



**Rotary Club of Pearl River, P.O. Box 824, Pearl River, NY 10965**

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*Rotary Serving Humanity*

Larry Vergine, President 2016-17

Meeting of Dec. 8th 2016

## OFFICIAL DISTRICT GOVERNOR VISIT

DG J. Louis Turpin



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*The Four Way Test*  
*Is it the truth?  
Is it fair to all  
concerned?  
Will it build good will  
and better friendship?  
Will it be beneficial to  
all concerned?*

Pledge: Raj Mehta

Invocation: Ed Grant

Visiting Rotarians- DG Louis,  
PDG Jo Lore, PDG Carole  
Tjoa, ADG, Christine Bailey,  
ADG Earl Miller, Michael  
Leidner.

Guests- Dr. Jungwoo "John" Han, guest of Jay

Anniversaries- Michelle & Roy Damiani-Powell. To avoid leading the mandatory Anniversary Song, Michelle unsuccessfully tried to sneak in past eagle-eyed Secretary Mike.

Announcements- Kathy  
Fidlow won the Football  
Fundraiser for the second  
time!! Our annual  
Holiday Party is Sunday  
and no \$\$ will be  
accepted at the door.  
Contact Secretary Mike.



Frank Ripa, working with the school's calendar has set the date for the

Scholarship Awards Ceremony for 6/15 at the PR Library. New PR Rotary road signs are ready for installation at 10am Sat. morning. Vin asked for volunteers to help and immediately got five members to step up.

2016-17 Rotary Year

West Point-Highland Falls Rotary Club  
 North Rockland Rotary Club  
 2016 HOLIDAY RAFFLE  
 Grand Prize- Pair of Jet Blue Tickets  
 Additional Prizes from area Restaurants  
 Proceeds benefit charitable causes

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Shereen Way, 7:45 Santa and the Float arrive. This year's MC is Ryan O'Gorman.  
Monday- Venture S. Main St. group home 7pm, ARC Jefferson Ave. group home,  
7:45pm. Characters and singing.

A photograph of a woman with long dark hair, smiling and holding a playing card (the Queen of Hearts) up to her face. She is wearing a dark jacket with a decorative silver chain. The background shows a dimly lit room with a blue couch and a person in a suit partially visible on the right.

sold his practice to fellow podiatrist Jungwoo “John” Han, his guest today at Rotary. Jungwoo noted that he was one of the youngest in the room to which Jay commented “we all started out that way!”. Jay plans to retire in January and move to the left coast





flowed to welcome DG Louis and his entourage. PDG Jo Lore introduced Nyack Rotary's newest member, Michael Leidner. Michael is the Compliance Officer for Head Start of Rockland and we all



welcomed him into the ranks for service to others. Past President Steve Pantaleakis referred to our District Governor as "Louie's in the Rotary", clearly a shameless plug for his restaurant "Louie's on the Ave". Program-District Governor's Official visit- Jim Shepard began with our traditional giving of gifts for DG Louis. As usual, most of our gifts were either useless or difficult to figure out at use for. Interspersed were some nice things including a watch from Ben Shifteh of Ben's Jewelers.



District Governor's Message- Despite our best efforts to use up all the DG's time, a tradition going back to 1935, DG Louis had



the chance to motivate us with “Do Good and Have Fun”. He spoke of Rotary Serving Humanity and pointed out that not that long ago there were 250,000 cases of Polio but thanks to Rotary, last year that number was less than two dozen. Our effort to rid the world of Polio is almost complete. DG Louis says check out a new idea via [Rotarymeansbusiness.org](http://Rotarymeansbusiness.org), asks us to host a Rotary Youth Exchange student, apply for District and Global Rotary grants for our projects, and attend the District Conference in April at the majestic Mohonk Mountain House in New Paltz.



Four Way Test- Jim Trojan

Bulletin editor this week: Mark G