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Venice rolls the dice for a casino night fundraiser

The Friends of the Venice Community Center are hosting a “Vegas in Venice” Casino Night fundraiser at 6 p.m. Saturday, March 14 at the Venice Community Center, 326 S. Nokomis Ave., Venice. Featured games include blackjack, roulette, Texas Hold ‘em poker and much more with professionally trained dealers and croupiers at each table. Tickets are only \$20 and include a buffet dinner and one free drink as well as \$100 in tournament playing chips.

The buffet will be served from 6-8 p.m. with a beer and wine cash bar plus a chance to win door prizes. Purchased raffle tickets will be entered into a grand prize drawing for a one-week vacation in a private 2-bedroom, 2-bath villa in Costa Rica. Chips earned at the gaming tables can be used to win prizes like a trip to Cancun, Sedona Golf Resort in Arizona, Orlando or one of the many gift certificates to local restaurants and businesses. There will also be a 50/50 drawing during the evening.

The Friends of the Venice Community Center (FOVCC) is a non-profit organization that provides funding for programs, activities, events and equipment at the center. In addition to the new Casino Night throughout the year, the FOVCC will host several events including dances and an annual arts and crafts show.

For more information or to purchase tickets, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000 and ask about the “Vegas in Venice” Casino Night.

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