

# The Skantarian

The Skaneateles New York Rotary Club (SRC)  
a member of RI District 7150 - Area 11  
<http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org>

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**LAST WEEK:** We enjoyed a beautiful Holiday party at the Sherwood Inn for Rotarians, Spouses & Guests.

**THIS WEEK:** 5:30pm – Seward House Tour for those that have signed up.  
7:30pm – Dinner at Lasca's restaurant Grant Ave Auburn – open to all members

**NEXT WEEK:** No Meeting scheduled.

**Rotary Annual Charity Holiday Party** raised over \$10,600 December 6<sup>th</sup> at the Skaneateles Country Club. We distributed a check to the Spafford Food Pantry for \$2,100, to the Skaneateles Food Pantry for \$4,200, to the Skaneateles Out Reach for \$4,200, with any remaining funds going to the Salvation Army. Thank you to all that worked to make this such a huge success! Your efforts have resulted in many area families now having a Christmas meal to provide their families as well as gifts at this time of year!

## ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENTS & HOST FAMILY:

Kazuaki Oda, Japan: Second host family-Jeff and Lisa Terhune  
Vimmy Pragneshkumar, India: Second host family-Dave & Cynthia Petters  
Jada Zhang, Italy: Second host family-Laurie Cinelli  
Tim Zengerink, Netherlands: Second host family- Nancy and Guido van der Ven



## Our outbound students:

Dylan Baker, Belgium  
Katherine Hirsh, Ecuador  
Kayleigh Rottger, Italy  
John Lotkowitz, Germany  
Ryan McQuiggan, Chile

To see pictures of these students, go to the website -  
[http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org/Skan\\_Rotary/Youth\\_Exchange.html](http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org/Skan_Rotary/Youth_Exchange.html)

**REMINDER TO MEMBERS:** For those members with special dietary restrictions, special meal requests are limited to a salad or pasta dish, and must be arranged in advance of the meeting by calling Nancy Ranieri at the Sherwood Inn at 685-3405.

**MAKEUPS:** Remember to report your "make ups" to Cheryl Silvestrini ASAP. You can email her at [cherylsilvestrini@rocketmail.com](mailto:cherylsilvestrini@rocketmail.com). It is important to report the work you are doing and the time you are putting in.

## CELEBRATIONS:

**Rotary Anniversaries in December:** Jack Hyatt (42), Suzanne Hutchinson (1), Charlie McElroy (1), Jean Sardino (4), Chuck O'Neil (5), Brad McLennan (10), Nick Brewster (12).

**Member Birthdays in December:** Bud Carey (1<sup>st</sup>), Robin Jowaisas (5<sup>th</sup>), John Moran (16<sup>th</sup>), Skip Plank (25<sup>th</sup>), Sue Keefe (27<sup>th</sup>).

## SETUP - 50/50 - Ticket Sales - Pledge of Allegiance - Invocation:

<b>Dec. 20<sup>th</sup></b>	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Seward House Tour and
	Pledge of Allegiance	Lasca's Dinner
	Invocation	
<b>Dec. 27<sup>th</sup></b>	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	NO MEETING
	Pledge of Allegiance	
	Invocation	

*Be courteous & get a replacement if you won't be available for your assignment please!*

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*Merry Christmas  
and  
Happy New Year*

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