



WEDNESDAY WRAP-UP

Of the Geneva, New York Rotary Club

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**Wednesday,
June 29, 2022**

Next week: Independence
Day Presentation – Mike
Rusinko and Dick Austin

Today's meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance and a final invocation by President Stephanie Hesler.

Guests:

Jamie Mathews (prospective member)
Amy Dake, guest of Jerry Forcier
Rosalie Gabriele, guest of Ken Steadman

Announcements:

- Thanks to Jerome Cohrs for the sign at Geneva Rotary's garden space at the lakefront (Mary Lawthers)
- We can still use helpers to tend to the weeds in the garden space!
- There will be a talk at the Geneva Public Library on July 14 at 4 PM titled "the Biggest Little Movie Theatre" (Peter Einset)
- Jim Dickson is feeling much better since his bout with Covid and appreciates the greeting card (Bill Flood)
- Ray Ciancaglini had many thanks to offer: to Stephanie for a good year and her service, to all those who helped with the Honor Our Heroes event, especially to Jason Haag, to Ted Baker who is so good with kids as well as a great person, and to Dave Cook for his help (coinciding with Ray's happy dollars)
- Dr. Steadman reminded us that there is still need for placement for an exchange student from Ukraine. The family need not be connected with Rotary. Susie Flick will arrange for an announcement on social media.

Happy/Sad Dollars:

- Phil Beckley: the two top students at GHS graduation are both in Interact.
- Ruth Leo: Norm Lee, visiting from Florida, had planned to visit us today, but was sidelined due to a relative testing positive for Covid. If all goes well, he plans to join us next week.
- Ruth Leo: condolences to Gerry Forcier for the loss of his Dad
- Jason Haag will begin his new job on July 5 as Chief with Finger Lakes Ambulance. Congratulations! Secondly, the Red Wings player who is staying with the Haag's scored his first collegiate homerun!
- Diana Perry's son Owen graduated from high school and her six month old, Nora, cut two teeth and sat up on her own!
- Peter Einset enjoyed a trip to northern Italy and saw Otzi The Iceman's tomb.
- Bruce Tuxill offered his thanks to Stephanie for a good year of service.
- Dave Cook is happy to see Amy Dake again at Rotary.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY June Rotarians!! *(Unfortunately, none of our birthday celebrants were at today's meeting, but we wished them a Happy Birthday just the same!)*

Shad Cook
Linda Equinozzi
Mary Gere-Penna
Richard Kasulke
Ron Telarico

Don't forget THE BIRTHDAY FUND !!

50/50

Tamara Carter shared the money with the Foundation. (Sorry, I missed the amount.)

Program: Changeover

President Stephanie Hesler listed these highlights during her tenure as President;

- The Social Circles, especially the zoom meeting with the Oslo, Norway Club.
- The Paul Harris award to Lucille Mallard
- The Service Above Self Garden Party fundraising event at Rose Hill

We applauded in-coming President Gerry Forcier today and he introduced the new board, presented pins and pledged to promote more hands-on volunteering and more service to community projects during his tenure. Congratulations!

Future Programs

- 7/6/22 – Mike Rusinko & Richard Austin – Independence Day Presentation

- 7/13/22 – Lynn Freid from Finger Lakes Workforce Development – Overview of program, insight on COVID impact on labor market/staffing challenges
- 7/20/22 – Marisa Przepiora from Safe Harbors of the Finger Lakes – Overview of programs/services
- 7/27/22 – Mary Bakogiannis from the Geneva YMCA – Overview of programming/services, update on building project
- 8/3/22 – Matt Beadle from RealEats – Brief history and info about recent growth and impact on Geneva
- 8/10/22 – April Rowlands from Goodwill of the Finger Lakes – Overview of 2.1.1. program

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Chester

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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