

News Both Fit and Unfit!

My apologies for the late delay of this report. I inadvertently kept notes from the 11/2/2015 meeting and shredded my notes for 11/16/2015 meeting. I will attempt to reconstruct the events of the day

Guest Speaker:

Sue Jacobs - Meals on Wheels. Sue spoke of the program of providing meals for homebound residents of our community. Meals on Wheels of Western Broome serves around 200 clients per day on 20 daily routes. This requires about 320 volunteers of which 220 are utilized per week.



Our Mission:

Meals on Wheels of Western Broome County, Endicott, NY is a non-profit organization that provides and delivers healthy nutritious balanced meals each weekday to those seniors, elderly, convalescent, handicapped, isolated; those who can't cook and can't shop and others of our community so they may maintain their independence and quality of life.

Our Beginnings:

In 1970 a local group of 17 women formulated plans to begin our MOW Program. The meals were prepared at the First Baptist Church in Endicott, NY. We had two routes and served 9 clients. Our Program moved to the Town of Union Hooper Annex Building in 1975. In 1996 MOW relocated to our current location in the Our Lady of Good Counsel school building, 705 West Main Street, Endicott, NY.

Guests:

Sue Jacobs – Meals on Wheels of Western Broome joined 25 regular members for a rousing meeting.

50/50

This reporter cannot recall who won the 50/50 this week and we will all know when the fine master is introduced today. However, the winner did collect \$16.00 and was fined for their winnings.

Upcoming Speakers:

11/23: Christine Day - Vegan consultant
11/30: Carole Coppens YWCA
12/7: Club Business Meeting
12/14: Robert Murphy –Dir. of Economic Development Bing.
12/21: Ken Fernald, CEO & Jenn Small COO Assoc for Vision Rehabilitation

Upcoming Events

11/30: Can Collection #1
12/7: Can Collection #2
12/13: Willow Point – S. Day, C. Day, & Fabian
12/14: Can Collection #3
12/14: Board Meeting @ 11:30
12/16: Can Packing – Town Water Barn

Fine Master:

A total of \$52 was collected in fines today. Many included happy fines and those that were not happy were fined for something else!!

Announcements:

- St Pats Party looks like 3/12/2016. Details to follow.
- Holiday party details shortly, thank you Siobhan for hosting.
- Our won Christine Day - Vegan Consultant will be speaking today. Let's see what is on the menu!!
- For more information visit our website:
<http://www.vestalrotary.org/>

November Celebrations:

Member Birthdays

28th – George Schwarztrauber

Anniversaries

None – bad month to get hitched!

Don's Joke Corner

A man goes in for an interview. The employer asks him what his greatest weakness is. The man replies, "My honesty." The interviewer indicates that certainly does not appear to be a weakness. Honesty is a good trait. The man replies, "I really don't care what you think" - not sure if he was hired

Quote of the Day:

"The only way to enjoy anything in life is to earn it first"
Ginger Rogers

VESTAL ROTARY
2015-2016 Leadership Team

President	Teri Mahonski
1 st VP/Fund Raising	George Schwarztrauber
2 nd VP	Dan Barker
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	Jim Ward
Rotary Foundation	Danielle Bulger
Interact Club	Rob Flanders
Vigilant Editor	Dan Barker
Dick's Open	Roy Cordero & Andy Papaleo
Holiday Food Drive	Carol Belva
Membership	Pete Griffiths
House Committee	Roy Cordero
Public Relations	Andy Papaleo
Member Relations	Vacant
Club Historian	Mark Capobianco
Coats for Kids	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 – Terra Cotta
Endwell	12:15 – Brother's 2
Owego	12:05 – Owego Treadway Inn

WEDNESDAY

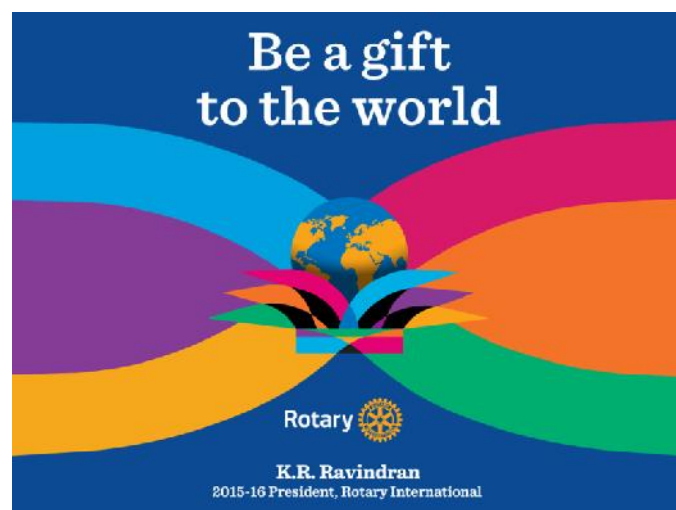
Binghamton B-fast	7:15 am – The Binghamton Club
Greene	8 am – Varries
Colesville	6:15 pm – Hitchin' Post Rt. 7

THURSDAY

Endicott	12:15 – Elk's Lodge, Route 26N
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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2015 -2016 Theme

The Vigilant:

**News, Notes and
Nonsense of the Vestal
Rotary Club**

Club # 4903

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Monday, November 23, 2015

Reporter: Rick Pedro

**Guest Speaker
Christine Day Vegan
Consultant**



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District Governor -Doug Larison

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