



WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP

Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club

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**Wednesday,
Sept. 4,
2019**

Next week:
Jim Travel, Seneca White
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President Mary Lawthers led the pledge, Four-Way Test, and gave the invocation

Five Minute Interview

Joyce Archer and Peter Einset gave interesting overviews of each other.

First up: **Joyce**

- Joyce was born in small town called Dunnville in Ontario, Canada and raised on a 68 acre farm. She milked cows by the time she was 6 years old!
- She attended a one-room public school that consisted of 8 grades. It was the same school her mother and brothers and sister attended and by the same teacher!
- She had several jobs in Canada before moving to the U.S. where she began working in the banking business. She is currently an AVP Training Specialist with Generations Bank.
- Joyce has a son, daughter, and twin granddaughters who will be 7 on Christmas Day and a 20 year old grandson.
- In 1996 she met an American man on a golf course in Shortsville, NY while visiting friends, and "sparks flew"! They carried on a long distance romance for four years and in 1999 Joyce started the proceedings to move to the US to marry her husband, Pete. They married on May 13th 2000.
- Joyce and Pete enjoy golfing, camping, kayaking, mountain biking and riding motorcycles.
- She is still a Canadian citizen and her two children are Canadian.
- Joyce has lived in Upper Middlesex on 23 acres since 2000 in a barn transformed into a house.
- Joyce is definitely a people person and is faithful to her family and work.

Next: Peter

- Peter's parents were born in Norway, however, Peter was born in Geneva, NY, he is a 1st Generation Norwegian American.
- He has two brothers and a sister
- Peter's dad was a scientist and was the Manager of the Pomology and Viticulture Department at the Geneva Experimental Station. He developed the grape called "Cayuga White".
- Peter received a B.A. in 1976 from Cornell University and went to law school (1983) at SUNY Buffalo, receiving an MBA and JD.
- He practiced family and criminal law for 35 years in Ontario, Yates and Seneca Counties.
- In his early adult years Peter played a lot sports which included baseball, football, lacrosse, wrestling and boxing, tennis and soccer.
- He speaks Norwegian and Russian conversationally

- His hobbies include studying languages including Norwegian, German, French, Greek, Latin and presently Italian and American Sign Language.
- He enjoys giving talks on Historical and Legal subjects.
- Joyce found out that Peter sang tenor in the St. Peter's choir for about 12 years. Now he says he likes most music except for the modern music, pinpointing RAP.
- Peter would like us to think of him as a good person, honest, hard working, and faithful to his family and friends.
- He is retired but actively looking for employment!

Next interview: Jerry Forcier and Ruth Leo for Wednesday, September 18..

Visiting Rotarian

Norm and Lois Lee, Bradenton, Florida (*Their last meeting with us as they are going back to Florida! Safe travels Norm and Lois!*)

Announcements

- Tara Rago announced Geneva Hockey Chicken BBQ on Sept. 28.
- Shad reminded us of Hoedown for Hunger, the proceeds from which help fund the community lunch program, Thursday, September 12 at Geneva on the Lake. For tickets, contact Shad Cook, Rich Kasulke, John Watson, Ellen Wayne
- Per Dave Cook there will be dinner on October 19 to benefit Camp ONSEYAWA, at Sons of Italy, with music provided by "The Flock". Tickets are \$35.00
- There will be a quick Santa Train meeting after lunch today.

50/50 Won by Susie Flick today. (*Susie, you didn't say how much you split with Polio Plus!*)

Happy Dollars

- Mary Lawthers thanked Carol Chester, Chris Fitzgerald, Ruth Leo and Susie Flick for taking notes at the meetings.
- Dick Austin paid \$100, the proceeds from donating cans and bottles from the restaurant, to benefit the backpack program. He had a great time at Yellowstone with his family and thanked Dave Cook for taking care of his chickens! But the highlight of the trip was when he proposed to Ashley and she said YES!! (*Congratulations Dick and Ashley!*) Also, his kids had a great 1st day of school.
- Ted Baker had a sad dollar for a bad back. He has an appointment with the chiropractor! He is also starting his 42nd year in broadcasting! (*Congratulations, Ted, and hope your back feels better!*)
- Tara sent both kids off to school and says she did very well!
- Ray Ciancaglini rode in with Dave Cook today and said it was quite an experience! He will be helping with football at Geneva High and is headed to Boston on September 20 to speak about concussions at a conference. He has a 50th class reunion coming up then off to the Cleveland Clinic!
- Ruth Leo had a sad dollar for her 8 year old niece, Josie, who fell and fractured her elbow. She had surgery and is doing fine. Ruth was happy to say that she now has hearing aids, so hopefully she will understand us when taking the "Wrap-up" notes!
- Phil Beckley was glad to be back after hip surgery. He thanked us for the get-well card and was thankful for wife, Linda, who was a great caregiver.
- Diana Perry enjoyed a great week-end with family.
- Carol Chester is excited for our first Rotarian wedding hoping we'll all be invited! She was also happy to say that their house in Florida is still standing.
- Margaret Wiant thanked Mike Rusinko and Carol for making her son's recent wedding so special.
- Norm Lee had a happy dollar for the great tour of "The Smith" last week.

Program

Today's Speaker: Tracy Mitrano

Tracy Mitrano spoke about Cyber Security and explained how internet communication works.

- She talked about ransomware and how they lock up your information until they get paid.
- It only takes one weak link to corrupt the entire system.
- Access is usually gained to a system through phishing scams.

Submitted by Susie Flick

Four way test:

"Of the things we think, say or do:"

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?

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