# Wednesday WRAP-UP



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Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2025 Next week: Tom Millington Abroadia

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

### **Guests**

Steve Goldstein, UR Medical Center Dr. Jose Acevedo, Finger Lakes Heath Kim Ilacqua, Finger Lakes Health

#### **Announcements**

- The Service Above Self Gala is April 5 at Ventosa. The next committee meeting will be Tuesday, March 4 at 5:30 pm at Dana's.
- Host families are needed for Lithuanian students who will be here from April 21 -22. Contact Dave Cook if you are interested in being a host family.
- The third Saturday of the month is the Club's time to help with Toddler Time at the Boys and Girls Club. A sign-up sheet will be circulated next week.
- The website committee will be meeting on February 27 at 5:30 pm at WeBe Brewing.
- Donations are being accepted for the Library's Book Sale. The sale is April 3-11
- Historic Geneva is hosting a grand re-opening of the Geneva History
   Museum on March 8 from 2 to 4 pm.

# **Happy/Sad Dollars:**

- Ruthie Leo Had good news about her niece which she will share when it's official! (Ed. Note: I let the cat out of the bag too soon! Oops!)
- Gary Adamson Has been a patient for 50 years in the U of R/Strong Hospital system and is delighted to have the speakers today
- Neil Sjoblom Enjoyed Kerry's presentation last week and did research into how the Cracker Factory got its name. It came from the Simpson's TV show
- Dave Cook His stitches will come out on Thursday. Roman and his girlfriend enjoyed their trip to NYC. Dave enjoys seeing America through their eyes.
- Mary Gearan Attended Toddler Time and was amazed at what the Boys and Girls Club does each week. She also recommended the Bob Dylan movie, A Complete Unknown.
- Johnnie O Presented Diana Perry with a man's watch for the Service Above Self auction
- President Jason Sat in the cold Tuesday night to watch the Hobart lacrosse game.
- Jim Dickson Instead of sitting at the birthday table he sat with his friend
   Steve Goldstein

## <u>50/50</u>

Kim Ilacqua shared \$78 with the Foundation

# **February Birthdays**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY February Rotarians!!

Tamara Carter
Jim Dickson
Susie Flick
Palma Fratto-Evans
Kerry Lippincott
Bob McFadden
Jeff Pierce
John Watson

Don't forget THE BIRTHDAY FUND!

## **Program**

Phil Beckey introduced **Dr. Jose Acevedo**, **President & C.E.O. UR Medicine Finger Lakes Health and Steve Goldstein, President of Integration Strategy, UR Medical Center.** The pair discussed Finger Health –

- Geneva Hospital was established in 1898 and Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hospital in 1924
- Finger Lakes Health serves four counties
- Why did Finger Lakes Health join UR Medical Center?
  - They vetted nine organizations and selected the best partner
  - No other organization has the reputation that U of R Medical Center has
  - Their business model Doctors are sent to community hospitals to keep the patients in their own community
  - The ability to offer new services like neurosurgery
  - Access to more resources
- Goal of UR Medical Center is to create a premiere health care network in upstate New York
- Other affiliates include Hornell, Dansville, and Canandaigua
- Through their affiliates, UR Medical Center is committed to
  - Keeping services at local hospitals
  - Growing service lines to increase volume
  - Continuing to add new services locally
- Consequences of not using Finger Lakes Health
  - Reduction in services
  - Traveling outside of the region for services
  - Longer waits
  - Higher co-pays and costs
  - o Potential facility closures
  - Loss of jobs
- Questions
  - Are spaces within the hospital re-opening? Yes, the cancer center on Washington Street and Flaum Eye Institute are moving into the hospital

- Healthcare in the future Hard to say how it will be paid for. Due to the cost of a medical education (\$600,000), there will be more foreign-born doctors, physician assistants and nurse practitioners
- Impact of AI AI will act as a scribe and provide diagnostic information so doctors can focus on the patient

# Respectfully submitted, Kerry Lippincott

## **Future Programs**

- March 5 (evening meeting) Tom Millington with Abroadia
- March 12 Ryanne Hughes, Director of Toddler Time at the Geneva Boys and Girls Club
- March 19 (evening Meeting) Interact Bake Sale

## **Important Upcoming Dates:**

- March 5 and 19 are EVENING meetings.
- SAS event is on April 5 at Ventosa.

#### **Community Service Corner: TBA**

Four way test: "Of the things we think, say or do:"

Is it The Truth?
 Is it Fair to All Concerned?
 Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
 Will it be beneficial for All Concerned?

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