



WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP

Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club

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**Wednesday,
April 28, 2021**

Next Week:

President Dave Cook led us in the Pledge and gave the invocation from the "Book of Pat Kraus." 18 Rotarians attended in person and 11 via Zoom.

Announcements

Jim Dickson thanked everyone who helped with the lakefront clean-up Saturday, which included Interactors and Rotoractors. Fourteen bags of trash were collected. Adopt-a-Highway is scheduled for the 3rd Saturday in May. Details to follow.

Susie Flick announced that the Library will have their book sale the second week in June.

Jim Adams is looking for camp counselors for the Lake Delaware Boys Camp in the Catskills for six weeks this summer. Contact Jim if you are interested.

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Linda Beckley split \$48 (\$24/\$24) with Polio Plus.

Fines and Happy Dollars

- Richard Kasulke had a few sad and happy dollars. Since his house fire last month he and his wife have been temporarily living in Seneca Falls. He is thankful for the people who have reached out and cared. He was happy to report that while doing the Lakefront clean-up he found a \$50 bill!!! He graciously donated it to the Club for the Literacy Story Book Walk. *(Thank you, Richard!)*
- Ruth Leo was happy for the room we were sitting in. It is where her education started in Kindergarten many years ago!
- Jim Devaney was happy that the Yankees won a game.
- Kelsey Journell recently returned from Punta Cana in the Dominican Republic.

- John Watson paid a fine for missing the clean-up.
- President Dave Cook fined Phil Beckley and himself for also missing the clean-up.
- President Dave also fined Ray Ciancaglini for not being here to autograph a copy of his book.

Program

Our program today was presented by our own **Kerry Lippincott of the Historical Society**. She took us on a nostalgic trip via a video highlighting the venerable **Club 86** in Geneva. The “Club” was established in 1947 by the Legott family and is still in business today.

The Club started out as nightclub featuring many of the well known “big bands” and singers of the day. It is now a special events venue, catering to weddings, banquets, etc.

The video featured many local folks who shared their memories of the “Club”. Among them the owner, the late Billy Legott, who gave a background of the “Club” and the Torrey Park neighborhood where it is located.

This trip down “memory lane” was bittersweet, as so many of the people who were interviewed have passed on. Thank you to Kerry for sharing this with us.

Submitted by Ruth Leo

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