



# Live Steam

## Rotary Club of Pittsburgh, District 7300

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to succeed.*

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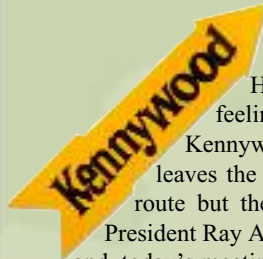
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### LAST MEETING: 7/18/12



By: John Chamberlin

Here we go! Just like that initial feeling you get in your gut when Kennywood's Jack Rabbit roller coaster leaves the platform... ya kind of know the route but there will still be some surprises. President Ray Amelio's year has left the platform and, today's meeting was a surprise.

But first, we acknowledge Patty "Potato Patch Fries" DeMarco for providing the invocation and Kelli "Thunderbolt" Robbins and Barb "Funnel Cake" Johnson for leading the song, "Getting To Know You" which was totally appropriate for the meeting theme.

President "Bumper Car" Ray provided us with his comments including thanking Stacey "Paratrooper" Hans and Northwest Savings Bank for the donation of the white board that you will now see at every meeting. He also acknowledged Mike "Phantom's Revenge" Smith and Goodwill of Southwestern Pennsylvania for the donation of a laptop to the club.

Sally "Noah's Ark" Mizerak announced that she has 2 tickets left for the "Book of Mormons" show next March. See her asap if you want them.

Jim "Skee Ball" Ludwig then gave us the Secretary's report including acknowledging Bill "Merry-go-Round" Meyer for 41 years as a Rotarian!!!!!!!

President "Bumper Car" Ray was also acknowledged as a Paul Harris Fellow and we were all reminded by Linda

"The Whip" Fischer that there are matching grant funds available to help you become a Paul Harris Fellow.

Before we got to the speaker portion, Kelli "Thunderbolt" Robbins mentioned these folks as upcoming speakers: Chairman of the Pennsylvania Gaming Commission, the CEO of Shell North America, an ALCOSAN administrator, City Councilman Bill Peduto and Representative Mike Doyle.

Now comes that sudden turn on the Jack Rabbit track...we didn't have a speaker. We had a "get to know you" meeting which proved to be extremely fun and interesting, just like Kennywood! Below are just a few of the cool things that were learned about our own Rotarians. There are more and we will post more in upcoming Live Steam issues and the Facebook Page.

- Bill Meyer is a 3rd generation Rotarian
- Mike Smith baked and decorated his own wedding cake from scratch
- John Chamberlin worked his way through college as a paramedic and a stand-up comedian
- Terry Dougan met his wife, P.K. Weston, through playing online Scrabble
- Sheen Sehgal's favorite book is "The Giving Tree"
- Michael Colella is a boomerang... he wanted to come back to Pittsburgh
- John Tosatto is an ice hockey player

OK.. this meeting has made it back to the platform. The Rotary bell has rung. Please exit to your right and remember, no running on the platform!!



### NEXT MEETING

Date: July 25, 2012

Speaker: Robert Schaub

Title: Senior Regional Officer

Organization: Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

Topic: "Demystifying the Fed and Current Issues in Monetary Policy"





# It's a Great Day for Rotary!

## UPCOMING EVENTS & MEETINGS

Event: RCP Day at PNC Park  
Pirates vs. Cubs  
Date: September 9th  
Time: 1:35 pm  
Contact the Rotary Office for more info

## FUTURE PROGRAMS

### WEDNESDAY JULY 25TH

Cindy Rack  
CEO  
Social Voice Marketing, LLC

### WEDNESDAY AUGUST 1ST

To Be Determined



## WELCOME NEW MEMBER

### Crystal Thorton-Illar

**Job Title and Company:**  
Associate Attorney with Leech  
Tishman Fuscaldo & Lampl, LLC

**Brief description of work responsibilities:** I focus on advising debtors, secured creditors, unsecured creditors, creditors' committees and purchasers of assets and claims of all types, bankruptcy matters, receiverships, liquidations, and other insolvency proceedings as well as out-of-court workouts and restructurings.

**Family:** Husband Jarod Illar, child Emma Illar  
**Hobbies and Interests:** Photography, reading, and traveling

**Rotary Committees signed up for:** Social & Networking, Student of Distinction and Scholarships.

**Something about yourself that Rotarians don't know:** I love all things Disney and am somewhat of a Walt Disney World historian and collector.



Past President Linda Fischer presents Paul Harris Fellow Recognition to Club President Ray Amelio

## BIRTHDAYS

Jerry Cozewith .....July 22nd  
Lisa Blaney-Stewart .....July 23rd

## ANNIVERSARIES

Bill Sutherland .....28 years  
John Rodgers.....3 years

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