

Rotary Club of Penn Yan

Club 4804 – District 7120

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Please Join Us! Tuesdays at Noon - The Keuka Restaurant, 12 Main St, Penn Yan

Tuesday, August 16, 2011

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Upcoming Programs

- 8/16 NO REGULAR MEETING – ROUND TABLE ONLY!
8/23 Best Practices in Membership Recruitment and Development – Eric Parker
8/30 Membership Brainstorming

Re-Cap of August 9 Meeting

We were joined by prospective Rotarian Shawn McConnell, Dean and Mary Ellen's grandson Mike Tolbert, Charlotte's sister Betty from Denver, and ADG Tom Rogers from the Canandaigua club.

What is Camp Onseyawa? Each year, Camp Onseyawa welcomes over 100 special-needs campers ages 8-16 years old. This camp, located on the east side of Seneca Lake, is supported by the 24 Rotary clubs in Ontario, Seneca, Yates, and Wayne Counties. All Rotarians are encouraged to stop by the camp to visit and volunteer your time. This year's key dates: 8/21 Carnival, 8/24 Dance, 8/25 Talent Show, 8/27 Clean-up)

From Rob: As we continue our focus on literacy, Rob spoke about the Book at Birth and Prescription to Read to Your Child initiatives. Our club is seeking to "Adopt a Bookcase" in the community. We'll make sure that the bookcase is well-stocked and maintained. Rob also spoke about the "Service Above Self" Celebration Dinner to be held 10/25 to honor local employees for exceptional job performance and outstanding service to the community. Volunteers are needed to help with this event. Please speak with Rob, Warren, Sue, Greg, or Tom M.

From Teresa: A new slate of club presidents was approved at the 8/9 board meeting. Rob will be president for 2012-2013, Warren for 2013-2014, and Tom M. for 2014-2015. The nominating committee is seeking volunteers to head two key committees: Literacy and Membership. If you have any interest, please let President Greg know.

From Charlotte: Literacy Volunteers is seeking tutors. An informational seminar will be held on 8/24 and tutor training will take place on 9/14. For more information, please see Charlotte. Charlotte also announced that the sale of her home is nearly complete. As a result, the Keuka College student from Malawi who has been residing with her will need a new place to live. Please let Charlotte know if you might be able to help.

From Jeff: The Rotary Leadership Institute is a set of courses that many of our club members have enjoyed. RLI prepares people well for club leadership roles, and for leadership beyond the club, too! The new year has begun, and people can sign up online very easily: just go to www.rlinea.org. The session closest to us this year will be on 11/12, at the Inn on the Lake in Canandaigua.

From Whit: Gail and Whit will again host a steak-out at their cottage on Tuesday, 8/16 at 6 PM. Please bring a lawn chair, your own beverage, and a dish to pass. Their cottage is located at 4092 Squaw Point Road, Dundee.

From Diane: Diane and Jeff will host a picnic at Keuka Lake State Park on Tuesday, 9/13. Admission to the park is free after 6 PM, so plan to arrive then. More details to come!

Monthly Duties

Set-up/Take-down: Dick
Prayer: Warren
Sergeant: Ef

Song Leader: Jeff
Rotary Minute: Diane
Attendance/Greeter: Teresa

Birthdays

8/19	Sue Andersen
8/21	Dean Morgan
8/23	Evelyn Emerson
8/27	Dave Hoffman
8/30	Jeff Krans

Upcoming Events

8/13-27	Camp Onseyawa
8/16	Picnic at Gail & Whit Yonge's, 6 PM
9/13	Picnic at Keuka Lake State Park, 6 PM
9/24	District Literacy Seminar, E. Rochester First Presbyterian Church, 9 to 11 PM
10/25	Employee Recognition Dinner at the Dresden, Cocktails at 6 PM, Dinner at 7 PM

Quote of the Week

-submitted by Sue Andersen

“When you care, you get some results, when you care ENOUGH, you get incredible results!”

Rotary International Membership Referral Form

http://www.rotary.org/Rldocuments/en_pdf/memb_referral.pdf

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