



# The Skantarian

Skaneateles Rotary Club, Skaneateles NY, U.S.A.  
 Rotary District 7150  
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Feb 04, 2016

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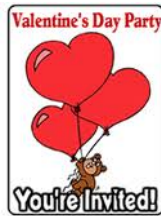
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## Birthdays & Club Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

**Kayo Price**  
 February 21

**NOTICE of NOTE - Valentines' Dinner Feb. 11th.** Sign up this evening if you have yet to do so. See the notice below.



### CLUB VALENTINE'S DINNER

Thursday, Feb 11th - A Spouse and Guest event. The menu is a choice of; Chicken Francaise (lemon butter sauce), Vegetable Napoleon, or Top Sirloin Steak. Cost is \$25 per person.

RSVP with Amy Tormey at: 559-1549 or [tormeyesl@verizon.net](mailto:tormeyesl@verizon.net) or the sign-up

sheet at the Feb 4th meeting. All reservations must be in by; Friday, Feb. 5th.

*(participants are reasonable for meal charges after the cut-off date)*

[CLICK HERE](#) to view the full menu

### HELPING HANDS AVAILABLE ... by Karen (Kayo) Price



Dani is available and willing to do a multiple of different tasks in order to save money for the Rotary X-Country Trip In July. She will baby and/or pet sit, be a Spanish tutor, clean house, etc AND hopefully real soon....gardening chores.

The best way to get a hold of her is through her email address

[danielapazfadic@gmail.com](mailto:danielapazfadic@gmail.com). Otherwise, you can reach her host mom, Shelly Strang, at (315) 289-2164.

### A Great WinterFest 2016 ... by Ward

Twas another wonderful winter day in Skaneateles as we celebrated another wonderful WinterFest. Many thanks for the Skaneateles SunRise Rotarians for organization it, and all the Skaneateles Rotarians, who jumping in to helped to support the event. Tis **"Service Above Self"** in our community at its best.

Picture supplied by Amy.



## Kathy Crelot

February 25

Join Date

## Gary Caldwell

February 2, 2006  
10 years

## Dan Roche

February 11, 1993  
23 years

## John Shannon

February 13, 1992  
24 years

## Dave Lee

February 19, 2004  
12 years

## Jack Emmer

February 21, 2008  
8 years

## Bob Holloway

February 23, 2012  
4 years

## John Moran

February 23, 2012  
4 years

## Links

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## Executives & Directors

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## LAST WEEK: ... by Bill Conole

**WinterFest** - *John Paddock, SSR Rotary Club President*, passed around the WinterFest Volunteer Sign-up Sheet for Saturday January 30th. John reviewed the WinterFest Ticket Station Guidance sheet. John thanked our members for volunteering & for supporting WinterFest 2016.

**Polar Bear Plunge** - *Joe Benedict, SCHS Interact Club President & High School Polar Plunge Initiative President*; asked members to contribute to this year's Polar Bear Plunge.

**Valentine's Dinner** - *Amy Tormey* updated the membership on the Valentine's Dinner planned for Feb. 11th, passed around a copy of menu and a signup sheet. (see notice above)


### Ted Case, the Man who made

**Movies Talk** - Bill Conole introduced our speaker *Ms Antonia [Tony] Collela*. Tony & her son Luke co-authored a book on a famous Auburn inventor, Theodore Case, who put sound on film. Tony colorfully related the remarkable life of Theodore Case. Ted Case was from a wealthy prominent



Auburn family. After graduating from Yale Ted served our nation in WW1 by developing sophisticated secret modes of communication. After the war Ted developed the first practical mode of putting sound on film. In 1924 he recorded the first talking film of a US President. Sadly Case's patents on his sound inventions were lost when other unscrupulous inventors & movie makers found ways to infringe on Case's inventions. As a result Case did not receive proper credit or money for his ground breaking invention. Tony noted that until the mid 1930's Case lived in a large 40 room mansion on South Street. The Case Family also owned a large summer retreat on a beautiful mile long stretch of Owasco Lake called Casewasco. For the past decade Tony & her son Luke have been working to ensure that our local great inventor, Theodore Case, is not forgotten & that he receives the credit due him.

**Guests** - *DGE Peter Cardamone, Tully RC: John Paddock; Joe Benedict*

 **Our 50/50 winner** - Dale Zabel - (49 cards left)

**Rotarians in Attendance & Percent** -27 & 46 %

**Active Members** - 61

## FINDING A ROTARY CLUB - for your travels

The Rotary Club Finder link to locate a Rotary Club to visit on your travels, or an

eClub is: <https://www.rotary.org/en/search/club-finder> Once on the page, simply following the instructions. Over

34,000 Rotary Clubs in the world. A great way to meet folks in the area, experience Rotary in a different environment, and expand your friendships. by .... Ward

**THIS WEEK:** *Melissa Spicer - Co-founder & Exec. Dir. of Clear Path for Veterans*

**NEXT MTG:** *Valentine's Party - See notice above*

**FUTURE SPEAKERS & EVENTS:** *See listing below*

## MEETING SETUP & ASSIGNMENTS

## Duane Weaver

Secretary

Dave Piper

Immediate Past Pres

Cheryl Silvestrini

Sergeant at Arms

Chuck Williams

Exec-Secretary

Ward Vuillemot

Dir 7/2014 - 6/2016

Amy Tormey

Dir 7/2014 - 6/2016

Charlie McElroy

Dir 7/2014 - 6/2016

John Moran

Dir 7/2014 - 6/2016

Roy MacDonald

Dir 7/2015 - 6/2017

Cathy Powell

Dir 7/2015 - 6/2017

Jim McQuiggan

Dir 7/2015 - 6/2017

Jean Sardino

Dir 7/2015 - 6/2017

Bill Conole

Youth Exchange Chair

Lee Bennett

Rotary Foundation Chair

Bill Buterbaugh

Membership Chair

Amy Tormey

Membership-Rtn Chair

Roberta Williams

Sunshine Committee Chair

Suzette Grinnals

Comm Service Chair

Jim McQuiggan

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **50/50 Ticket Sales**

### **Feb 04**

Jack Emmer

### **Feb 11**

Bob Holloway

### **Meal Ticket Sales**

Noel Gettman

Bill Huba

### **Pledge**

Mary Giroux

Suzanne Hutchinson

### **Invocation**

Suzette Grinnals

Jack Hyatt

*Meal & 50/50 sales folks should arrive and setup 20 minutes early, to Be courteous & please get a replacement if you won't be available for your assignment!*

**CLICK HERE** to see 50/50 & Meal Ticket Sales duties and instructions

## **QUOTE OF THE WEEK:**

*"Freedom consists of not in doing what we like, but in having the right to do what we ought.." ....Pope John Paul II*

## **D7150, RI and Other Future Events**

- **Feb 10 - Pre-PETS Training** - Baldwinsville Public Library. 50:30 PM - 8:30 PM
- **Mar 18-19 - Multi-District PETS Training Seminar** - Syracuse University Sheraton Hotel - (PE attending): **Info & Registration** to follow
- **Apr 9, 2016 - District 7150 Training Assembly** - i:00 AM - 12:00 PM - Vernon-Vernona Middle School, 5275 State Highway 31, Verona NY. **Info & Registration**
- **Arl 29 - May 1 - District 7150 Conference** - The Holiday Inn, Auburn NY - **Info & Registration**
- **May 29 - Jun 01 - RI Convention in Seoul, Korea** - **Info & Registration**
- **June 30, 2016 - District Changing of the Guard** - 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM - Traditions, the Links at Erie Village - **Info & Registration**
- **Jul 8 - 10, 2016 - RYLA Seminar** - Cazenovia College - **Information**

## **OUR 2015-16 ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE LONG TERM EXCHANGE PROGRAM**

**Outbound** - The 2015-16 Rotary Youth Exchange Outbound students have departed for a year as exchange students abroad.

**Sofia Darovskikh**, to Finland, and **Zach Driscoll** to Germany. We wish them all the best on their "adventure of a lifetime".

**Inbound** - student have moved to their second host families:

**Vincent**, from France, hosted by **Jessica & Tom**

**Wingfield**, and **Daniela** from Chile, hosted by **Shelly & Marc Strang**.

## **SHORT TERM EXCHANGE PROGRAM (STEP)**

**Hope Glowacki** has spent a few weeks in Sicily, Italy and her host sister, Irene returned with her to Skaneateles for a few weeks.

**Adrianna Marshall** traveled to Thuringia, Germany and his host sister, Constanze, returned to Skaneateles for an exchange.



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**MAKE UPS:** Remember to report your "make ups" to David Piper ASAP. You can email him at [piper97j@yahoo.com](mailto:piper97j@yahoo.com) **It is important to report the date,** To learn more on make-ups and procedures, visit: [CLICK HERE](#)

## Speakers

Feb 04, 2016

[Melissa Spicer](#)

*Co-founder & Exec. Dir. of Clear Path for Veterans*

Feb 11, 2016

[Valentine's Party - Spouse & Guest Night](#)

Feb 18, 2016

[Mary Giroux & BOD @ 5pm](#)

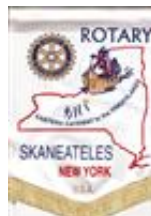
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Feb 25, 2016

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## Service Above Self

We meet Thursdays at 6:30 PM

The Sherwood Inn  
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