



The Peal

Rotary Club of Canandaigua



Meeting Thursdays 12:15 p.m.
American Legion Post #256
454 North Main Street

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Club # 4765, District 7120
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Today's Program: Self Driving Cars – Jim Harvey

Next Week: Interact – Alfred Jones

Meeting Notes from: April 3, 2025

Pledge: President Kim

Inspiration: President Kim

Song: Ken Poole led us in **God Bless America**

Guests: **Ben Green** joined us once again as a guest for the final time of **Dave Hutchings**. **Ben** will be inducted into our Club today.

Remembrances: A reminder that a memorial service for **Carin Herren** will be held at the First Congregational Church on April 12th at 10 A.M.

Polio Plus Jar: Our monthly contribution to Polio Plus was \$80.34 for a total of \$1813 from our Club since July 1.

Announcements: **Jodi Kauman** brought us up to date on the green team and the District Environmental Action Team. May 10th will be the Earth Day Trash Olympics in District 7120. Our Club will meet at the Central on Main at 10 A.M. to participate.

Ed O'Connor announced that the Gas Raffle has \$3,000 in hand with the opportunity to make \$2,000 more. **Sell, Sell, Sell!!**

I See You Award: **President Kim** presented **Jodi Kaufman** with this prestigious, non-Rotary approved award for all of her contributions to our Club and community at large.

Happy Dollars/Fines A banner day for happy dollars and an opportunity to make our budget for

the year. Hope that I could keep up with the contributions:

- **Ed O'Connor** and **Susan** travelled to Texas and Florida for 30 days and are still speaking to each other.
- **Donna Miller** and **John** had happy times in Florida for 25 days.
- **Gloria Dancause** returned from Florida and was able to spend time with **Susan Cooney** while there.
- **Rick Lessard** paid for a 30-day trip to South Carolina.
- **Ken Poole** will be presenting talks on the life of Jane Loomis and announced his recent appointment as Town of Naples historian.
- **Curt Bailey's** nephew defended his dissertation at Yale on a thesis that no one of us could (or ever will) understand.
- **Jack Kellogg** could not wait and kicked off the Joke Contest during Happy Dollar time.
- **Rocco Pietropaolo** shared his joy in shepherding his granddaughter to school twice per week. Her feminine wiles are hard at work on Papa.
- **Steve Uebbing** and **Ellen** are overjoyed that their daughter is now practicing pharmacy at the Canandaigua VA Medical Center. **Steve** also visited his new granddaughter in Boston.
- **Ben Green** is very happy that he will be inducted into our Club next week,
- Finally, **Doug Merrill** is happy that **Steve Uebbing** has returned to Canandaigua.

Program: Many of our members shared their clean, non-offensive, innuendo free, apolitical, non-sexual and FUNNY jokes. Much laughter had by all.

50/50: **Ellen Polimeni** was absent so **Al Walker** pocketed the \$17. **Nancy Stelnyk** missed her chance at \$450 by pulling the 3 of Diamonds.