



# Rotary Club of Islip

Meeting Date: 2/15/2024

Meeting- Irish Coffee Pub

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**Attendance:**

Jimmy Sutton, Ryan Gillies, Billy Vavricka, Bob Nathan, Dennis Ciano, Barbara Vouris, Lynda Moran, Karen Sobel, Bob Nathan, Karen Viola, Sabrina Lacey, Rick O'Neil, Liz Mayott, Dennis Ciano, Kerrienne Zeiner

**Pledge:** Billy Vavricka

**Prayer:** Bob Nathan

**Guests:** Lee Ann Kulick, Courtyard Marriott- (Kerrienne's guest); Steve Catalano- Commack- Kings Park Rotary Club

**Announcements:**

- **Community Service Dinner** Invites being finalized; March 22, 2024 Irish Coffee Pub, Community Service Dinner 6:30- 10:30 PM; **Honoree's: Jeanine Amato & Karla Waldron**
- **Day of Service May 18, 2024** More details to follow
- **Gift of Life Gala May 22, 2024, \$150**.per person at Flower Fields, St. James. 50,000 lives saved to date! We usually fill two tables from Islip Rotary- please see Bob Nathan (Bob will be honored at Gift of Life Dinner)
- Two Lottery Boards for next year
- See Ryan & Jimmy for Journal Ads
- Collecting Items for CSD Raffle Baskets- Let Barbara & Jimmy know if you have a raffle basket or an item for a basket, Jimmy and Ryan are collecting Gift Cards from local merchants, we have a Lottery Live Plant Gift, \$100. Bill in a frame,...
- Congratulations to Jimmy & Lauren becoming a party of five!

**Member Highlights:** Bob Nathan Honoree at Gift of Life Dinner!

**Important Dates:** ~Community Service Dinner- March 22, 2024 Irish Coffee Pub 6:30 -10:30 PM

**Happy Dollars:** \$35. Amount Collected

**Golf Ball Raffle:** \$90. Amount Collected

**Winner:** Dennis Ciano's raffle ticket was chosen

**Result:** "Loser!"

**Total in Pot:** \$1142. (As of 2/21/24)

## **GUEST SPEAKER**

**Topic:** Gift of Life Host Families, Rental Management Steve Catalano, shared his experiences over the years and his involvement with Gift of Life and the rewards of participation although sometimes challenging. He also has his Real Estate Credentials and he spoke about business and the changes over the years. He has developed a Management Company that has experts in all phases of property management from repairs to lawyers that specialize in eviction. He shared his flier with the type of work he offers for rental properties and homeowners.

Guest Speaker: Steve Catalano

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**Rotary Website:** [www.isliprotary.com](http://www.isliprotary.com)

**Rotary District Grant:** [myrotary.org](http://myrotary.org)

**RYLA-Rotary Youth Leadership Awards:** [ryladistrict7255.com](http://ryladistrict7255.com)

Respectfully submitted,

*Barbara Youris*