



Miss a meeting?
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**Wednesday,
Sept. 24, 2025**

Next week:

Jim Cecere, candidate for
Geneva mayor

President Kerry opened today's meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by an invocation and recitation of the Four-Way Pledge in unison

Guests

Ashley Davoli, speaker

Community Service

- Kerry Lippincott: Need volunteers for History museum, every Friday, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. or 12:30-3:00 p.m.
- Linda Sutherland: Sat., 10/11 – Weeding at Welcome Center Garden, HWS Volunteer Day – let Linda know if you can come
- Jim Dickson: Adopt-a-Highway, October 4th, 9:30 a.m. Meet at West Lake and Billsboro Rd.

Announcements

- Stephanie Hesler: **Boys & Girls Club annual dinner** is Thursday, October 16 at 5:30 p.m. Kathy Fuchs and Linda Equinozzi are putting together a Rotary table. Let them know if you want to join.
- Mary Sue Dehn: **Pickleball for Health!** Fundraiser for Geneva General Hospital on Sat., October 18 on the courts at Geneva High School. Play, donate items for the basket raffle or sponsor. Clinic for beginners and families starting at 9ish, tournament play in the afternoon. All welcome!
- Speaking of Pickleball: Garey Adamson announced that Kathy Fuchs will be teaching pickleball on Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. at Northeast College of Health Science (formerly Chiropractic College) in Seneca Falls.
- Stephanie Hesler informed us that four HWS alumni will be sailing across the Atlantic Ocean. (Team name: *Seneca Navy*) They chose to sponsor Boys and Girls Clubs of Geneva. They will be speaking at the Gearan Center on Saturday, Oct. 4th at 3:00. Come over after the garden clean-up. (*Stephanie – I hope I got this right!*)
- Ethan Fogg: YMCA Gala is on Nov. 21st. He let us know that improvements are coming along on the building.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY September Rotarians!!

Charlie Bauder
Barb Geary
Linda Sutherland
Susan Wertman

Don't forget THE BIRTHDAY FUND !!

Happy/Sad Dollars

- Jim Dickson was happy for his football team and was happy to point out Bill Flood wearing a U. of Michigan Championship jersey!
- Diana Perry was calling Dave Cook to see if he was "OK" only to find out he was already here! Diana attributed it to a "senior moment"!
- Phil Beckley forgot the Board meeting but thanked Bob McFadden for "having his back." He also thanked Tamara Carter for organizing the mini-golf outing and was proud to say he got his first "hole-in-one"!!
- Ruth Leo– attended her GHS 60th reunion at Bella's Steakhouse on Saturday . She was happy to report that the food was great and that Dick Austin took good care of the group!
- Stephanie Hesler– recently enjoyed a weekend in Niagara Falls and to see Alison Krauss in concert
- Jerry Forcier – sadly opened Carol Chester's email and was hacked.
- Carol added a sad dollar for Jerry's misfortune.
- Linda Sutherland recently saw Willy Nelson and Bob Dylan in concert, and was happy that she got to spend time with her son, daughter and grandchildren.
- Ted Baker was happy to announce his first HWS football game of the season and that he is back on morning radio.
- Kerry Lippincott was happy that last week's Round Table went well and sparked good conversation.

50/50

Rhonda Moore split \$40/\$39 with Rotary.

Heart of Rotary

Carol Chester drew the King of Spades. \$242 goes back in the pot!!

PROGRAM

Ray Ciancaglini introduced our speaker, **Ashley Davoli, Executive Director of the Child Advocacy Center of the Finger Lakes.**

The Child Advocacy Center of the Finger Lakes (CACFL) is a child-friendly location where allegations of physical or sexual abuse are responded to by a multidisciplinary team of professionals. From the time of the report through the end of the case, the team will provide necessary support services to children and their non-offending caregivers. The program operates to serve children and families residing in Ontario, Seneca and Yates counties.

Some highlights included:

- It is estimated that 1 out of 5 girls and 1 out of 20 boys are sexually abused during childhood. 90% of the cases are from someone they know and trust.
- There were 430 cases were investigated last year alone
- The Center is set up like a home to feel safe and comfortable.
- The Center strives to accomplish several goals:
 - To reduce the secondary trauma to children by providing a compassionate response
 - To share respective skills, information and resources to rapidly and thoroughly investigate allegations of child abuse.
 - To provide support to enable the healing process

For more information: www.cacfingerlakes.org

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**Respectfully submitted,
Ruth Leo**

Future Programs

10/4 – Jim Cecere, candidate for Mayor of Geneva

Community Service

- Reading to children in Geneva Schools (Bob McFadden, contact person)
- Toddler Time at the Boys and Girls Club, 3rd Saturday of the month is designated for Geneva Rotary Club volunteers, 8:30-12:30, three shifts
- Sat., 10/11 – Weeding at Welcome Center Garden, HWS Volunteer Day – let Linda know if you can come

Upcoming Social Events

Friday, 10/10 – Big Alice Brewing

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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