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Happy Halloween
October 31



Rose Sale



We had great weather for our Annual Rose Sale, Friday September 26th. Our members' pre-sales were much less than Ann expected, but she did a great job. We expect to net between \$5,000 and \$6,000. We thank Ann, and her committee, for the hard work, and those members who did a good sales job, achieving or exceeding the goal of at least 10 dozen sold! (See pictures page 3)



Columbus
Day
October 12

Special Guest

We were pleased to have Josephine Dill with us September 29. Her husband, Carl, who has visited us many times, is a member of the Pawling Rotary Club, and a member of the Board of Directors of the Culinary School.

Rotary International Theme 2009-2010

October - Rotary Vocational Service Month

Vocational Service, in Rotary, means that we are committed to honest business and unassailable ethics, and that we are equally committed to using our vocational skills and advantages to help others. The idea is simple enough— but it is unique to Rotary.

Health- Good Wishes

Our thoughts and prayers are still with Mary Burcaw, who is still recovering at home. We delivered our special roses to her, with our love. Cards would be nice to show her that we miss her. and we pray for her to re-join us soon. George Petermann, is now working on breathing therapy. We delivered our roses to Rosalie, with our love. Please keep them both in your thoughts.

We will be
meeting at the
MAXX
October 20

Golf Tournament

Our 26th annual golf tournament, in conjunction with the American Red Cross, was held Wednesday, August 26 at Fairview Farm in Harwinton. We are still collecting sponsor checks, but Katy says that we will net over \$10,000.

Upcoming Meetings & Events

October 6– Weantinogue Heritage– Liba Fuhman / Food Donation Day
October 13– Sunny Valley Preserve– Wayne Woodward
October 17 (Saturday)– Rotary Leadership Institute
October 20– Job Shadow Program– 8th Graders from Schaghticoke School / Student of the Month
October 27– TBA
November 4– Rotary Foundation Dinner– Knights Castle– Chicopee, Mass.

October Birthdays

October 3– Bob Mullen
October 8– Tinker Hickey
October 9– Ralph Williams
October 23– Lennie Lillis
October 27– Sharon Ward

October Anniversaries

October 16– Barbara and Bruce Voutas
October 18– Tinker and Bob Hickey
October 3– Mike and Kathy Gold
October 24– Arthur and Hillary Klein

Rotary Foundation

Bus Persons

October 6– Ann Fisher/ Cathy Setterlin
October 13– Nancy/ Gretchen
October 27– Katherine/ Frank Magnante
November 3– Lou Abella/ Dana

September Student of the Month



Rob and History teacher, Mark Pernerewski (next to Rob), welcome and congratulate our September Student of the Month, Isaac Baker. Isaac's parents, Jacqui and Stan "Neil" were also our guests. Isaac has received recognition for achieving "most improved in Applied Geometry", is a team leader for St Francis Xavier Youth Group, a Student Peer for students with disabilities, and is on the track and varsity soccer teams. He has helped deliver food to Social Services, from Stop & Shop. He has received achievement awards on completion of "The Great Hollow wilderness rope course, and the Principal Character Award for Respect. He plans a career as a teacher for children/ teens with special needs. We were pleased to sing "Happy Anniversary" to Jacqui and Stan who were celebrating their anniversary that very day!



Art Palmer and his helpers held the annual Sr. Fishing trip in Bridgewater, Saturday September 19. Acting President Peter presents Art our annual check for \$250, to pay for trophies for the winners (All participants are winners.)

Programs



Kay Abella spoke to us September 8, about TheatreWorks of New Milford. She gave us a sketch of the programs underway. She spoke about "Office Party Night", Thursday December 17. for more info, she can be reached at 860-350-6863, or kabella@theatreworks.us.



PDG Frank spoke to us September 22, about Public Relations, and how we can let the community and the world know about our great works.



Meg McCreedy from the Thomaston Rotary Club, spoke to us about the Foster Grandparents program, and how to volunteer to help children. For more info, call her at 203-575-4245 or www.GetInvolved.gov.



Some of our crew, awaiting customers.

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District Governor Official Visit



We were pleased to have District Governor Herb Toback visit us September 29. He spoke about the District goals, plans and hopes for this year. He presented President Oscar a Rotary International banner, with the 2009-2010 theme- "The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands". He also showed his compassion, helping Ann with her "cell phone fine"!

Club Web Site
www.NMRotary.org

New Members



Lori and Nancy welcome Frank Magnante (above left) as a new member. Art is Frank's sponsor. Frank, his wife, Cherie, and their children, Frankie and Nicholas live in New Milford. He is a reverse mortgage specialist with Met Life.

Nancy introduces and welcomes Andrew Morozowich, who is sponsored by Darren. Andrew lives in New Milford, with his wife, Jessica, and is an attorney with Cecilia Buck-Taylor.

Welcome!

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



Golf Tournament



First Placer Winners– Dan Patti, Bill Kamp, Bill Quinnell and Brad Kamp.



Second Place– Mike Profita, Bill Haxo, Troy Appling, and Mike Houghtalin. Mike won the 50/50 raffle, and generously donated the \$645 back to us!!



Third Place– Richard Harrington, Ivan Shiffman, and Paul White.

Raffle Prizes

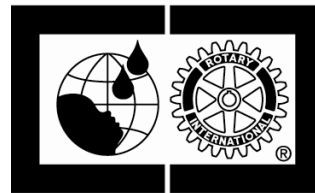
We still welcome any more donations of raffle prizes for our lunch meetings. If you have anything to donate, a bottle of liquid refreshment, a nice item that you may have a duplicate of, and not need, please let President Oscar or Charlie know. Thank you!

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?

PolioPlus



Rotary International

Saturday, October 24, is World Polio Day. Our 5 District has designated September 14– October 16, as “33 Days for Polio Eradication”. Each member is asked to donate at least \$33.33 to help in the effort to eradicate Polio world-wide. This is a perfect opportunity to join the fight. You may add this amount in your dues envelope and designate it for Polio Plus.

Special Congratulations



Nancy and Bob Pearson proudly display Nancy's new award. She was made a Paul Harris Fellow August 27, 2009, at the Flagler Beach Rotary Club, in Florida. Nancy was always a big supporter of Bob and our club, when he was a member. Congratulations, Nancy!