

Wednesday WRAP-UP

Rotary

Club of Geneva, New York



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**Wednesday,
July 9, 2025**

Next week: David Locke
Learning to play the
Harmonica!
EVENING MEETING!!

President Kerry Lippincott led us in the pledge, invocation and reading of the 4 way test.

Visiting Rotarians

Norm Lee, Bradenton, FL

Guests

Anne Longo, guest of Kathy Fuchs
Peter Einset

Announcements

Kerri Lippincott

- Next week's meeting (July 16) is an evening meeting, starting at 6 p.m.
- Reminder: Board Meeting is Monday, July 14 @ noon, Geneva History Museum

Kathy Fuchs

- MLK Choir performing tonight at the Gazebo lakeside from 6 – 8 p.m. Bring a lawnchair.

Ethan Fogg

- Geneva YMCA Summerfest is next Friday and Saturday, July 11 and 12. Details here:
<https://genevafamilyymca.org/summerfest> Family friendly activities, music, games, food, raffles all weekend and fireworks on Saturday night.

Happy Dollars

- Ethan Fogg – happy to have been run into by a Summerfest volunteer – literally – whom he got to know while waiting for the patrol car to come take the report for insurance
- Ted Baker – happy about the new volunteer notetakers at the meetings (said VERY slowly) (*Thanks Ted!*)
- Susie Flick -- happy because so much is going on at the Library, construction almost complete and new chairs were donated for the Reading Room, but she got poison ivy on her face doing yard work!
- Ruth Leo – bragging about more family; this time about grand niece Phoebe Leo and grand nephew, Joey Mull, (cousins) who were both named Seneca County Brightest Stars at their middle schools

- Laine Pufnock – happy because her son eloped to Italy! Congratulations!
- Gary Adamson – happy about Geneva Public Library and the library system; sporting a GPL T-shirt (available for \$12 at the Library)
- Dave Cook – happy to see Mennonite community coming together to rebuild barn that burned within days of the fire; encourages Rotary to similarly support each other and our community
- Peter Einset – happy to be starting a class at Cornell on Genetics and Society, and to share what he learns
- Kathy Fuchs – happy about and grateful for the support of Rotarians who have helped since her husband's stroke
- Diana Perry – happy about the hot, steamy weather

50/50

\$30 won by Laine Prufock

PROGRAM

Our own **Susie Flick** presented an update on all the happenings at the **Geneva Public Library** – a very busy place!

- She reviewed the 2024 Report to the Community: <https://gplny.org/annual-report-to-the-community/>
- The number of visitors, events, programs is growing year over year.
- Highlights of 2024: Seed Library and Free Farmstand.
- Introduced the new website: gplny.org. Sign up there for the newsletter, check the calendar and register for programs and events, reserve study or meeting rooms, access library system resources including streaming movies and television shows.
- The library has 26 employees.
- The Geneva Rotary Birthday Fund raises money for the library, and checks are presented twice a year.

Respectfully submitted
Mary Sue Dehn

Future Programs

- 7/16 – **EVENING MEETING** – David Locke, learning and playing the harmonica
- 7/23 – Catherine Price, Geneva BID
- 7/30 - Jackie Termini, FLCC's Finger Lakes Mosaic Collective
- 8/6 – TBD
- 8/13 – Amie Hendrix, Geneva City Manager
- 8/20 – Club Picnic at the Seneca Lake Yacht Club

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?

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