



# Rotary Club of Islip

Meeting Date: 9/22/2022

## Chumline

### **Attendance:**

Billy Vavricka, Sam Hanafi, Tom Jones, Liz Mayott, Gary Rosenfeld, Dennis Ciano, Eric Buehler, John Chinnici, Vilma Jimenez, Guy Edwards, Jimmy Sutton, Ryan Gillies, Theresa Rosario, Barbara Lanzetta, Karen Viola

Pledge: Jimmy Sutton

Prayer: Eric Buehler

Guests: Jennifer, Dennis O'hara

### **Announcements:**

- The meeting at Bayside Restaurant was great and Rotarian's had fun. Looking for the next event
- Theresa Rosario arranged again for Islip Terrace Fire Dept to host our club as we pack the Thanksgiving boxes on Monday, Nov 21 after shopping at Stop N Shop to be distribute to the Islip community
- The electronic raffle is back, and the prizes are Apple Watch, Ring doorbell and Amazon Echo. Drawing will be held on November 17 at the ICP
- James Bruno donated all the prizes. Every dollar raised will go to the club.

### **Member Highlights:**

Karen Viola was inducted into Islip Rotary club. Please join me in welcoming our new member to her Rotary family

### **Important Dates:**

- The Islip Rotary Club will host the community dinner at Capitan Bill's on March 24 -2023.

### **Happy Dollars:**

**Amount Collected:** \$34

**Golf Ball Raffle- Amount Collected:** \$185

**Winner:** Liz

**Result:** Hug someone near you

**Total in Pot as of (9/27/2022):** \$2,224

**Guest Speaker:** Bea Huste founder EJ Autism Foundation

**Topic:** EJ Autism Foundation

**Summary:** Bea spoke about her day job as Physician Assistant at Memorial Sloan Kettering overnight. She also spoke about how she founded the EJ autism foundation, and that EJ stands for the first initial for both of her sons. She also spoke about their up-coming event, "Run A Mile for Autism" on 10/16 and she is looking for volunteer to help with this event.

**Speaker's Contact Info:**