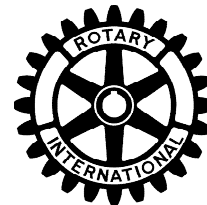


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Today's Program: Trivia Contest by Sean Buck

Next Week: Barbara Pierce, City of Rochester

Meeting Notes from: 09/26/24

Pledge: President Kim

Inspiration: President Kim

Guests: Friendship Exchange from Sweden. Hosts from Wayland, Bloomfield, Clifton Springs, Avon, Pal Mac clubs.

Visiting Rotarians: Tom and Marylou Mees.

Exchange Student: Din reported he went to the District Overnight this past weekend at Conesus Lake. All the exchange students attended and they had fun, swam, cooked, and ate. This week he also went to a Thai restaurant with his host parents. He also switched from Algebra to Geometry. Go Din!

Announcements:

-Discover Canandaigua, September 28 – see you there. Jackpot Drawing will be that day too.

Steve Uebbing – RPO – December 5, 2024. Any ads see Marty Potter. Tickets to sell will be handed out next week.

Gloria Dancause – Our Halloween celebration will be October 26, in Commons Park on Main Street. In the afternoon we will go to Onanda Park on West Lake Road with pumpkins and handouts. Please sign up to volunteer that day.

Adopt A Highway – will be on October 5.

Happy Dollars / Fines:

George Herren – for his sky dive to celebrate his 90th birthday.

Sean Buck – Took 7 students to Cleveland for a dance contest. He was pleased they came in first and second spots.

Curt Bailey – Gave money for Kim taking down all his flags while he had Covid.

Adeline Rudolph – This is the 13th anniversary when her daughter broke both of her arms zip lining in grandpa, Dave Cook's yard.

Judy Gorenflo – Happy about her new granddaughter; and also that the Bills won again.

Dick McCaughey – for his son and also \$20 for our guests today.

Ken Poole – Finished his Naples graveyard cleanup. Everything is repaired and it looks very nice.

Clark Kurtz - Happy to say that today he remembered to turn off his phone.

I See You Award-to **Gloria Dancause** for all she does behind the scenes for Rotary.

Program: Name: Nils from Sweden – Gave us an overview and history of Sweden.

It's in Northern Europe with 10 million inhabitants; 20% are foreign born. The north is forest, middle farming, south is the most populated. Rotary was begun in Sweden in 1926 in Stockholm. We have 6 districts, 376 clubs with over 160,000 Rotarians. Our major project is water. The climate is dramatic – the North has 2 months in summer of 24 hr days of sunlight. The government is a Democratic democracy with a National parliament, Regional parliament and local parliament. It is also a Monarchy with King Charles Gustav XVI; with Crown Princess Victoria next in line. Taxes are high, but healthcare and education are paid for. They belong to the European Union and have recently joined NATO. Question and Answer session followed. President Kim – gave them all Peace Poles.

Jackpot Drawing: - Most tickets are sold; the drawing will be Saturday at

Joker Draw: Ed O'Connor, won \$17 and Janet Tenreiro drew the 4 of Clubs

Upcoming Rotary Events:

9/26/24 – **Discover Canandaigua** – all day event at Central on Main.