

OPENING

Time: 6:00
Pledge of Allegiance:
Invocation: John Mozena

GUESTS

Jackie Dale's mother, Barb. Maya Hulit.

VISITING ROTARIANS

Chris Prost, GP Sunrise.

BIRTHDAYS

John Maliszewski (12/14), Jon Gandelot (12/15), Mike Newman (12/19) Eva Habib (12/20), Mark Zymslowski (12/21) and Rick Ferrara (12/29)

ANNIVERSARIES

Past president Liz Vogel (now in Traverse City), 13 years. Bob Bury, 28 years.

ROVING REPORTER

Vince Van Tiem
-- No membership news so Vince told us about an unusual conversation he had with a prospective client and ways to save money he read about on the internet, always under the 5-minute time limit monitored closely by Doris.

OIL CAN

-- Postponed.

SUNSHINE NEWS

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers:
-- Murray Davis's wife, Kimberlyn, who was hospitalized recently due to a viral infection.
-- Amanda Deveaux, who had to say goodbye to her dog, Leland.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

Congratulations to Mark Cory (Paul Harris +1) and Mark Brooks (Paul Harris +8) for continuing to donate to Rotary International and reaching these milestones.

ROTARY BUSINESS

-- Only two days until the 12/13 McNeill Raffle drawing. Tickets can still be dropped off at 217 McMillan, GPF, or brought to the Holiday Party.
-- The next Club Board meeting is at 5:00pm on 12/19. Please contact President Neil if you would like to attend.
-- Thank you to Ted Everingham and Judy Masserang for their work on the Club election.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

-- The Adopt-A-Family goal of \$1,850 has been met and should exceed \$2,000, allowing more money to be placed on Kroger gift cards. Kudos to all who donated and to Steve Cornillie for championing this cause.
-- The next food drive at GP Memorial Church will take place on 1/11.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- Lunch Bunch: Noon on Friday at Alma Kitchen. Please RSVP to Mike Carmody if you plan on attending.
-- No meeting until 1/8/2025 where Jaylen Bradley and Tim Klepp will give new member presentations.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Nora Ryan, Director of Michigan Legal Help and Sandra Ambrozy, a volunteer for the organization.

Michigan Legal Help is a website that offers tools and information to help people understand and manage their civil legal problems. There is a huge need for this as 42% of divorces, 2% of debtors in collection cases, and 5% of tenants in eviction cases are represented by an attorney.

The organization provides legal information, not legal advice, offering suggestions and access to resources. Through the website, civil legal help is easy to understand and accessible. It offers do-it-yourself forms, "know your rights" articles, resources and forms, a guide to local legal help for individuals, a live chat service, and 62 self-help centers around the State. Ms. Ambroz volunteers one day a week at one of the centers in the Coleman A. Young Municipal Center, helping 50-75 manage their court cases each day.
www.michiganlegalthelp.org

FLOWER RAFFLE

\$160 in the pot. Steve Brownell purchased the winning ticket but did not pick the joker.

CALENDAR

Dec 13: Holiday Party at Bayview

Jan 08: Jaylen Bradley and Tim Klepp – New member presentations

Happy Holidays & Happy New Year!