



WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP

Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club

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**Wednesday,
Oct. 31,
2018**

Next week:
Club Assembly

President Shad led us in the pledge and gave the invocation

Guests

Ashley Champion, guest of Dick Austin – to be inducted next week as new member

Interact

Kate Equinozzi
Julia McCormack
Emily McFadden

Announcements

- In place of Jim Dickson, Bill Flood announced that the fall Adopt-a-Highway clean-up will be on Saturday, November 10. Please meet between 9-9:30am at the corner of Billsboro Road and Rte. 14. There will be one last chance to sign up at our next meeting.
- Jim Adams had a Halloween joke for us, “how do you make Halloween punch? You put some boo’s(ze) in it!”
- Ellen added another joke, “what does a house wear on Halloween? Address!”
- Paul Bleakley, not to be outdone, added, “what do you call 3 ghosts on Halloween? Three sheets to the wind!” (*Ed. Note: “Collective groan!”*)
- Charlie Bartishevich announced that he has tickets for Hobart’s last game on Saturday. Let him know if you would like tickets.
- Dick Austin announced that our club will be doing the Community Lunch on Tuesday, December 4. Let Dick know if you would like to help.

October Birthdays

Joyce Archer	Chris Lavin
Paul Bleakley	Luis Martinez
Jim DeVaney	Harvey Reissig
Brandi Ferrara	Joe Scibona
Jerry Forcier	Neil Sjoblom
Walt Gage	Ford Weiskittel

Charlie Bartishevich led us in singing "Happy Birthday" to those celebrating in October. Bill Buell said that we performed horribly and led us in a second round of the song, to which we excelled.

50/50

Jerry Forcier split \$48/\$48 with Polio Plus and donated his winnings back. (*Thanks, Jerry!*)

Fines/Happy Dollars

- Dick Austin had a happy dollar for Mike Rusinko who is recovering from knee replacement surgery. Mike is doing great and has a whole new walk.
- Charlie Bartishevich paid a fine because he was supposed to bring Trivial Pursuit today and forgot. He did however download an app to help with our trivia game today.
- John Watson was happy to be fresh back from North Carolina where he was visiting his son and playing golf in the warm weather.
- Jason Hagerman paid a fine for being in the paper.
- Phil Beckley was happy that his wife sat at the same table as him today, even if she didn't sit next to him. Phil also thought that since we are always cleaning up the same stretch of rte. 14, maybe this would be a good year to do yard clean up at 59 Hillcrest! (*Phil and Linda's residence!*)
- Bob McFadden was happy that his daughter, Emily was attending lunch today. He was also happy for his Red Sox win.
- Neil paid a fine for not sitting at the birthday table and a happy dollar for returning from a photo conference in New York.
- Stephanie Hesler was happy that she survived volunteering for the Boo & Brew race. It was very cold and wet, but they did well for Camp Onseyawa.
- Trina was happy that two of the stars of the Fall play at the High School were with us today. The play was hilarious! Trina was also happy for the check Dick Austin gave her from the proceeds of Bella's Gives Back. She will be able to purchase hats and gloves for students in need.

- Ellen also thanked Dick for the Bella’s program, because Catholic Charities will benefit from the October sales.
- Karen Luttrell is happy to be back from Texas, where it was cold and wet the entire week she was there. Karen was supposed to walk in the Boo & Brew, but it was cold and wet here too, so she decided to hold the bar up instead. Good choice Karen!
- Chris Lavin thanked all who came out to support Mary Luckern at the Boys & Girls Club Annual Dinner, it was well attended. Chris also announced to the group that the play “Polkadots” will be playing at Theatre 444 at the Geneva Community Center this weekend.
- Paul Kirsch is happy to be a Yankees fan, but spent many happy days at Fenway Park and thinks The Red Sox are a great team.
- Jim DeVaney congratulated the Red Sox on their win and announced that he graduated from Cardiac Rehab on Monday!
- Bill McGowan was happy to have gone to see his grandson graduate as a Marine at Parris Island.
- Bill Buell added that he graduated from Parris Island in July of 1945!
- Deb Lind was happy to have attended a speech at Princeton Seminary. Deb was also happy for a great start to Family Promise.
- Linda Beckley had a happy dollar for her daughter, Meredith, who is the director of the play Chris Lavin was promoting. “Polkadots” will be performed Friday & Saturday at 7pm and Saturday & Sunday at 2pm.

Program

We did not have a speaker for today, so we played a pretty competitive game of trivia. Kudos to poor Charlie Bartishevich for being our host. Charlie took a lot of heat from this competitive crowd! In the end, those sitting at the birthday table beat out all other contestants.

Submitted by Susie Flick

<p>Four way test: “Of the things we think, say or do:”</p> <p>1. Is it The Truth? 2. Is it Fair to All Concerned? 3. Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships? 4. Will it be beneficial for All Concerned?</p>				
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