# Wednesday WRAP-UP



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Wednesday, May 7, 2025 Next week: Barb Geary Credit Card Processing

President Jason Haag led the Pledge of Allegiance, gave the invocation and led us in the 4-Way Test

#### **Visiting Rotarians**

Laine Pufnock Jody Kaufman, Canandaigua - Speaker Ralph Brandt, Bloomfield

#### Guests

Peter Einset Rick Kaufman, Canandaigua

#### **Announcements**

- A moment of silence was observed in memory of our fellow member, Ken Steadman. A memorial service will be held on May 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Geneva. Members were encouraged to attend.
- President Jason read a note from Dave Cook who apologized for comments made at last week's meeting.
- Reminder of the golf tournament on June 13<sup>th</sup>! We need volunteers please sign up!
- Stephanie Hesler (on behalf of Kathy Fuchs) reminded us that the MLK Dinner will be held on May 21<sup>st</sup> at Club 86. Deadline for tickets in May 16<sup>th</sup>. We hope to have a table reserved for Rotarians attending the dinner.
- Stephanie also asked for volunteers for Saturday, May 17 at the Boys and Girls Club. A hot breakfast will be served from 8:30 a.m. to noon.

 Ralph Brandt reminded us of the Camp ONSEYAWA Golf Tournament at Silver Creek on June 14. Encouraged members to play if you're not too exhausted from our tournament the day before!!

## **Happy/Sad Dollars**

- Ford Weiskittel noted that since our golf tournaments have been scheduled recently on Friday the 13<sup>th</sup>, and future dates are in the winter, any future tournaments will be played in the snow!
- Peter Einset recently visited the Glen Curtis Museum in Hammondsport. If you are interested in aviation, he encouraged us to visit.
- Ted Baker will be making a road trip to Amherst, MA with HWS. He noted that Amherst was the birthplace of Hobart football! (Sorry, Ted, I didn't get all of this!) He also had a sad dollar for Ken Steadman.
- Susie Flick will be leaving for Florida on Friday with her sisters. She also had a sad dollar for Ken.
- Santa Abraham thanked everyone for raising \$1,680 for the FLCC scholarships. She also asked for volunteers for the Salvation Army Community Fair from 12:00 to 4:00 p.m. (Sorry, Santa, I didn't get the date!)
- Jerry Forcier moved into his new house. Upon inspecting his new fireplace he was met with a faceful of black soot! He also had a sad dollar for Ken.
- Stephanie Hesler thanked everyone for the cards and condolences for the recent passing of her father.
- Mary Sue Dehn will be traveling to Atlanta to attend her son's graduation from Emory University.
- Barb Geary was happy to see Laine Pufnock. She shared memories of Ken.
- President Jason was happy for the Yankees and participated in another 26 mile race in Webster. He went to Indianapolis recently to work with the Colts' medical staff. He was fortunate to be handed tickets for the Pacers/Bucks game.
- Peter Einset went to the Princeton/Cornell lacrosse game. Fortunately, Cornell beat Princeton!
- Paul Bleakley will celebrate 62 years of marriage on Sunday with Joanne! (Congratulations Paul and Joanne!)
- Phil Beckley's sponsor for joining Rotary was Ken Steadman. His response was "They always get their man!"

- Several other members shared memories of Ken Steadman.
- Ruth Leo recently returned from a 10 day vacation in Atlanta and Wilmington, NC. She had a great time visiting friends but was glad to be home. She thanked, Carol Chester, Kerry Lippincott and Ford Weiskittel for taking care of the Wrap-up in her absence. She also had a sad dollar for Ken.

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

Ted Baker shared \$47/\$46 with the Rotary Foundation.

#### **No Heart of Rotary Today!**

#### **Program**

**Jodi Kaufman** of Canandaigua Rotary was our speaker today. She discussed the **District's Environmental Action Committee** and Rotary's **Habitat for Humanity Solar Project.** When the Environment was announced at Rotary's 7<sup>th</sup> area of service, she immediately formed a Green Team as well as joining ESRAG where she finds many project ideas. She is promoting the District Environmental Action Committee with presentations throughout the district.

#### **Habitat for Humanity Project:**

- Two great organizations working for the good of the community
- Since 2017, Rotary International has an official agreement with Habitat for Humanity led by the Environmental Sustainability Rotary Action Group (ESRAG)
- There are successful projects throughout the country
- A Habitat solar home is being built right here in Geneva on Catherine Street.
- Volunteers are needed. Contact Jodi Kaufman, Canandaigua Rotary Green
   Team randjk@frontiernet.net

Respectfully submitted, Ruth Leo

## **Future Programs**

May 14 - Barb Geary on credit card processing

May 21 (evening meeting) – Geneva Reads

May 28 – Caitlin Farnung with the United Way and the program will be about ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed

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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