

ROTARpinte

News & Information from the Rotary Club of Grosse Pointe

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OPENING

Time: 6:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance: Catherine Belte

Invocation: Richard Yeager-Stiver

GUESTS

Irena Politano, guest of Fred Ollison.

Joel Hatline, spouse of Catherine

Belte. Sitara Govender, guest of Paul

Rentenbach.

VISITING ROTARIANS

Trey Greene, Detroit.

BIRTHDAYS

George Shammas (1/6), John Ellis

(1/6), and Tom Youngblood (1/10).

ANNIVERSARIES

Dave Charvat, 25 years. Peter Henry,
9 years.

ROVING REPORTER

Lisa Gandelot

-- Lots of member reports that "it's
great to be back".

-- Mark Brooks' son, Griffin, is
travelling to Lisbon Portugal with his
Haverford College lacrosse team to
play lacrosse, do some team bonding,
and participate in community
projects. It's good to be a college
student.

-- Phil Mackethan is glad to be
healthy and in attendance after
battling pneumonia for a month.

-- Jeremy Henner gave a somewhat
harrowing holiday airplane story
which included oxygen masks
dropping and a quick decent. He
does not recommend spending
Christmas at the Columbus, OH
airport.

-- There is an artist and poets event at
GP Congregational Church on 1/11
from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM. All are
welcome to this free event.

-- Murray and Kim Davis braved the
elements on Christmas Eve, turning a
4 hour drive to Toronto into a 9 hour
affair.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

No news

OIL CAN

Postponed

SERVICE PROJECTS

-- The Northeast Guidance Center is
looking for volunteers. Sitara
Govender made an appeal for patient
advocates to assist consumers in their
clinic lobbies. If interested, she can
be reached at (313) 308-1400 x319 or
sgovender@neguidance.org. The
commitment level is flexible.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- Host families needed! Two
families are needed if the Club is to
commit to an exchange student for
next year. President John has told the
District that the Club will have to
decline bringing in a student if the
families not lined up by the end of
January. Please put the word out.

-- The Michigan Humane Society is
hosting a telethon at WXYZ on 2/8
from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Bob
Lucas has committed to 6 volunteers
so, if interested, please let him know.

-- Supper Club: The next dinner is at
Antonio's in the Park on 1/18. Please
RSVP to Bill Scott.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Michael Mode.

John Mozena, wanting to start 2018
in a lighthearted manner, lined up
Michael Mode, a magician and
corporate speaker. Mr. Mode has
been a magician for 30 years and has
performed with David Copperfield.

It's hard to describe how talented Mr.
Mode is and how entertaining his
performance was. A great way to
start the new year.

www.magicmode.com.

FLOWER RAFFLE

\$378 in the pot with \$189 going to
the winner. Diane Strickler held the
winning ticket but the joker remains
hidden. Thank you to Charvat the
Florist for the beautiful flower
arrangement.

CALENDAR

Jan 17: Marion Christiansen, Global
Ties Detroit

Jan 24: Richard Allison – Begging
for Chocolates: A Story of WWII
Italy