

OPENING

Time: 6:00
 Pledge of Allegiance:
 Invocation: Eva Habib

GUESTS

Mike Hollerbach, Sarah Ollison, Chris Zurowick, guest of Mark Cory, Kathy Conlon and her husband Sal, guests of Eva Habib. Bob Montgomery with GP Theatre.

VISITING ROTARIANS

None.

BIRTHDAYS

Mike Carmody (4/17).

ANNIVERSARIES

None.

ROVING REPORTER

Susan Mozena
 -- As President of the Albion College National Alumni Association, Ted Everingham will participate in the upcoming installation of Wayne Webster as the college's 18th president.
 -- Paul Rentenbach's daughter, Lauren, will be moving to Asheville, NC to begin massage therapy training.
 -- Roger and Jean Hull will soon be traveling with their daughter and family to Yorkshire England for a sightseeing and hiking vacation.
 -- Lee Johnson's son, Adam, completed a very successful freshman season on the Hiram College swim team.
 -- John and Susan just moved into a flat on Trombley in GP Park after 45 years on Lewiston in GP Farms, a home owned by the Mozena family for 72 years.

OIL CAN

Postponed.

SUNSHINE NEWS

-- No news.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

-- Second Mile Center spring clean-up, starting at 9:00am on 5/4. A link to register is in Judy's Monday email. Any questions, please contact Ryan Berns.
 -- The next food drive at GP Memorial Church will take place from 10:00am to 11:00am on 5/11. The food drive will take a break until September so make sure to bring as many items as you can.
 -- The Michigan Humane Mutt March at the Ford Estate on 5/18. Contact Bob Lucas with any questions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- Reminder that the \$10 meeting fee can be paid through Venmo.
 -- Lunch Bunch: Noon on Friday at Alma Kitchen. RSVP to Mike Carmody so he can reserve a table.
 -- There is a fellowship event at 5:30pm on 5/15 at Pendency in GP Woods. A sign-up sheet will be passed around and, if you have any questions, reach out to Cissie Cappola.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Grosse Pointe Theatre's Board of Directors President Danielle Caralis and Executive Director Linda Zublick.

The Grosse Pointe Theatre was formed in 1948 by Russell Werneken, a 22-year-old drama teacher. It began with 30 members and now numbers 300 to 400 in any given year.

In its first 25 years, the organization would rehearse and perform anywhere, until the War Memorial

Fries Auditorium opened in 1962. It continued to perform at that location until their last play, Beauty and the Beast, in 2017. Since then, GP Theatre has performed in schools, churches, and community centers.

In 1982, GP Theatre purchased a building on Fisher Rd, which has had many renovations over the years, and is now their administrative and ticket offices, its rehearsal home, and its set building location. Besides main stage productions, the organization also hosts youth camps and productions where children build confidence and learn life skills. It also has offers sensory sensitivity programs for those with cognitive disabilities to enjoy.

The committed membership is looking forward to adding to the 353 stage plays conducted over the years at the new Schaa Performing Arts Center. The location will have 424 seats with state-of-the-art lighting and world-class acoustics.

Its next play will be Disney's Newsies, running from May 3 to May 12 at Parcels Middle School. To learn more or buy tickets, go to www.gpt.org.

FLOWER RAFFLE

\$305 in the pot. Cissie Cappola purchased the winning ticket but was not able to pick the joker.

CALENDAR

Apr 24: Linda Boyle, Local Artist

May 01: Todd Litton – New Member Presentation