



Rotary Club of Islip

Meeting Date: 03/30/2023

Updated Chumline

Attendance:

Billy Vavricka, Tom Jones, Sam Hanafi, Jimmy Sutton, Ryan Gillies, Jim Sutton, Liz Mayott, Karen Sobel, Gary Rosenfeld, Lynda Moran, Bob Nathan, Eric Buehler, Sherri Cruz, Denise Torino, Barbara Vouris, Marianne Foti Anello, Rick O Neil, Richard C Johnson, John Chinnici, Teresa Bryant, Theresa Rosario, Karen Viola

Pledge: Karen Viola

Prayer: Bob Nathan

Guests: Chris Portera, Kendyl Corcoran, Lian Golbout, Carter Jones, Michael Hansen, Ed, Gregg, Steve

Announcements:

- Billy is grateful to everyone for helping make the Community Service Dinner a successful one
- We are looking for guest speakers, please let Billy know if you have someone in mind.
- The day of service is scheduled for May 20th, 2023, and the team will gather at the East Islip Stop & Shop from 8AM-12PM and look for volunteers.
- The Gift of Life gala will be on May 10th, 2023, at 6:00 PM
- The Rotary Club of Bay Shore is celebrating its centennial anniversary on June 8th at Captain Bill's Restaurant from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Please see the attachment for details.
- St. Mark's church annual golf outing at Bellport Country Club will be on August 7th, 2023. Details were sent in a previous email

Member Highlights:

Important Dates:

Happy Dollars: Everyone is happy to hear about the Ambassadors of Compassion program and Jimmy for East Islip Hockey

Amount Collected: \$97

Golf Ball Raffle- Amount Collected: \$140

Winner: Jimmy Sutton

Result:

Total in Pot as of (03/09/2023): \$1089

Guest Speaker: The Ambassadors of Compassion team

Topic: how to improve student performance, increase confidence, and improve connections with peers

Summary: The Rotary Club of Islip Hosts guest speakers from the "Ambassadors of Compassion" organization, which now comes to Long Island and East Islip schools, thus joining over 70,000 students nationally to improve student performance, increase confidence, improve connections with peers, and address emotional issues that the COVID experience has created over the last couple of years. This new program teaches students about life, vital information, forgiveness, and understanding. Which will produce new ambassadors across our school system to address the emotional needs of students.

Speaker's Contact Info:

Phone:

Email:

Website: