

News Both Fit and Unfit!

Guest Speakers: There was a conflict in schedules and the guest speaker was not able to attend this week. Because of no speaker President George stepped in and made a bold announcement. "Hurry up and eat so we can get out of here early today!" The members of the club obliged without a debate.

Guests: Laura Mohr, Julie Chambers, Barbara Theobald, Dave Gouldin.

Fine Master: Sir Mark Capobianco is this week's 50/50 winner. An astounding \$20 is the take for the lucky winner. There was again some debate of the validity of the weekly winnings. Sir Mark's OWN hat was used to draw the winning ticket. Just like two weeks ago Rob Flanders guest drew Rob's winning ticket. Rumor has it that the fix is in again for this week, stay tuned to find out... Pete Griffiths was the fine master and did a great job for a seasoned Vet \$35 collected. The happy fines started out the session and there are a few good ones. Daniel bought a new car! Neil paid a lot of money in happy fines because Daisy made him look like a stud in front of his demographic of friends. Richard paid a fine because of Daisy again, this time she won Richard \$50 bucks. Keep up the good work Daisy. Our exchange student Val paid up this week, He spent some time in NYC and picked up a hot date from his trip. From that point Pete worked his magic and milked the club members for some more cash. He started with Mark for interrupting the club President. Andy was the next victim and was hit 3 times! First was for trying to throw a Coup d'état and oust George, secondly for paying to keep people from doing trivia, and lastly because Andy and his whole table STOLE a whole plate of chicken wings. Dr. Ed was unfairly fined for moving his seat. Poor guy can't catch a break, but he smiled because we had Pizza and Wings! Lori pulled a fast one and retired from the bank and then took another job at the united way. Pete fined her from not telling anyone. Bill paid \$2 for his anniversary with Pam. Lastly Mike got hit hard for not having the money ready for the 50/50, Pete was none too pleased with the situation. In his defense Val tried to pay his fine in Euro's and Mike was busy with the conversion formula.

Upcoming Speakers:

Oct 31, 2016 Dr. Ahmed Khan, Heart Surgeon UHS
Nov 07, 2016 Club Business – Meeting – No Speaker

Nov 14, 2016 Meeting Cancelled - Chamber Luncheon on 11/15

Nov 21, 2016 Amelia LaDolce –Director, Binghamton Urban Farm

Nov 28, 2016 Denise Johnson - Vestal Park Rehabilitation and Nursing

Announcements:

- Any questions or suggestions regarding the lunch menus, facilities, etc. should funnel thru Teri Mahonski, House Committee Chair
- Sign-ups for publishing *The Vigilant* will be forthcoming. Thank you for all who have agreed to assist so far. If you have never written the newsletter, please consider doing so. We still need: JANUARY, MARCH and APRIL, Thx
- District Conference – 5/5/2017 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.
- St. Patrick's Day party date March 11th
- For more information visit our website:
<http://www.vestalrotary.org/>
- Chamber luncheon November 15, 2016 at the McKinley.

Upcoming Events

FOUNDATION DINNER, NOVEMBER 13, 2016 THE MCKINLEY

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!!

October Celebrations

Birthdays:ZERO

Anniversaries: Rob and Kathy Flanders 48 years. Bill and Pam Scannel 32 years. Siobhan and Alan Davey 16 years

50/50: Mr. Mark Capobianco was this week's winner \$20 bucks!

Don's Joke Corner:

Q: How much does a pirate pay for corn?

A: buccaneer.

Quote of the Day:

We cannot solve our problems with the same thinking we used when we created them.

Albert Einstein



**VESTAL ROTARY
2016-2017 Leadership Team**

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2016 -2017 Theme

The Vigilant:

News, Notes and Nonsense of the Vestal Rotary Club

Club # 4903

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Monday October 31, 2016

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Dr Ahmed Khan, Heart Surgeon UHS



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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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District Governor – Richard Matsushima

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