



TRUMANSBURG ROTARY MEETING MINUTES FOR October 15, 2020

- ✚ The meeting began with our speaker Angela Mennitto, who is a death midwife and community educator. She organizes community education events to promote death literacy—the practical know-how needed to plan well for the end of life—to help normalize conversations about death and dying. She has been hosting a Death Café in Ithaca since 2013. The last three years she organized a community event called “Talking About Death Won’t Kill You” that brought together staff from local organizations to help people explore the many aspects of advance care planning. She’s on the board of the Funeral Consumers Alliance of the Finger Lakes – an all-volunteer, nonprofit, service organization that provides the public with unbiased information about funeral planning, practices, and costs. The Alliance, based in Ithaca, serves the Southern Finger Lakes Region of New York State. The talk this week was on **The Art of Dying Well: Growth and Transformation at the End of Life**. Death is inevitable. We can’t change that fact. We can change our relationship to it. We can bring death out of the closet. Contemplate it. Talk about it. Plan for it. Allow it to inform the way we live—the choices we make.
- ✚ Peggy stated that Share the Warmth boxes are ready to be put out. We are just waiting for permission.
- ✚ Our COVID plan was sent to the health department for our next two BBQs.
- ✚ We are working on finalizing plans for the BBQ on the 24th.
- ✚ The meeting ended at 7:51.

Happy Dollars so far...

Mary Bouchard \$2

Shelly Bullock \$2

Ben Guthrie \$1

Mary Guy-Sell \$10

Peggy Haine \$15

Mike Jimenez \$5

Cindy Kain \$2

Joan Munich \$2
Kathleen Overbaugh \$6
Tom Overbaugh \$2
Frank Zgola \$4

Members Present

Shelly Bullock, Zoren Bullock, Peggy Haine, Michael Jimenez, Cindy Kain, Joan Munich, Kathleen Overbaugh, Tom Overbaugh, and Frank Zgola.

40%



Members Absent Hope to see you next week!!

Joseph Barrett, Mark Baumann, Mary Bouchard, Dennis Guy-Sell, Mary Guy-Sell, Veronica Del Manzano, Neil DeRaiche, Ben Guthrie, Bill Overbaugh, Darlyne Overbaugh and Durand Van Doren.



HAPPY DOLLARS



\$3 from Kathleen for such a gorgeous day and she found 3 new gravesites in her ancestry search.

\$1 from Frank for getting his C.O. so he can move in his new home.

\$1 from Shelly for going to New Hampshire with Zoren to see her newest nephew.

\$5 from Peggy for her grandson having COVID but not serious.

\$1 from Joan for the speaker.

Upcoming Speakers

October 15 & 22

Angela Menitto, Death Midwife

Police Chief Joe Nelson, date TBD

Fundraising

Saturday, October 24th

Chicken BBQ



Tuesday, November 3rd

Election Day

Chicken BBQ





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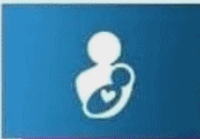
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