

# ROTARpinte

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## OPENING

Time: 6:00 PM  
Pledge of Allegiance: Judy Masserang  
Invocation: John Ellis

## GUESTS

Murray Davis, guest of Paul Rentenbach. Marcia Everingham, wife of Ted Everingham, along with their daughter and son-in-law. Everett and Avery Keyser, husband and son of Jessica Keyser.

## VISITING ROTARIANS

None.

## BIRTHDAYS

Peter Henry (8/17)

## ANNIVERSARIES

None.

## ROVING REPORTER

Tom Youngblood  
-- Paul and Jackie Rentenbach are happy that their daughter will be moving back to Michigan and settling in Ann Arbor.  
-- Liz Vogel returned from a trip to California where she and her friend Johann bought an airplane.  
-- As of this Friday, John and Terry Minnis will add the Grosse Pointe News to their publishing empire. We wish them the best of luck and success!

## OIL CAN

-- Mark Weber passed it Jessica Keyser, and the Keyser Family, for being the host family for our new exchange student.

## SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

No news.

## EXCHANGE STUDENT

-- This year's exchange student, Simon Drahmer, arrived Tuesday night. Simon is a 17 year old from Sweden whose parents were both exchange students in the U.S. Please make an effort to meet him and include him in your social/entertainment/travel plans.

## SERVICE PROJECTS

-- Phil MacKethan announced that today is the final day to donate items for the NE Guidance Center Backpack Project and the money donated purchased 18 backpacks. Phil will provide information in the near future about the "giveaway" event if you would like to attend.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- The community affairs committee will be meeting at 5:00 PM on August 21 in the Chamber of Commerce board room.  
-- Due to the weather forecast the planned Supper Club dinner and boat ride for tonight has to be rescheduled. There will not be a Supper Club dinner this month.  
-- Mark your calendar: There will a Progressive Dinner on November 4 and the Club's Christmas Party on December 14 at the Ardmore Café.

## TODAY'S PROGRAM

Ted Everingham proudly introduced his granddaughter, Melanie Taylor, the winner of the Distinguished Young Woman of Michigan 2018.

Melanie will be a senior at Birmingham Seaholm and will be the president of the Mock Trial team and editor-in-chief of the school newspaper.

These extracurricular activities helped when she participated in the DYW competition as it, along with her transcript was included in her scoring. The other components were self-expression (although an accomplished dancer, Melanie read a poem she had written), an on-stage interview, and fitness/health which consisted of 7-10 minute aerobics.

One of Melanie's favorite parts of being a Distinguished Young Women participant is the Be Your Best Self program. In this, she is able to reach out and encourage young people to be healthy, be involved, be studious, be ambitious, and be responsible.

Melanie will compete in a national competition in 2018, where she will dance instead of reading poetry. We wish her the best of luck.

## FLOWER RAFFLE

\$1,816 in the pot with \$908 going to the winner. John Maliszewski didn't have to walk far to pick a card but couldn't find the joker. Thank you to Charvat the Florist for providing the beautiful flower arrangement.

## CALENDAR

Aug 30: No Meeting

Sept 06: Dr. Manz and Marty Petz – HART – Haiti Relief