



The Monroetarian



The Rotary Club of Monroeville, PA, meets from 12:15 to 1:15 pm Thursdays at the Holiday Inn, Mossdale Blvd.

Last week's program



Genevieve Oduor introduced Doug Sprague of the Agape Africa Fund charitable organization, who spoke about his work with the Bongolo Hospital in Gabon, Africa.



Doug is looking for individuals and companies who desire significance through philanthropy. Examples; family practice doctor, laboratory owner or employee, building contractor. Doug wrote a book about his experience: *Go! A Journey of Surrender and Trust*, where he shares the story of how he discovered he was to go serve at

Bongolo Hospital in the central African nation of Gabon.



Last week's Meeting

Last week we had 25 members at our lunch meeting with two guests. Som Sharma introduced his guest Dave Russell, who will be presenting at an upcoming meeting about laughing yoga. Stephanie will be an additional team member from Forbes Hospital. The polio basket collected \$28. Bailiff Jack Finnegan collected \$70 without mentioning a single name. Bob Zeppuhar ran the 50/50, and Jerry Commuso won the \$35 jackpot.

Announcements

Our lunch meeting on June 22 will be at Hawkey Park in Monroeville. Go directly to Hawkey Park without stopping at the Holiday Inn first. It'll save time and gas.

President's night will be on Friday, June 30, 6:00 pm, at Three Lakes Golf Course in Plum (formerly Alcoma). Please join the celebration of a great Rotary year and honor our president Debbie DiLorenzo, and to kick off another one with incoming president Dustin Helm.

The club needs walkers for the Monroeville 4th of July parade on July 4. Remember that date! Gerry Maynard is looking for help getting the float cleaned up and in tip-top shape. Contact Gerry to pitch in with

this project. Gerry is also looking for helpers for another project with Pitcare, the non-profit parent of the Pitcairn Food Pantry. They recently acquired the building at 520 Broadway in Pitcairn, which is being renovated for use by the food pantry, as well as two apartments on the second and third floors, which will be renovated to provide revenue for the food pantry. To volunteer to help with the renovations, please contact Gerry.

Buffalo Wild Wings will make a 10% contribution from your tab to our club when you dine there during June and mention Team K.

Please keep in your prayers Ed and Brenda McCrady, Rickie Black-Zold, and Johnna Cornelius.

Our club had good representation at the Rotary International conference in Atlanta last week. It was a great success. Just ask Debbie DeLorenzo, Bill Segar, Chuck DeSabato, and Bob Zeppuhar, and any of their spouses.

Upcoming Speakers

- Jun 22: Chris Harancher, Breathe PA, speaks about sleep apnea
- Jun 29: Devesh Sharma, Aquatech managing director, speaks on how water scarcity is sparking invention

Calendar of Events

Jun 22: Lunch meeting to be held at Hawkeye Park

- Jun 21-24: District 7300 conference, Seven Springs, spelling bee at 2.15 Saturday
- Jun 30: President's Night, Three Lakes
- Jul 31: District 7300 Golf Outing, Wildwood Golf Club, Allison Park

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