



Rotary Club of Red Hook, New York

Weekly Bulletin

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

January 26, 2021

<http://www.redhookrotaryclub.org/>
www.facebook.com/RedHookRotaryClub

Marking the 45th week of “stay at home” meetings required by the coronavirus outbreak, Jennifer Van Voorhis called the Zoom meeting to order at 8 am. Thirteen club members attended including Jen, Susan Ezrati, Fred Cartier, Bud Weaver, Dave Wright, the Hon. Jonah Triebwasser, Chris Chale, Tim Lynch, Carl Dowden, Susan Simon, Erik Johansen, Rob Latimer and Linda Greenblatt. The meeting started with the pledge and a blessing by Rev Fred Cartier. The Four-Way test was delayed to the end of the meeting.



Screenshot provided by Fred Cartier. Attendees by row from top left to bottom right: Bud Weaver, Fred Cartier, Linda Greenblatt, Dave Wright, Jennifer von Voorhis, Susan Ezrati, Rob Latimer, Jonah Triebwasser, Tim Lynch, Carl Dowden, Susan Simon, Erik Johansen and (on the phone) Chris Chale.

Jen led the meeting off by reporting on the distribution of masks collected the week prior.



A total of 2000 masks were delivered to the Red Hook Fire Department, the Red Hook UMC Food Pantry, St. John's church outreach, the Red Hook police and the Tivoli Fire Department. Photos of these events will be distributed in this and future newsletters as well as on the club's facebook page. Fred delivered the masks to the Red Hook Fire Dept., Jonah to the Red Hook Police, and Susan and Jen to the Tivoli Fire Dept. On the right is a photo of Jonah Triebwasser giving masks to Pat Hildebrand, RH's police chief.

Jen and Jonah reminded us that a Rotary Leadership convention is available online on February 6, 2021. The registration fee of \$25 will be waived for new members. Jenn and Susan Simon plan to attend. Jonah said Rotary International continues to plan their annual global conventions in diverse spots over the globe. The 2021 convention in Taipei will be virtual, but new locations are being planned so look on the webpage and make plans.

Fundraising options were discussed again. Watch for more information in coming weeks. Apple Blossom will not happen this year. We continue to support many outreach opportunities in Red Hook, including making a contribution to the Ascienza Foundation for the new freezer at the Community Center. Jen updated us on the Red Hook United Methodist Church's food pantry activity. She noted that the number of people being served is being sustained at about 60 families weekly. The church offers food pantry users the chance to select what they need when they come. This process seems more popular than picking up a pre-packed bag.

On February 2nd our speaker is Thomas Maiello, a onetime resident of Red Hook who now lives in Pennsylvania. Tom went to Bard and then to Oxford University. He was a student of Linda's in Red Hook and promises to be a very entertaining speaker.

Linda also reminded us that this is the time of the year when we usually are interviewing candidates for a Rotary scholarship. The club will be considering how to modify the interviewing process and how many scholarships to offer. The need remains despite the difficulty presented by the pandemic. RYLA, the leadership program for high school students, also will take place, albeit virtually. The club needs to interview candidates for this program as well.

The meeting adjourned at 8:55 am.

Radio Rotary

Next weekend on RadioRotary: Watch the website for further information.

Listen to Radio Rotary on WBPM 92.9 FM Sundays at 6:30 a.m. or one <http://www.wbpmfm.com/> or ask Alexa to play WBPM

Real Country WGHQ-AM 920 AM and 92.5FM, WBNR 1260AM and 96.5FM, WLNA 1420 AM Sundays at 9:30 a.m. or <http://realcountryhv.com//> or ask Alexa to play WBNR

Anytime at www.RadioRotary.org

Listen to all RadioRotary previous programs on your MP3 player on any of these new podcast platforms:

iTunes: <https://itunes.apple.com/us/podcast/radiorotary/id1412396239?mt=2>

Google Play

Podcasts: <https://www.google.com/podcasts?feed=aHR0cHM6Ly9hbmNob3luZm0vcy81NGQxYiq4L3BvZGNhc3QvcnNz>

Spotify: <https://open.spotify.com/show/5OxiufAMMo49dh5bvorVG9>

Stitcher <https://www.stitcher.com/podcast/anchor-podcasts/radiorotary>

Anchor: <https://anchor.fm/radiorotary>

RadioPublic: <https://play.radiopublic.com/radiorotary-85n3Dz>

Breaker: <https://www.breaker.audio/radiorotary>

Pocket Casts <https://pca.st/Qdxz>

Castbox: <https://castbox.fm/channel/id1376565>

Overcast: <https://overcast.fm/itunes1412396239/radiorotary>

Podbean: <https://www.podbean.com/podcast-detail/9a4jb-71b94/RadioRotary-Podcast>

Stitcher: <https://www.stitcher.com/podcast/anchor-podcasts/radiorotary>

See our video at: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1rzF-3SU-UA>