President Bud reminds everyone that attendance is important. The club is no fun without YOU!

Snow cancelation policy - If the Red Hook Schools are closed, our meeting is canceled. If only delayed, then we will meet at 7:30 a.m. as usual. Call (845) 758-2241 for school closing or delay information.

Our guest speaker was Lisa Murray chair of the Red Hook High School post-prom party. Lisa spoke about the great success that the post-prom party has been for more than 25 years.

Left to right: Speaker host Dave Wright, Lisa Murray and President Bud Weaver.

(photo by Rev. Fred Cartier)
**Members we missed and look forward to seeing next week:** Susan Ezrati, Karen Mead-Cadorette and Gale Wolfe. Attendance: 81%; Happy dollars: $37.00; 50/50: Chris Chale who donated her share to Emily to take on her humanitarian trip to India. *(Thank you, Chris!)*

**Our meetings next week:**

*Monday, December 19th - 8:00 a.m.* - Board of Directors Meeting; Taste Budd's cafe.

*Tuesday, December 20th - 7:30 a.m.* - Club business meeting; please be prepared with committee reports. Greeter: Tim Lynch; Sgt. at Arms: Susan Ezrati. *All members attending will be given a special collectible Rotary pin!*

**This weekend on RadioRotary: New Year's Eve Millbrook**

Tune in to RadioRotary on Saturday, December 17th at 11:30 a.m. (on WTBQ 93.5 FM and 1110AM or http://www.wtbq.com/) and Sunday, December 18th at 6:30 a.m. (on WBPM 92.9 FM or http://www.wbpmfm.com/) and 9:30 a.m. (on WGHQ 920AM, WBNR 1260AM and WLNA 1420 or http://www.realcountryhv.com/) when we talk with Rotarian Joyce Heaton about New Year's Eve Millbrook.

The award-winning RadioRotary can be heard on Saturdays at 11:30 a.m. on WTBQ 93.5 FM and 1110AM or http://www.wtbq.com/ and on Sundays at 5:55 a.m. on WBPM 92.9 FM or http://www.wbpmfm.com/ and at 9:30 a.m. on WGHQ 920AM, WBNR 1260AM and WLNA 1420 or http://www.realcountryhv.com/. Listen to all previous programs at www.radiorotary.org or on your MP3 player via iTunes at http://itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/radiorotary/id39731680

In photo are RadioRotary co-host Jonah Triebwasser, Joyce Heaton and RadioRotary co-host Sarah O’Connell. (photo by Charlotte Pelha)

**Nominating committee report:**

The nominating committee recommends the following slate of officers for 2017 - 2018:

- **President:** Tim Lynch, P.E.
- **Immediate Past-President:** Bud Weaver
- **Vice-President:** Linda Greenblatt
- **Secretary:** Hon. Jonah Triebwasser
- **Treasurer:** Susan Simon

Board of directors: Christine Chale, Esq., Emily Fox and Rob Latimer
Club schedule: The speaker host, sergeant at arms and greeter list follows below. Anyone who has to make a change needs to obtain a substitute and inform Jonah Triebwasser at (845)702-6242 or by email at RedHookRotary@gmail.com

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PUBLIC RELATION:
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Jonah Triebwasser Website
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Apple Blossom Day- Linda (Booklet)
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YOUTH PROGRAMS:
Interact - Shelter Box Liaison - L. Greenblatt
Carl Dowden Exchange Students
Tim Lynch Rotary Youth Leadership Conference

GRANT PROGRAM
Linda Greenblatt
Susan Ezrati

THE RED HOOK ROTARY FOUNDATION:
Independent Board of Directors Citizen of the Year 2016
Chairman - Carl Dowden Scholarships
Vice Chairman Tim Lynch Little League Sponsorship
Secretary Michael Shafer
Treasurer Bernard H. Weaver, Jr.
President Bud has shared with us his goals for his year:

1. To encourage the members to recognize the importance of good informative programs and attendance at regular weekly meetings.

2. To have the program chairman report to Jonah their program information 3 weeks before the date of their program so it can be printed in our weekly newsletter.

3. To encourage our members to research an international project for our club to develop and complete.

4. To encourage our members to better understand the need to support Rotary International in ridding the world of Polio.

5. To have three or four members reach their next level of their Paul Harris recognition.

6. To have at least two members attend training sessions for the grant program.

7. To attend our 5th Tuesday evening gathering at the Bread and Bottle and use this opportunity to introduce a guest to our members and club.

8. I hope to end my term as President with a membership of 5 new members who understand the meaning of being a Rotarian.

9. To oversee and develop our youth programs as they continue to grow and develop new ways to show “Service above Self”.

10. To remove the road signs from storage in my garage and install them on the roads to welcome visiting Rotary members to attend our meeting for a makeup and fellowship.


Red Hook Rotary Foundation Officers and Directors: Carl Dowden, Chairman; Tim Lynch, Vice Chairman; Rev. Michael Shafer, Secretary; Bud Weaver, Treasurer; Rev. Fred Cartier and Susan Simon, Directors.
Rev. Fred Cartier is collecting books and magazines for Northern Dutchess Hospital's reading cart. Please bring your magazines and books to Fred at any breakfast meeting. Labels have been made to affix to the magazines indicating they have been donated by the Red Hook Rotary Club.

Rotary Means Business encourages Rotarians to support the success of their fellow Rotarians by doing business with them, and by referring others to them. Become a member by clicking here: http://rotarymeansbusiness.org/

*Your change can make a change!* - Bring your filled Rotary coin boxes to any meeting and donate to Rotary International Foundation's Polio Plus campaign. If you need a coin box, please see Bud Weaver.

March 24-25: President Elect Training Seminar in Whippany, NJ

April 22: Rotary Day Service Projects

April 29: District Conference at Mohonk Mountain House in New Paltz; April 30: District Assembly at Mohonk Mountain House in New Paltz

May 17: District 7210’s 100th Anniversary of Rotary Foundation Event - *details to follow!*