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## News of the Rotary Club of Islip

## **MEETING DATE:10/07/2021**

Meeting called to order by: Jeanine Amato, President @12:15pm

Pledge: Russ Moran Prayer: Astrid Fidelia

Members in Attendance: Jeanine Amato, Liz Mayott, Billy Vavricka, Astrid Fidelia, Tom Jones, Bob Nathan, Ryan Gillies, Karen Sobel, Barbara Vouris, Teresa Bryant, John Chinnici, Marianne Annello, Dennis Ciena, Merri Ciena, Phyllis Ozaria, Denise Torino, Sherri Cruz, Jean Alfred, Lynda Moran, Russ Moran, Barbara Vouris, Jim Sutton Visitors / Guests:

District Governor (Mel); Ass't DG Mike(Sayville Rotary Club); Nat Ozaria, Rocky (St Mary's Church); Dirk Bernstein(Huntington Rotary Club)

**Meeting Highlights:** "Rocky" from St Mary Church spoke briefly to show appreciation for joint efforts at Community Fair. Their next Family Fun Fair will be 9/17/22. They are requesting our joint collaboration next year. Club participation status **still pending. Electronics Raffle** announcement by President Jeanine who distributed raffles to volunteer sellers. **Tentative deadline:** 11/16 or 11/17. James Bruno has donate items for raffle fundraiser. More info to follow.

Concerns: Did you know 60% of Rotary Clubs do not fundraise for polio? Phyllis spoke about the need for continual donations to assist Rotary International Polio Fund. Donations were collected by Phyllis via passing around a polio can. Majority of our club responded to this call to action by donating during the meeting. Thank you for your generosity. Islip Rotary truly displays a continual "Service Above Self" mindset.

Important Dates to Remember: Next Thursday (Phyllis) will be the guest speaker at Rotary Club of Sayville. Instead of holding our general meeting at the Irish Coffee Pub this week, we will be joining our fellow Rotarians and supporting our dedicated member Phylliss. Congratulations!

Islip Rotary Meeting will be Thursday (Oct 17th) at 12:15 PM

Land's End Catering and Restaurant

80 Browns River Road Sayville, Long Island, NY 11782

Happy Dollars: (Total) \$90 HappyNotes: Everyone happy to see District Governor, Congratulations to Johnny (new Grandbaby) and Happy Bday song for JeanAlfred