



Rotary Club of Pearl River

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Rotary Meeting
Greenhouse Café – Pearl River, New York
Date: May 2, 2013



Pledge:

Jonathon Bellush led the club in saying the Pledge of Allegiance.

Invocation:

Jim Murphy

Guests and Visiting Rotarians:

Michael Seidenfrau visited from the Congers, Valley Cottage Rotary.

Ryan O’Gorman brought the following guests/guest speakers from Rotaract:

1. Amanda Bean
2. Aaron Evans, President of Rotaract
3. Fandy Osias-Louis
4. Arlene Phayre
5. Christine Dilts



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Birthdays:

Dorothy Filoramo announced the following birthdays:

1. May 3 George Westphal
2. May 5 Gita Mehta
3. May 5 Carl Langren

George Westphal joyously led the club in the singing of “Happy Birthday!”

Anniversaries:

No Anniversaries

Announcements:

1. President John made the following announcements: May 9, 2013 Soap Box Race
Registration Middle School Cafeteria
2. May 10, 2013 Wrestling Matches to benefit the rebuilding of the Franklin
Avenue Playground. 6:30 PM at the Pearl River High School
3. May 19, 2013 Soap Box Race Inspection Louie's on the Avenue
4. June 2, 2013 Soap Box Race
5. May 4, 2013 Annual Kentucky Derby Party Noonan's 3:00 pm
6. May 18, 2013 Fishing Contest

Michael Seidenfrau thanked everyone for their support of his 55/50 raffle held at the marathon a couple of weeks ago. The pot collected \$1,200.00.

Michael will be having another 50/50 Raffle to benefit Meals on Wheels at his 10K run.

Frank Ripa announced the Scholarship Awards Ceremony will be held on June 6, 2013 at 7:00 pm at the Pearl River Library.

Chris Smith announced he will be guest bartending at Jonny's Smoke House on May 2 at 9:00 pm. All the money Chris earns will benefit the “Honorable George Bergerman Youth Activities Fund.”

Additionally, Chris announced “A Fun Night Of Baseball & Hot Dogs” at the Rockland Boulders Baseball Game on Thursday, May 3, 2013 at 7:00 pm. A portion of the ticket price will donated to the fund.



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Jim Murphy announced the Pearl River Rotary Installation Dinner will be on June 26, 2013 at Seasons. The event is Black Tie optional. Cocktail Hour begins at 6:30 pm and Dinner is 7:30 pm.

Queen of Hearts:



The deck is smaller as the 10 of Diamonds has been released from the deck!

Happy Bucks:

Mark Griffith collected many Happy Bucks from many Happy Rotarians!

Program:



President John introduced Ryan O’Gorman and his guests from Rotaract who made three “Powerpoint”

presentations regarding their trip to trip to Baltimore to assist with the poverty needs and

home repair and their trip to Toms River, NJ where they partnered with “Rebuild Our Shores”, and their trip to Alabama where they partnered with “Habitat for Humanity.”



Four-way Test:

Dr. Ed Fisher