

Wednesday WRAP-UP

Rotary

Club of Geneva, New York



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**Wednesday,
June 25, 2025**

Next week:
Reading of the Declaration
Of Independence

Change-Over Meeting

President Jason Haag opened today's meeting, his final one as president, with the Pledge of Allegiance, a most thoughtful invocation, and then introduced today's guests as well as visiting Rotarian Norm Lee.
The Four-Way Test was recited en masse.

Visiting Rotarian

Norm Lee, Bradenton, Florida

Guests

Peter Einset
Gavin Haag
Linda and Davis Haag

Birthdays

Several Rotarians are celebrating their birthdays in June.

Mary Sue Dehn
Linda Equinozzi
Mary Gere-Penna
Leslie Cohen Hickey
Richard Kasulke
Ron Telarico

Norm Lee, visiting from Florida, is celebrating his 93rd birthday today!

Remarks:

Outgoing President Jason highlighted several of his best memories and accomplishments from his year as president:

- He thanked the fund-raising committee, especially Diana Perry, for their success
- He thanked Dave Cook who gave his all to make the Santa Train happen and be so successful.
- He thanked President-Elect Kerry Lippincott for her unending support.

- He thanked his family for their help with schedules, events, car rides, and more. Earlier today, son Gavin moved up from fifth grade, earning seven awards.
- He thanked the Grants Committee for handling more than 30k in donations this past year.
- He thanked Bob McFadden and Johnny O for their service at weekly check-in.
- He thanked the SAS Gala Committee for making it happen!
- He thanked the Student Loan Committee, especially Charlie Bauder, for interest-free college loans to Geneva HS grads.
- Being grateful for the opportunity to serve, Jason then presented Jim Dickson with memorabilia from the late Ken Steadman: his assistant governor "patch."

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- Jim Dickson shared \$77 with the Foundation.

Program:

- Installation of Kerry Lippincott as President of Geneva Rotary, 2025-2026 and Garey Adamson as President-Elect.
- New board members: Santa Abraham, Dave Cook, Kathy Fuchs, Ted Baker, and Diana Perry.
- Kerry shared some personal thoughts about her new position.

Announcements:

- Kathy Fuchs: The MLK Choir will perform at the lakefront July 9, 6-8 pm
- Stephanie Hesler: the Boys and Girls Club Golf Tournament will take place at Silver Creek Golf Club, July 15. There are openings available for anyone interested.
- Jason Haag will teach Mental Health Classes July 1,2, at Hydrant Hose. Free. Dinner included, 6-9 pm. Contact Jason if interested.

Happy Dollars:

- Peter Einset made a reference to past Rotarians and leaders, such as the late Paul Kirsch.
- Frank Capozzi gave thanks for the recent Sharing the Light Dinner. Ray Ciancaglini and Nancy and Charlie Bauder were among the honorees. Frank said that this was the "best performing edition of this event so far!"
- Carol Chester is delighted that her glasses were found at the Golf Tournament and returned to her by Diana Perry at Rose Soiree!
- Dave Cook thanked Jason for his service and looks forward to show tunes under Kerry's guidance.
- Jim Dickson has \$\$ for the Detroit Tigers.
- Ted Baker gave himself the dumb-dumb award for showing up at lunch time for last week's evening meeting. Ted recently ended his sports season with 121 games at the microphone. He also added his admiration for our club's progress

in putting ourselves back together and moving forward as a club (since the pandemic).

- Diana Perry: thanked Jason for his support, and the club's success in fund raising, grants, golf tournaments, and in finding my glasses.
- Ruth Leo: thankful for a good year with Jason, a good year ahead with Kerry, and wished us all a good summer!
- Norm Lee has been in contact with Bob Stenzel recently. Bob took a tumble but brushed himself off and carries on! Go Bob!
- Charlie Bauder: thankful for Jason's year as President, wishes Kerry well in her year as President, and complimented Frank for Sharing the Light Ceremony. Charlie is doubly happy to compliment Ray C. as the "second oldest" here today.
- Kathy Fuchs thanked Jason for always remaining positive.
- Jerry Forcier thanked Jason and Kerry for their service. He commented that Digger and Ruthie are champs of everything Geneva! And he was sitting at the Bob Stenzel table today
- Jason wished Kerry a great year!

**Respectfully submitted,
Carol Chester**

Future Programs

July 2 4th of July Celebration (Reading of the Declaration of Independence)

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