



The Peal

Rotary Club of Canandaigua



Meeting Thursdays 12:15 p.m.
American Legion Post #256
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Today's Program: Dale Hemminger – Hemdale Farms & Greenhouses

Next Week: Club Fellowship – No speaker

Meeting notes from April 13, 2023

Pledge: Marty Potter

Guests of Rotarians: Sam Viggiani, guest of Mike Schiller, Susan Martenson, guest of Doug Merrill, Tom LaCrosse, guest of Dick McGavern, and Kathleen Draper, guest of Judi Gorenflo – all prospective Rotarians!

Announcements:

Board meeting results – Michael Mills membership approved. Also, streamlined member tract by elimination of Board approval once Membership committee requirements fulfilled. Various bills paid. Bowl-a-Thon resulted in approximately \$4000 profit. Approved \$1000 for Finger Lakes Concert Band to appear on July 4 parade float and free community concert at Kershaw on July 27. District Training Assembly in Bath to occur on Saturday April 22.

Nominations for Rotarian of year and Rookie of year need to be submitted to **Nancy Stelnyk** by 4/20. Small business award nominations need to go to **Donna Miller** very soon. Also, RYLA candidates need to go to **Gareth Evans**.

Welcome back to **Marty Muehe** and **Bill Hallett**. Great to see you both!

Fines/Happy Dollars:

Mary Green: Voluntary fine for sporadic attendance.

Donna Cator: Attending Bruce Springsteen concert.

Mike Schiller: Vacation in Myrtle Beach

Gloria Dancause: Just happy

Jack Kellogg: Twin grandkids played/win 3 games

Steve Uebbing: Welcome grandchild 'Cooper'

Kent Gilges: Fathers 86th B'day and publishing 'Memories of an African Childhood'

Ken Poole: 'Unhappy' the floods have paused books for the world program

Kim Tenreiro: 5 new flags subscribed in one day

Scott Kesel: Finger Lakes Alpine Band gig

Kim & Janet Tenreiro: Bought Pit Pass for upcoming Australia trip

Maia Haltmaier: reported a trip to Venice Florida for Spring break. She competed in a track meet (100

meter run, 100 meter relay, & long jump) and did well. School is good.

Today's Program: Claire Duggan and Tatum Jordan, Canandaigua Academy sophomores and Interact Club members.

After a brief introduction by **Adeline Rudolph**, Clair and Tatum presented a slide show to highlight the activities for the Interact Club. They also mentioned that the club currently has over 100 student members; something to keep in mind when project volunteers might be needed.

Claire and Tatum slide show included images from the following events:

- Carving pumpkins for the Ontario Pathways pumpkin walk fundraiser
- Diaper drive for low-income families
- Hoodie collection to be donated to 'The Spot'
- Salvation Army Bell Ringing
- Cooking & Serving at Gleaner's Kitchen with preparation of 'to-go' bags for attendees
- Creating Valentine Day cards for all the teachers at the Academy
- Bowl-A-Thon team formation to help develop leadership skills

And upcoming events:

- Great Lakes Watershed Clean-up (April)
- Spring Litter Clean-up (April)
- Mental Health Walk fundraiser (May)

Dates to Remember:

~**District Training Assembly at Bath Central School**, April 22 – especially for new Rotarians – and it's free!

~Tree bagging at **Greg Gullo's** house on April 27 at 6 p.m.

~**Great Lakes Watershed Cleanup Initiative** April 29 – meet at Kershaw Gazebo and Outhouse Park.

~**District Conference** – One Day Only! May 6th in Bloomfield at Veteran's Park.

~**Service Above Self Dinner** – May 18, evening meeting here at the Legion.

Joker Draw – **Rick Hawks** drew the 3 of Diamonds, and **Kim Tenreiro** walked off with \$17.00.