

# Wednesday WRAP-UP

# Rotary



Club of Geneva, New York

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**Wednesday,  
August 30, 2023**

Next week: Dave Sharman  
Geneva Recreation Dept.

President Diana led the Pledge of Allegiance and gave an invocation.

## Guests

Hugo Yamada, visiting student from Brazil with Dave Cook  
Rosalie Gabriele, guest of Dr. Ken Steadman

## August Birthdays

HAPPY BIRTHDAY August Rotarians!!

Gary Eidlin

Stephanie Hesler

Bill McGowan

Craig Talmage

Charlie Wilson

*(Since Gary Eidlin was the only Birthday Rotarian present today, we serenaded him with birthday wishes!)*

## Announcements

- Cards are being sent around for Lisa Petronio and Danielle Hagerman.
- President Diana shared a card from Danielle thanking the Club for the meals and prayers.
- The golf tournament is on September 29 and there are several ways to support it
  - Play in the tournament.
  - Come to dinner afterwards. It's \$25 per person.
  - Become a sponsor.
  - Donate item(s) to the raffle
- Dave Cook shared upcoming trips with the Reunite Cultures Fund – Germany and Bavaria (October), Italy (November), and Israel (December). Each trip is around \$3,000 per person and a portion of the cost is tax deductible. Contact Dave if you are interested in any of the trips.

- The Waterloo Club is hosting a fly-in breakfast on September 9 at the Seneca Falls-Waterloo Airport from 8 – 11 am. The all you can eat breakfast is \$11 per person.
- Linda Sutherland thanked Jim Dickson, Bill Flood, and his wife for helping to clean up the garden at the Welcome Center.
- Tamara Carter announced that the Geneva Eclipse Taskforce is looking for sponsors and volunteers. The upcoming meetings are on September 8 and 19.
- Over the years, the Club has traded banners with other Clubs and multiple banners have gone missing. If you have them or know where they might be, please contact Ford Weiskittel.

### **Happy and Sad Dollars**

- Mary Lawthers – Thanked Jim Dickson, Bill Flood and Linda Sutherland for doing a fantastic job with the garden clean-up.
- President Diana – The picnic was great last week and she's grateful to Jason Haag and Bob McFadden for cooking the hamburgers.
- Jim DeVaney – Football season has started, and Notre Dame won their game in Ireland.
- Dave Cook and Neil Sjoblom – for the photoshopped image of the picnic.
- Ruth Leo – Thanked Jim Dickson for replacing her Paul Harris medal and apologized to Dave and Hugo for the misspelling of Hugo's name in last week's wrap-up. Her swollen lip has gone down after her beehive debacle. She has spent a lot of time with family over the past week. She took her nieces shoe shopping and attended various music events over the weekend where family performed.
- Jerry Forcier – Enjoyed the picnic and glad the weather cooperated.
- Dr. Ken Steadman – Over the years he has attended Rotary meetings around the world.
- Jim Dickson – Fined himself for having his picture in the paper.
- Jamie Mathews – With both sons at college, he and his wife are empty nesters. His oldest son is spending the semester in Rome.
- Helen Kelley – Her choral group in Syracuse has the opportunity to sing at Carnegie Hall over Memorial Day weekend. They need, however, to raise money to participate.
- Linda Sutherland – Won't be attending meetings for the next two weeks because her son, daughter, and grandbabies will be visiting, and they are planning a trip to Canada.
- Jason Haag - Gave money in honor of Tom Guard
- Kathy Fuchs – Started teaching this week (at the FLCC campus centers in Geneva and Newark) and the students are fantastic. She has found teaching a very rewarding career. She also suggested we try to write a Club song.

### **50/50**

Linda Sutherland shared \$51 with the Foundation.

## Program – Club Assembly

Time to ask questions and give feedback regarding Club activities.

- Strategic Plan Updates
  - The categories line up with the survey – members, club experience, image, service/social and business/ operations.
  - A first draft has been completed and shared with our facilitators.
  - The committee is meeting on September 13 to review another draft.
  - The plan will be shared with the entire Club for feedback and suggestions after September 13
- One thing that came out of the strategic plan is more social events. Monthly activities are being planned. The next one is happy hour at Big aLICe on September 15. A suggestion was dinner at Bella’s Steakhouse.
- Jason needs help with scheduling programs. If you know someone or would be willing to do a program, contact him. Suggestions – field trips and the return of the 5 Minute Speaker.

Respectfully submitted,

Kerry Lippincott

## Future Programs

9/06/2023	Dave Sharman	Geneva Recreation Department
9/13/2023	Randy Grenier and Mike Tapscott	Geneva PD DARE Program
9/20/2023	Major General Robert Kasulke	Combat medicine to civilian medicine
9/27/2023	Jason Haag	Team Building - Physical Indoor Activities

### 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?*

<b>Diana Perry</b> President	<b>Jason Haag</b> President-Elect	<b>Kerry Lippincott</b> Vice President	<b>Ford Weiskittel</b> Secretary	<b>Bob McFadden</b> Club Treasurer	<b>Kelsey Journell</b> Foundation Treasurer
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