

ROTARpinte

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OPENING

Time: 6:00 PM
Pledge of Allegiance: Ted Hadgis
Invocation: Jon Gandelot

GUESTS

Marilyn Stanitzke, guest of Jim Fikany. Deborah Renshaw, guest of John Mozena. Marty Carmody, guest of Dino Valente. Matt Taylor, guest of John Mozena.

VISITING ROTARIANS

Charlie Davis, Detroit.

BIRTHDAYS

Bob Bury (9/22).

ANNIVERSARIES

Florence Seltzer, 14 years.

ROVING REPORTER

Lisa Gandelot
-- Ted Hadgis's youngest son is turning 35. That can't be right?!
-- Bill Scott will soon be scuba diving off of Roatan, an island near Honduras.
-- Kim Towar and Dave Colton walked across the Mackinac Bridge over Labor Day weekend.
-- Mark Weber is proud to announce that his son will be an attorney for the MI National Guard.
-- To find Phil MacKethan this weekend, he will be in full costume in a pub at the Renaissance Festival.
-- Congratulation to our exchange student, Simon, who has landed a role in GP South's production of *You Can't Take It With You*.
-- Former Rotarian, Mary Treder-Lang has thrown her hat in the ring to run for Michigan Secretary of State.

OIL CAN

-- Postponed.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

No news.

SERVICE PROJECTS

-- We received nice thank you letters from the 2 children we sponsored for Kids On The Go.
-- George McMullen is all set for the Rotary Interact table to be set up at the GPS-GPN Tailgate on 9/22.
-- To help with the Sasser Park revitalization, please contact Paul Rentenbach or Jeremy Henner. The dedication ceremony will take place at 2:00 PM on 9/30.
-- There is a ribbon cutting ceremony for the NE Guidance Center playground that some members of our Club helped build at 12:30 PM on September, 27th.
-- The Club received a nice thank you letter from the Northeast Guidance Center for helping with the Backpack Project. 200 backpacks loaded with supplies were handed out.
-- Judy Masserang is coordinating the Operation Warm pamphlet distribution to local merchants on Mack Ave. Please contact her if you can help out. There is also a sign-up sheet.
-- Matrix Human Services is hosting a fundraiser called Artworks Detroit, starting at 7:00 PM on 10/13 at the Center for Creative Studies.
www.matrixhumanservices.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-- There will be a Club Assembly on 11/1 at the Farms Pier.
-- DG Rick Caron will be visiting our Club on 9/27. Board members and committee chairs will meet at 4:30 PM in the GPWM library.
-- Look for your invitations to arrive for the Progressive Dinner on 11/4.

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Bill Huskler, Board President of the Grosse Pointe Symphony Orchestra.

The GPSO was formed in 1953 with its first concert taking place in 1954. Over the years, some of its members have moved on to large orchestras in Detroit and Boston, for example. It conducts four concerts a year and is proud of its connection to the DSO. Its conductor, Joe Striplin, has been a member of the DSO since 1972.

The GPSO consists of musicians from all walks of life. It promotes young musicians by offering the Nester Scholarship for students through grade 11 which provides a college stipend and gives the recipient a chance to solo with the orchestra.

To learn more, buy tickets/make a donation, or if you can assist with its website or marketing, please visit www.gpsymphony.org.

FLOWER RAFFLE

\$2,060 in the pot with \$1,030 going to the winner. Lee Johnson bought the winning ticket but luck was not with him to pick the joker. Thank you to Charvat the Florist for the beautiful flower arrangement.

CALENDAR

Sep 27: Rick Caron, Rotary District Governor

Oct 04: Laurie Smolenski, Rotary Peace Fellow

Oct 11: Jessica Keyser, Grosse Pointe Public Library