual meeting and will assume duties beginning May 1, 2023. New Board members are indicated by an *.

GNL 2023-2024 Board Officers and Directors

Officers:

- President - Gunther Winkler (XXII)
- President-elect - Donna Messer (XX)*
- Secretary - Kathryn Bettis (XXIV)
- Treasurer - Peter Berry (XXIV)
- Immediate Past President - Kitty Keane (XVIII)

Committee Chairs:

- Membership - Beth Stein (XXIII)*
- ACE Social - Maura Delehanty (XXIII)
- ACE - Julie Wade (XXII)
- Community Services - Tom Leipzig (XX)
- Communications - Caren Arnstein (XXII)
- Class Reps - Susan Eddy (XXIV)*
- Distinguished Leadership - Jan Guben (XXIII)*

Members At-Large:

- David Whittaker (XXV)
- Eric Wallach (XXIV)*

Masters Class XXVII Leadership Team:

- Chair - Dean Lewis Lohman (XXIV)
- Vice Chair - Ginny Veras (XXVI)*
- Program Co-Chair - Tom Farrington (XXVI)*
- Program Co-Chair - RJ Weigel (XXV)*

Retiring Board Members are Jeremy Farmer (XXII), Debbie Finch (XXI), Jerry Godshaw (XX), Tom McCann (IX), Geoff Murphy (XXIV), Martha Rozman (XXIV), Tom Sawyer (XXV), and Giselle Wagner (XXIV).

The following are members of MASTERS CLASS XXVII:

- Nancy Anthony
- Susan Arellano
- Jim Barrett
- Jane Brown
- Marie Buckley
- Lisa Casey
- Elaine Christian
- Mike Clayman
- John Crisan
- Lillian Cuoco
- Sheree Druskin
- Marje Duray
- Jeff Eakin
- John Estey
- Lara Fisher
- John Foster
- Connie Fuller
- Ray Guerin
- Mike Harrill
- Jean Hartman
- Janet Hoffman
- Becky Holden
- Bill Hosler
- Nan Kaehler
- Maria Lane Arends
- Jim Logothetis
- Jim Logothetis
- Kirstin Lynde
- Dan McLachlan
- Charlie Nilsen
- Chuck Nugent
- Sumner Nystedt
- Gloria Padilla
- Sarah Raup Johnson
- John Rau
- Nancy Ribordy
- David Ridenour
- Eric Rieseberg
- Julie Schnell
- Jill Smith
- Peggy Strakosch
- Harry Stratton
- Kim Theiss
- Irene Thompson
- JT Turner
- Gordon Turow
- Ted Walbridge
- Jean Waller
- Jim Walsh
- Robbie Weaver
- Geoffrey Wozny

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ABOUT GREATER NAPLES LEADERSHIP

The mission of Greater Naples Leadership is to provide proven leaders with a unique opportunity to learn firsthand about the issues and needs in Collier County, and to encourage the use of their skills individually and collectively to better the community.

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