News Both Fit and Unfit!

Guest Speaker:

Jeff Ahearn, Vestal School Superintendent, presented some well-constructed propaganda (his word, not mine) about the highly successful Vestal Schools and Students. This prepared us for the School Budget discussion, which was deftly handled without incident. Highlights included a reduction in our property tax levy and tax rate.



Guest Speakers:

Rob Flanders introduced Ron O'Shea, Interact Club Advisor, who introduced our student guests. IC Club President Montana Boone filled us in about Club activities ranging from self-defense classes to clothing drives. Emma Stockwin added their participation in Relay for Life, and also raising money for 3rd World Education. VP Bach Nguyen and next year's President Nicole Leska expressed their desire to grow the club and recruit younger members. It was heartening to hear from such an impressive group of young citizens.

Guests: In addition to those mentioned above:
Deborah Caddick- Vestal Schools
Cliff Kasson- Vestal Schools

50/50:

Ron O'Shea won \$24!

Fine Master:

Dr. Edski Budnikaski highlighted the festivities by putting Tedski Wolfski on the spot for an apparent surname slipski. Jim Ward was fined for being on Central Time. Candy paid the price for her exuberance. Andy is happy to be going on vaca, Neil was \$2 happy about something, Art was happy he could convince Mindy to renew, and Roy "Mr. Bigggs" Cordero was proud to be selected as Coach of the Hour at T-Ball. And finally, those who skipped last week's meeting with the Rotary dignitaries filled the Doc's pot to a whopping \$48!

<u> Upcoming Speakers:</u>

6/6: Club Business Meeting

6/13: Mark A. Minoia - Vestal Town Assessor

Announcements:

- Foundation donations would be appreciated this month, and it's almost over! Plus, it's Danielle's Birthday Tuesday the 24th!
- No need to sign up, just **Show Up,** for golf and fun this Saturday at Afton GC 12:30 registration, 1P Shotgun.
- Memorial Day Meeting Cancelled
- Pass The Gavel scheduled for June 29th. This year it will be a club picnic at Arnold Park. Details to follow.
- Vestal Rotary Foundation looking for board nominations for 2016-17 year.
- For more information visit our website: http://www.vestalrotary.org/

Upcoming Events

5/21: Club Golf Tournament @ Afton

6/13: Vote on Vestal Rotary Foundation Trustees

6/29: Pass the Gavel Picnic @ Arnold Park starting at around

5:30 or 6 per George.

May Celebrations

Birthdays:

2nd - Flanders, Robert

6th - Scannell, Bill

12th - Patteson, Candy

19th - Sukloff, Donald

24th - Bulger, Danielle

Anniversaries:

2nd – Roy & Beth Cordero

11th – Mindy & Art Pavelski

16th – Laura & Aaron Martin



Don's Joke Corner

A guy shows up for work. The boss yells, 'You should have been here at 8:30!'. He replies, 'Why? What happened at 8:30?'

Quote of the Day:

"The best argument against democracy is a five-minute conversation with the average voter."

-Churchill

VESTAL ROTARY 2015-2016 Leadership Team

President Teri Mahonski

1st VP/Fund Raising George Schwarztrauber

2nd VP Ted Wolf
Treasurer Carol Belva
Secretary Mark Capobianco
Programs Mark Capobianco
Sgts-at-Arms Mike Mercincavage
International Service Steve Day/Siobhan Davey
Community Service Aaron Martin/Art Pavelski

Vocational Service Andy Papaleo

Club Service Ed Budnikas/Jim Ward

Rotary Foundation Danielle Bulger Interact Club Rob Flanders Vigilant Editor Vacant

Dick's Open Roy Cordero & Andy Papaleo

Holiday Food Drive
Membership
House Committee
Public Relations
Member Relations
Club Historian
Coats for Kids

Carol Belva
Reta Griffiths
Roy Cordero
Andy Papaleo
Bet Budnikas
Club Historian
Mark Capobianco
Rob Flanders

Webmaster George Schwarztrauber

Immediate Past President Roy Cordero

Vestal Rotary Foundation George Schwarztrauber

ROTARY CLUBS FOR MAKE-UPS

MONDAY

Hillcrest 12:15- Villa Tuscana in Chenango

Bridge (Red & White/Lower Level).

Vestal 12:15 – California Grill

Conklin 7:00 PM – Maines Community

Center

TUESDAY

Binghamton 12:15 – Holiday Inn Arena

Endwell 12:15 – Brother's 2

Owego 12:05 – Owego Treadway Inn

WEDNESDAY

Binghamton B-fast 7:15 am – The Binghamton Club

Greene 8 am – Varies

Colesville 6:15 pm – Hitchin' Post Rt. 7

THURSDAY

Endicott 12:15 – Nirchi's Washington Ave.

Johnson City 7:30 am – Davis College

Whitney Point 6:15 pm –Northern Broome Senior

Center, 12 Strongs Place

FRIDAY

Nimmonsburg 12:15 – Chenango Town Hall



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The Vigilant:

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Monday May 23, 2016 Reporting: S. Miller

The Maloney Pipe Band



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District Governor -Doug Larison

International Zone # 29

National Rotary: www.Rotary.com