News Both Fit and Unfit!

Guest Speaker:

Len Sas was the guest speaker for the day, speaking about New York State & federal benefits for qualified veterans and their families. Len's official title is a Veterans Benefits Advisor 1. His main role is educating and talking with veterans to make sure they are getting all their benefits that they deserve. There are over 20,000 veterans in the Greater Binghamton area with about 53% of NY veterans being



over the age of 65. Len talked about some of the challenges would be the complexity of the VA and the awareness and reluctance of veterans to collect benefits. Appointments can be scheduled by calling the Binghamton office at 607-724-1299.

Guests:

Len Sas – Guest speaker

50/50

Today's pot was \$20 and the winner was Art. We also did two drawings for Kampai gift certificates going to Art and Teri.

Fine Master:

George was our fine master. George got Ed for not paying last week after winning the Kampai gift certificate. Art also threw in some money for his big winnings for the current week. There were some birthday fines for Mark Capobianco, Steve Miller, Jim Savage, and Teri also admitted it was her birthday, so she added to the pot. Siobhan put in money for being happy, because she spent time in the city with her host sister from her time in Brazil.

Upcoming Speakers:

6/12—NYSEG Stadium tour with the Rumble Ponies' JB Bayne 6/19-Andrea Kimball-UBS Wealth Management-Market Update 6/26-no meeting (day after Pass the Gavel meeting)

Upcoming Events

6/12/2017 – Regular club meeting to be held at NYSEG stadium at noon

6/20/2017 - Board Meeting

6/25/2017-Sunday- Pass the Gavel at DeGennaro's, 300 Hill St. Endicott-Sign up online or via paper circulating at meetings. \$22.00 per person $7/16/2017-2^{\rm nd}$ Annual Rotary Golf & Wine @ Afton Golf course–sign up online

Announcements:

The regular club meeting on June 12th will be at NYSEG stadium hosted by JB Bayne and the Rumble Ponies. We will enjoy ballpark fare, and get a behind the scenes tour of the stadium. Be sure to sign up or respond to George's online email RSVP.

There will be a signup list circulated beginning June 12th for the Dick's Open. Aug. 18th is the big day, but if you can't work on Friday there is ample opportunity to take a shift on the weekend.

There will be a club membership vote at the regular meeting June 12^{th} on a modification of the by-laws for the next year's calendar. We will have only 3 regular meetings per month, with a 4^{th} optional meeting that is a social event. If you sign up for Speakers for the month- you are also arranging the social event. There is a sign up sheet circulating. Also at the meeting on the 12^{th} we will vote on Trustees for our Vestal Rotary Foundation. If you want to , or no longer wish to serve as a Trustee- get in touch with George prior to that date.

For more information visit our website:

http://www.vestalrotary.org/

For the 2^{nd} Annual Rotary Golf & Wine, you can sign up online or through Rob.

June Celebrations

Birthdays: Mark Capobianco, June 17 Steve Miller, June 20 Jim Savage, June 23 Teri Mahonski, June 27



Anniversaries:

Neil & Sherry Guiles, June 21, 1975, 41 years George & Heidi Schwarztrauber, June 28, 1980, 36 years

Don's Joke Corner

- Why did the golfer wear two pair of pants?
- Just in case he got a hole in one.

Quote of the Day:

"Middle age is when your age starts to show around your middle"

- Bob Hope

VESTAL ROTARY 2015-2016 Leadership Team

President George Schwarztrauber

1st VP/Fund Raising Ted Wolf

2nd VP
Treasurer Teri Mahonski
Secretary Mark Capobianco
Programs Mark Capobianco
Sgts-at-Arms Mike Mercincavage
International Service Steve Day/Siobhan Dayey

Community Service Aaron Martin Vocational Service Andy Papaleo

Club Service Ed Budnikas/Jim Ward

Rotary Foundation Danielle Bulger Interact Club Rob Flanders Vigilant Editor Rick Pedro

Dick's Open Roy Cordero & Andy Papaleo

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

Carol Belva
Pete Griffiths
Teri Mahonski
Andy Papaleo
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Budnikas
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Mark Capobianco
Rob Flanders

Webmaster George Schwarztrauber

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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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June 12th, 2017- Editor—Michael Costantino Meeting held at NYSEG stadium



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