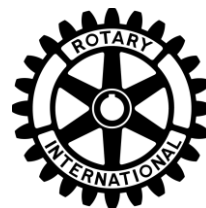




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Rotary Club of Canandaigua



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Today's Program: District 7120 Governor Dave Demers, Spencerport Rotarian

Next Week: Tyler Landries & Sarah Pavia – Big Brother/Big Sister Program

Meeting Notes from August 1st Meeting

Pledge: President Kim Tenreiro

Prayer: Dick McCaughey

Four Way Test & Vision Statement read aloud by attendees

Guests: Susan Cooney – **Margie LaTourette**, Kyle Sheppard – **Mark Sheppard**, Eileen Martin – twin sister of **Kathleen Draper**, Sharon Gullo – **Greg Gullo**, Frank Felice – here to perform upcoming wedding of Emily Uebbing – **Steve Uebbing**, Meredith, Jamie, Collin & Ann McCaughey – **Dick McCaughey**, Jennifer Maas – niece of **Dick McCaughey**, Kim Vakiener Bacon – **Ellen Polimeni**. Susan, Kim and Kyle are prospective members.

Visiting Rotarians: **Terri Hall**, PDG – Anchorage, Alaska & **Gareth Evans**, ROC. Gareth is moving to Cincinnati. We will miss him visiting our club.

Announcements:

Exchange Student – our male exchange student from Thailand will be arriving on August 19th. **Janet & Kim Tenreiro** will be hosting him for August & September. But we desperately need a host family for October thru the end of December. **Scott Kesel** is looking for suggestions of possible families – put your thinking caps on and get any potential names to Scott ASAP. Scott and **Nancy Stelnyk** will do the contacting and encouraging of potential hosts.

Noah's Blessing Box – remember to bring in canned goods, paper products, personal care items, hand operated can openers, etc. each week and deposit them in the receptacle located near the sign in area.

Red Jacket and Clifton Springs Rotarians have two food booths at the upcoming NY Steam Pageant that is held in Hopewell on August 7th – 10th. They are in desperate need of help to work the event. If you can volunteer for a couple hour shift it would be greatly appreciated. Contact Pres. Kim for details.

I See You Award – Pres. Kim presented this weeks certificate to Ken Poole for his work collecting books for Rotary and for his dedication to local music groups.

Polio Plus Jug - \$102 was collected today

Paul Harris +6 Pin was presented to **Dick McCaughey** for his contributions to the Rotary Foundation

RPO Concert – **Steve Uebbing** announced that this years concert will be different than previous years – as it will be a collection of several musical talents. His first committee meeting will be held on August 15th prior to our regular meeting. If you have been assigned to the committee – or would like to help, plan on being at the meeting at 11:30 on August 15th.

Happy Dollars / Fines: **Jack Kellogg** for a trip to Maine, New Hampshire & Vermont and for celebrating their 26th wedding anniversary. **Nancy Stelnyk** and **Gloria Dancause** for attending the recent wedding of Allison Hildebrandt who was a Canandaigua Rotarian before moving to Ithaca. **Terri Hall** for being “home” for a week. **Kathi Nevin** for celebrating with 4 grandchildren and 3 children last week when they visited home. **George Herren** who was happy to report that is granddog is recovering from surgery for a cancerous tumor – looks like they got it all. **Ken Poole** reports his 91 year old mother-in-law has moved in for a temporary visit. Ken's enjoying her stay as she does the laundry and helps to get dinner started every day. Pres. Kim presented **Gloria Dancause** with \$258 check for pulling the Joker last week.

Program: **Jamie McCaughey** who works in the Dept. of Environmental System Science in Zurich, Switzerland first talked about the glaciers and the forming of the Finger Lakes. Next he talked about the Aceh tsunami that struck the west coast of northern Indonesia in 2004. The tsunami arrived on the coast just about 20 minutes after the earthquake happened in the Indian ocean. At the time there was not an earthquake warning system in place. So the officials have worked to put a better warning system in place to notify the residents. They learned from past earthquakes that if the ocean “withdraws” there is a good chance that a tsunami wave will follow. They also learned that the withdrawal doesn't always happen before a tsunami. The consensus is that residents should evacuate to high ground if they feel an earthquake that is strong or that lasts more than a minute. They also encourage people not to go near the rivers or bodies of water to look for “withdrawal” as it happens so quickly that it will be too late to evacuate. After the 2004 event it was questioned as to whether to rebuild on the same land or to try to move to higher ground. The majority of those affected rebuilt on the same spot. They also questioned as to whether false alarms of potential tsunamis may decrease peoples willingness to evacuate to higher ground. Thanks to Jamie for presenting such an informative program. We are fortunate in the Finger Lakes to not have tsunamis.

Jackpot Drawing: **Rick Hawks** reports that 294 tickets have been sold with 306 left to sell. So go out and SELL!! SELL!! SELL!!

Joker Draw: **Tom Rogers** walked away with \$14. **Gloria Dancause** drew the queen of spades. **Ed O'Connor** and **Gloria Dancause** both got bouquets of glads to share with their loved ones.