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(That's Rotarian Spelled Backwards)



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New Member



August 3, President Sharon and Lori inducted and welcomed Bill Kocher. Oscar, who sponsored Bill, joins in the welcome. Bill was a member in Columbus, Ohio for 15 years. He and his wife, Vivian, live in Brookfield. He is an attorney, specializing in Dispute Resolution. We are pleased to have Bill with us, and we were even more pleased that Vivian was able to join us,

We will be meeting
at the **MAXX** August
17

New Paul Harris Fellow



Frank "pins" Dennis, who received his Paul Harris, from our club, for all of his work with the club, and with Building Together!



Rotary Foundation

It is still early, but several members have their lunch badge stickers, already. Remember, we have made a commitment for each member to donate \$50, toward our District goal, to support the great works of the Rotary Foundation. Our lunch "tips", earmarked for Polio Plus, and your \$50 help to make our commitment of "Every Rotarian, Every Year". You may give your check to Charlie, or include it when you send your quarterly dues. You can split it up, or pay it all at once. Please join us in this ambitious, but necessary goal!



Club Web Site
www.NMRotary.org

Military Coupon Program

We are still collecting coupons to be sent to our military personnel and their families. The coupons may be for food, clothing or other items, for which families can receive discounts. Please clip and give them to Nancy. Be sure that they have an expiration date to reach the families in due time.

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Upcoming Meetings & Events

August 3– Justin Bernier– aspiring Republican candidate for U.S. Congress / Food Donation Day.
August 9 (Monday)- District Golf Tournament at Oak Ridge Golf Course, Feeding Hills, Mass.
August 10– Meet the new interim President at NM Hospital
August 17– Club committees meetings.
August 24– Allie Mandeville– Last years' Exchange Student to Spain.
August 31– Michael Johnston– CEO United way.
Sept. 18– 10:00 A.M. –5:00 P.M. NM Lions Club Fall festival at Harrybrooke Park (We will be participating).
September 17 (Friday) - Annual Rose Sale 10:A.M. (tentative)
October 1 Friday)-Annual Golf Outing at Fairview Farm– Mark your calendars!

August Anniversaries

August 2– Wink and Jody Lampe
August 3– Diane and Tony Dlugokencky
August 8– Frank and Priscilla Wargo
August 13– Mary and Jeff Burcaw
August 15– Charlie and Julie Reppenhagen

August Birthdays

August 9– Walter Whitney
August 12– Peter Daubner
August 14– Roger Arguello
August 17– Charlie Junz
August 18– Pat Murphy



Programs

July 6, Mark Albertson, WWII historian, gave us some history of U.S. Navy ships. He told us that the battleship U.S.S. Connecticut, was the first flagship of the U.S. fleet. Construction was started March 10, 1903, and it was commissioned September 29, 1906.



July 27, District Governor Prasad Menon, made his official visit to our club. He congratulated us on the fine job that we are doing, and discussed his goals and plans for this year. He asked for our support in the District's goals and objectives.



Rose Sale



We will hold our Annual Rose Sale Friday September 17. This has become one of our major fund raisers. We need every member to sell at least 20 dozen roses at our bargain price (or surprise your wife/ husband/ significant other with a big bunch (10 or 20 dozen), which you have purchased!).



July 20, Boy Scout Troop #58, which we co-sponsor, told us of their activities, plans, and service to the community.



August 3, aspiring Republican candidate for U.S. Congress, Justin Bernier told us why he should be elected. He was a member of Governor Rell's cabinet.



Judge William DeFeo visited us July 20, to tell us about the Probate Court workings, and why he should be elected to preside over the newly realigned court.

Local Rotary Clubs for make-up meetings

Litchfield-Morris-Thursday 12:00 Noon at the Litchfield Inn
Danbury- Wednesday 12:15 P.M. at the Ethan Allen Inn
Newtown- Monday 6:15 P.M. at The Inn in Newtown
Washington- Tuesday 12:15 P.M. at St. John's Episcopal Church

Brookfield- Monday 6:15 PM at Pasta Garden
Danbury Sunrise- Fri. 7:30 A.M. at the WCSU- Westside Campus Student Center
E-Club- www.rotary7890.org

Whoops!!

A little thing like 2 broken bones in her leg, doesn't stop Bonnie from going to work and coming to meetings! With her leg out the window, she toughs it out!

Special Guest

Lori beams with pride, as Zachary visits us, once again. He has been active in several of our club activities!

Raffle Prizes

We have done well in the past, with raffle donations! Thanks to all contributors! Thanks to Katy for the snack tray, and Jim Faure for the wine! We still welcome any more donations of raffle prizes for our lunch meetings. If you have anything to donate, a bottle of liquid refreshment, a nice item that you may have a duplicate of, and not need, please let President Sharon or Charlie know.

Special Thanks!

Thank you to Ann Fisher, for donating 6 large rolls of raffle tickets! We should be set for quite a while, and obviously, this is a large savings to the club!

The 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 **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Rotary Foundation Bus Persons

August 3— Jennifer/ Terry
 August 10— Peter Evangelisti/ George Petermann
 August 24— Tinker/ Mary Burcaw
 August 31— Andrew/ Bill Quinnell
 September 7— Oscar/ Francis

Golf Tournament

Our 27th annual golf tournament will be Friday, October 1, at Fairview Farm in Harwinton. We really need a push for golfers and sponsors. This is our biggest fund raiser . The price is the same-\$165 (very competitive in today's market!) Put together a 4-some, and start to work on sponsors. We have lost some, who have gone out of business, or moved, so we need new sponsors. Think about all of the businesses that you patronize, and ask if they will be a part of this worthwhile fund raiser. You don't have to be a pro.....put together a 4-some and let Katy know.

NM Ambulance

The new ambulance facility will be open for business Friday August 13. 4:00 P.M. We have been invited to attend the ribbon cutting. If you are able, please attend.

Donations



We welcomed a large number of guests, at our meeting July 13, to present checks in the amount of approximately \$21,000, of the total of about \$50,000 that we donated for the year ending June 30. Thanks to all who made this proud day possible!



President Sharon presents a check, representing our annual donation to Healing the Children, to Dana. Dana was on a trip for Healing the Children July 13, when we gave out the bulk of our donations.

Scholarships



Once again, we awarded \$10,000 in scholarships! July 13, we were pleased to have all of our scholarship recipients present, to receive their checks. Front row: Rachael Berger (George Verenes Scholarship), Carly Strelez (Rod Hauser Scholarship), Nirma Rizvic (Harry Kennel Scholarship), Julianne Mirkhani (George Doring Scholarship), Chelsea Mirkhani (Wayne Barlow Scholarship), Cameron (CJ) Mirkhani (Rod Hauser Scholarship). Back row: Kaitlyn Flynn (Wayne Barlow Scholarship), Cole Rossiter (Harry Kennel Scholarship), Eric Ho (George Verenes Scholarship), Jimmy Bain (George Doring Scholarship). You may recognize Eric Ho, who has been our Student of the Month, and was a Team Waramaug member, and the Mirkhanis, who are familiar faces at the dough booth.



July 13, President Sharon presented a check to Daren, and a Cub Scout representative, for the Clatter Valley Cub Scout Pack, which we sponsor.

Installation Dinner



Peter and President Sharon invited Peter Dauber's singing group, the Rare Occasion, to serenade us at our installation dinner. They were great!

Village Fair Days

Thanks to Rob, Jim, Peter and the rest of the committee, we had a successful event this year. We should net about \$8,000! There was a great amount of work done behind the scenes by Peter, Rob, Jim, C.J., Danny, and others. We owe a huge thanks to Rich Layton, owner of Layton Fuel Co., who, as always, worked on our cookers to make sure they were ready! Rob reports that 48 people volunteered to work, 42 members, one Interact Club member, and 5 other volunteers worked! 16 members worked at least one extra shift!



The crowds get ready to savor a piece of Heaven! The weather was great, and attendance was good!



Peter, Jim, C.J., and Dave are ready for the customers!



Dennis, Nancy, and Francis are ready for action, too!



Peter has a stack of doughs ready to go!



Rob presents a gold plated "Dough Award", to Mary and Andrew, to signify their great job, as "newcomers" to the booth!

Special Congratulations!

Rob has been appointed District 7890 Rotary Foundation Area Rep. for Area 6. He will be visiting all of the clubs in his Area, on behalf of the Foundation. Congratulations!

Julie Reppenhagen is now the District Governor, of our neighboring District 7980. Congratulations and good luck to Charlie, who will be her traveling companion!