

Rotary Club of Pearl River, P.O. Box 252, Pearl River, NY 10965 District 7210 - Region 8 - Zone 32 - Club #4982 - Charter Date December 12, 1935

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Ex Officio PDG Jeffrey Keahon Rotary Meeting Greenhouse Cafe - Pearl River, New York Date: August 9, 2012

Pledge: Yes and it was well done

Invocation: Frank Neeson

Visiting Rotarians: none

Guests: Frank Perry (Jim Shepard), Joyce Irizarry (Rick), Barbara Carlucci

and Ester Schulman (Michelle Damiani) and Ava Raffa (her mom)

Birthdays: Richard Kohlhausen

Anniversaries: 8/15-Bob and Diane Bergman, TODAY- John and Doreen Buonadonna and Joe and Nicole Beckerle

Announcements:

- § 8/30-District Governor comes to the club. He will meet with the Board of Directions before the general meeting. Committee Chairs should submit their reports to President John
- § 9/27 Mr. Legs Contest, with President John as our club's entry will be held at Hudson Water Club.
- **§** Andy M is doing well and complaining that they're working him too hard in rehab
- § 9/20 Ed Bouton Memorial Golf Outing. Sponsorships are still available! See Jeffrey
- § 11/3 KRB Gala. See Michele Damiani for sponsorship options.
- § 8/16 North Rockland club is celebrating the Rotary 107th anniversary at the Ocean Empire Restaurant.
- § 9/24 ARC A Taste of Rockland at the Pearl River Hilton

Queen of Hearts: My Ava picked the 9 of spades

Happy Bucks: Rick I.

Many were happy that Joyce I visited, for the anniversaries and birthdays. Bob Bergman grateful for 43 years of marriage to Diane. Ed Reynolds' jump-roping phenom grandson parleyed his skills to gain a paying gig in Cancun, with grandpa tagging along. Barbara K on her way to her daughter's Laguna Beach wedding. Bob Craig is a new uncle. Jonathan L on his way to Israel, but not on the cheap airfare. Jim S loved Hanns' colorful shorts



Program: Barbara Carlucci and Esther Schulman of ARC we re the program courtesy of Michele Damiani-Powell.

Ms. Carlucci reviewed the breadth of programs that ARC manages, and reminded us that the organization was formed by a group of families

58 years ago to locally meet the needs of their developmentally disabled

children.

Ms. Schulman talked about the 17th annual Taste of Rockland fundraiser benefiting ARC and scheduled for 9/24 at the Pearl River Hilton (150pp). Over 50 participating restaurants, plus a tented beer garden.

Ms. Schulman also took time to thank the many Rotarians that have been steadfast supporters of the ARC mission over the years.

Four Way Test: Carl L

Bulletin Editor Kate Raffa Photos: Hanns