

# News Both Fit and Unfit!

## Guest Speaker:

### Club Assembly Today!

Almost all reported and club is in good shape. Further information contained in announcement section

## Guests:

### No Guests

## Fine Master:

So many fines, so little time. Mike paid for his anniversary, Grandson had eggs all over his hands and will not eat them again. Teri going on a wine tour, Carol's Bday, Pete 50/50 winner, Ed, it rained, Candy – vacation, Mark, it rained, Aaron, children attending Bible school, Art, his son acknowledges his debating degree and skills from Art, Christine, Wounded warrior event a success, Kevin, in the Adirondacks, Bill, happy everyone is happy, Roy, back from vacation.... And so many more

## Upcoming Speakers:

8/15 - Senator Fred Akshar – District update

8/22 - Robin Alpaugh - United Way of Broome County

9/19: Elliott Weissmann, exchange student to Poland, 2015-16

9/26: Christine Crawford, Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine

## Speaker Information:

Please review PDF files below. Excellent resources from Jeff Smith, final speaker of the last program year



jeff-smith-vestal-rot potential-rotary-acti references-and-cont ary-presentation.pdf on-steps-for-local-cor acts-040206(1).pdf



## Announcements:



- CONGRATULATIONS DANIELLE AND SIOBHAN FOR your new designation of PAUL HARRIS FELLOW PLUS 1!!
- Our Exchange student, Valentine will be arriving from Belgium on August 20
- Mark needs to know when and where to apply any make up credits.
- Steve led a discussion regarding Vestal Rotary shirts. At this time, microfiber has been voted the fabric of choice. More details to come!!
- Bill spoke of the District Conference – 5/52017 thru 5/7/2017 in Canandaigua. Would be terrific to achieve 100% attendance.

- Of course, the DG is ours and the support would be HUGE! Dress code casual, families are welcome.
- DG RICHARD's TREE peony project. This should absolutely without any doubt be 100% participation. Let's MAKE Richard's dream Blossom!! \*\*FACTOID BELOW\*\*
- Bud Dahlgren is joining Vestal rotary! Welcome Bud.
- No meeting on Labor Day 9/5/2016
- For more information visit our website:  
<http://www.vestalrotary.org/>

- Peony. *One of the most sensual flowers with a delicious scent, the peony has long been used in feng shui as a cure for love & romance. This especially applies to a couple of pink peonies. The symbol of peony is often considered a metaphor for female beauty. 100% PARTICIPATION is the goal!!!!*



## Upcoming Events

**5/4/2017-5/7/2017 DISTRICT CONFERENCE – Canandaigua, NY.**

**Home club is expected to run the Hospitality room, check-in, etc. Dress is casual, as long as it is microfiber. More to come!!**

9/10: Day of Caring on 9/10/2016. Looking for 20 people to build a handicap ramp, 10 in the am and 10 in the pm, Aaron has the details, sign up sheets will go around.

8/13: Club Picnic at Dr. Ed's House, 400 Meeker Rd, 2:30 pm start. A whopping 35 signups so far with more to come!!

9/12: Club Business Meeting

## August Celebrations

### Birthdays:

Tracy Wiles – August 17

Carol Belva – August 11



### Anniversaries:

8/11 - Mike and Joyce Mercincavage - 54 years, WOW!!

8/20 - Teri and Steven Mahonski – 33 years

8/23 – Kim and Timothy Myers – 36 years

## 50/50

Peter Griffiths hit the jackpot for \$17 today

## Don's Joke Corner:

*I never make the same mistake twice. I make it 5-6 times, just to be sure.*

## Quote of the Day:

*"I love mankind; it's people I can't stand." Charles Schulz*

**VESTAL ROTARY  
2016-2017 Leadership Team**

<b>President</b>	<b>George Schwarztrauber</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> VP/Fund Raising</b>	<b>Ted Wolf</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> VP</b>	
<b>Treasurer</b>	<b>Teri Mahonski</b>
<b>Secretary</b>	<b>Mark Capobianco</b>
<b>Programs</b>	<b>Mark Capobianco</b>
<b>Sgts-at-Arms</b>	<b>Mike Mercincavage</b>
<b>International Service</b>	<b>Steve Day/Siobhan Davey</b>
<b>Community Service</b>	<b>Aaron Martin</b>
<b>Vocational Service</b>	<b>Andy Papaleo</b>
<b>Club Service</b>	<b>Ed Budnikas/Jim Ward</b>
<b>Rotary Foundation</b>	<b>Danielle Bulger</b>
<b>Interact Club</b>	<b>Rob Flanders</b>
<b>Vigilant Editor</b>	<b>Rick Pedro</b>
<b>Dick's Open</b>	<b>Roy Cordero &amp; Andy Papaleo</b>
<b>Holiday Food Drive</b>	<b>Carol Belva</b>
<b>Membership</b>	<b>Pete Griffiths</b>
<b>House Committee</b>	<b>Teri Mahonski</b>
<b>Public Relations</b>	<b>Andy Papaleo</b>
<b>Member Relations</b>	<b>Ed Budnikas</b>
<b>Club Historian</b>	<b>Mark Capobianco</b>
<b>Coats for Kids</b>	<b>Rob Flanders</b>
<b>Webmaster</b>	<b>George Schwarztrauber</b>
<b>Immediate Past President</b>	<b>Teri Mahonski</b>
<b>Vestal Rotary Foundation</b>	<b>George Schwarztrauber</b>



## **2016 -2017 Theme**

### *The Vigilant:*

**News, Notes and  
Nonsense of the Vestal  
Rotary Club  
Club # 4903**

[www.VestalRotary.org](http://www.VestalRotary.org)

**Monday August 8, 2016  
Reporting: Rick Pedro**

***Dave Hickling – Broome County  
Commissioner of Aviation***



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District 7170: [District 7170](http://District 7170)  
District Governor – Richard Matsushima  
International Zone # 29  
National Rotary: [www.Rotary.com](http://www.Rotary.com)

### **ROTARY CLUBS FOR MAKE-UPS**

#### **MONDAY**

Hillcrest 12:15- Villa Toscana 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