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**Wednesday,
Dec. 11, 2024**

Next Week: -
St. Peter's Arts Academy
Choir

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

Guests

Heather Mills, Geneva 2030

Announcements

- President Jason thanked everyone who played a part in the Santa Train.
- There is one spot left (2-3 pm) at Walmart for the Salvation Army's Red Kettle Drive on December 24. Please let Charlie Bauder know if you are available.
- *Mingle with Kringle* is this Saturday at the Library from 10 am to 12 pm. Volunteers are needed to help with a variety of activities (taking photos, working at a craft table, etc.). Volunteers are asked to be at the Library by 9:30 am. If you can help let Susie Flick know.
- This Saturday is *Wreaths Across America* at the Sampson Veteran Memorial Cemetery. There is a ceremony at noon and the wreath laying begins at 12:30 pm.
- Ted Baker will be retiring from the Finger Lakes Morning Show at the end of the month. He will continue sport broadcasts.
- The Boys and Girls Club is having an art show at the Dove Block from December 21-29. There will also be Toddle Time on December 23, 27, 28, 29, 30 and January 3 and 4.
- There will be no Club meetings on December 25 and January 1.
- Bowling will be the Club social on January 2.
- Santa's Hotline will be December 16 and 17 from 6 to 7 pm on WFLR and Mix 98.5.
- Next week's lunch meeting will be at Bella's Steakhouse

Happy Dollars

- President Jason – Had happy dollars for the Santa Train and the St. Peters Academy performance on Friday night.
- Ted Baker – For the first time in 46 years he was forcibly ejected from the press box (during the William Smith soccer game in Las Vegas). He did enjoy the Desert Wildlife Refuge and Death Valley. (*Ed. Note: Wait, what???!!!*)
- Carol Chester – For the superb organization of the Santa Train.
- Diana Perry – For the first time she rode the Santa Train as a passenger and attending her first Interact meeting on Tuesday.
- Susie Flick – Was sick over the weekend and was sorry to miss the Santa Train. She is excited for *Mingle with Kringle* and had good memories while going through her mother's address book.
- Paul Bleakley – His youngest grandson's football team won the New Hampshire State championship.
- Jerry Forcier – Commended Bob McFadden for being at the Santa Train all day. Every child he saw except for one was very happy.
- Dave Cook – Thanked everyone who helped with the Santa Train. He also had \$5 for Bob McFadden as the mystery of the missing carton of crayons has been solved (they were in Dave's other car). Roman failed his driver's test. He is also grateful for AT&T employee Valerie in Louisiana.

50/50

Diana Perry shared funds with the Foundation

Heart of Rotary

President Jason had the lucky number...but did not draw the winning card. The jackpot continues to grow.

Program

Heather Mills presented a program about Geneva 2030. Founded in 2012 as Geneva 2020, the organization aligns Geneva's nonprofits that are working with children to work in the same direction. All projects are data driven.

Community volunteers are divided into action teams that focus on key areas to support the success of Geneva's children. The teams are Birth to Kindergarten

School Readiness, literacy, bilingual education success, STEAM, College and Career Readiness, Data, Food Security, Parent/Community Communication. Each team meets monthly to share ideas and resources. For more information, visit genevacollectiveimpact.com.

**Respectfully submitted,
Kerry Lippincott**

Future Programs

12/ 18 – **St. Peter's Arts Academy Choir at Bella's Steakhouse (lunch meeting)**

12/25 – No meeting. Merry Christmas.

1/1 – No meeting. Happy New Year.

1/8 – Roundtable – Brainstorming possible nominations for the Ralph Springstead Award, Paul Harris Fellows, and Lisa Toole Petronio Community Organization of the Year Award

Important Upcoming Dates:

- Wed. Dec 18th(noon): St. Peter’s Choir at Bellas Seneca Lake Steakhouse

Community Service Corner:

Saturday Dec 14th: Mingle with Kringle at the Geneva Public Library (10am to 12:00). Please reach out to Susie Flick if you can volunteer.

Tuesday Dec 24th: Salvation Army Bell Ringing by Geneva Rotary. We have more 1-hour volunteer shift openings we are hopeful to fill. Please reach out to Charlie Bauder to join in this Rotary tradition.

<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>				
<p>Jason Haag President</p>	<p>Kerry Lippincott President-Elect</p>	<p>Dick Austin Vice President</p>	<p>Ford Weiskittel Secretary</p>	<p>Bob McFadden Treasurer</p>