



# **WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP**

## **Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club**

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**Wednesday,  
Nov. 24, 2021**

Next week:

Morgan Kowalski –  
Athena Program

President Stephanie opened the meeting at Bella's Ristorante with the Pledge of Allegiance and gave a special Thanksgiving invocation. We enjoyed a delicious lunch of pasta with Italian Sausage and a Thanksgiving themed cookie!

### **Announcements**

- President Stephanie reminded us that Executive Chef Josh from Bella's is on personal leave due to family needs. Several Rotarians contributed financially to help Josh's family with expenses due to hospitalization in Rochester, and we will continue to collect contributions.
- Stephanie also reminded us that we should continue to wear a mask to our meetings, as directed by the District Governor.
- Diana Perry met with Peter Einset and Jim DeVaney regarding their "Social Circle". There will be a joint "Zoom" meeting with Oslo, Norway Rotary Club on January 12. Details will follow.
- Susie Flick gave us an update on the Santa Event at the Library. Posters were distributed and a sign-up sheet was circulated for anyone who wants to help. We were happy to learn that Santa and Mrs. Claus will arrive by fire truck and will be parked in the Library parking lot. Dave Cook confirmed that he will provide the hot chocolate.

### **Fines and Happy Dollars**

- Jason Haag was happy to give \$5.00 for the successful Cub Scouts food drive which benefitted the Center for Concern. His picture will probably be in the paper, so he paid his fine in advance.
- Richard Kasulke was happy to report that he finally got a building permit to start work on his house which was damaged by fire last year.
- After 19 years with the Finger Lakes Radio Group, Ted Baker was happy to announce that he has accepted a position with FL1.com (*Congratulations, Ted!*)

- Dave Cook used his past-president privileges and fined Jim DeVaney for talking during the meeting.
- Jim DeVaney conceded to Ruth Leo regarding Georgia Tech's romp against Notre Dame. *(Full disclosure: I'm a GT fan, but I didn't watch the game! RL)*
- Dave Cook was happy that President Stephanie gave us old folks enough time to stand up for the Pledge!
- Bob Stenzel's grandson went to the Jets/Miami game and had the privilege to ride in the Jets owner's private jet!
- Ray Ciancaglini congratulated Ted Baker on his new position, but will miss his announcing at sports events. *(Ted said he will continue to do announcing!)* Ray also expressed many thanks to be a member of our Rotary Club.
- Mike Rusinko is happy that he and Carol will be taking off for Florida tomorrow for a few days. Mike related a funny story about a Steely Dan concert they attended at the Landmark Theatre in Syracuse. He noted that Dan Fagan, lead singer with Steely Dan, was aware of the recent news that a naked man was found in the walls of the Theatre. *(Glad to know he showed an interest in local news!)*
- Mike stopped working at the FL Radio Group 19 years ago, just as Ted Baker was coming in. He said Ted's time there is noteworthy and that he is very proud of his association with Ted.
- After missing a lot of meetings, Charlie Bartishevich was happy to see everyone and enjoys the meetings at Bella's.

## **50/50**

Dave Cook split \$54.00 with the Rotary Foundation.

## **November Birthdays**

Charlie Bartishevich led us in song to wish the following Rotarians a Happy Birthday:

Linda Beckley  
 Joyce Keeney  
 Bob Stenzel  
 Bruce Tuxill

**Since this week was a Roundtable, there was no program.**

**Submitted by Ruth Leo**

<p><b>Four way test:</b>  <b>"Of the things we think, say or do:"</b></p> <p><b>1. Is it The Truth?</b>  <b>2. Is it Fair to All Concerned?</b>  <b>3. Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?</b>  <b>4. Will it be beneficial for All Concerned?</b></p>					
<b>Stephanie Hesler</b>	<b>Gerald Forcier</b>	<b>Diana Perry</b>	<b>Ford Weiskittel</b>	<b>Bob McFadden</b>	<b>Kelsey Journell</b>
President	President-Elect	Vice President	Secretary	Club Treasurer	Foundation Treasurer