

The Skantarian

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LAST WEEK: It was a joyous occasion as our Club celebrated the 50th Anniversary of Rotarian Dana Coye as a member of the Skaneateles Rotary Club, holding a surprise party in his honor last Thursday evening. Special guests in attendance included Dana's wife, Dot, his son Jim and daughter Connie, and their spouses, and grandson Ryan. Club President Chuck O'Neil, in a prepared statement read in part that "we are here tonight to honor a special Rotarian who has reached a major milestone, 50 years of Rotary service to his club, his community and the world". Chuck also highlighted Dana's status as a multi- Paul Harris Fellow, as he noted the meaningful financial commitment Dana has made to the many humanitarian projects of the Rotary Foundation. "These projects save and invigorate the lives of people around the world and enhance international friendship, understanding and peace", Chuck remarked. Dana was then presented the Club's "Distinguished Service" plaque for his 50 years of "Service above Self" from Membership Chairperson, Doug Rutan. Dana's wife, Dot, was also presented a small gift in gratitude for her participation in Rotary functions and service projects over the years and her longstanding support of Rotary's efforts. The evening concluded with a toast to Dana and Dot, and a special dessert named the "Dana Deluxe Donut Dessert", comprised of a Skaneateles Bakery cinnamon donut topped with vanilla ice cream and chocolate sauce, in recognition of Dana's prior 30 year ownership of the bakery. Congratulations, Dana! An honor well deserved!

FAREWELL: Last week Club President Chuck O'Neil also offered a toast in honor of Club Rotarian and Skaneateles School District Superintendent Phil D'Angelo, who was attending his last meeting as a member of our club. Phil is moving to Long Island to take a similar position with a much larger school district. Chuck thanked Phil for enriching the lives of our children, thanked him for his service to our club and community, and wished him much success in his new position. Thanks, Phil and good luck!



THIS WEEK: "Board of Directors meeting beginning at 5:00 PM at the Sherwood". Pancake Breakfast Organization Meeting led by Pancake Breakfast Chairperson, Rotarian Robin Jowaisas. All Rotarians are encouraged to attend this very important meeting.

NEXT WEEK: At our meeting on June 21st, in-bound Youth Exchange students Thomas Boxho (Belgium) and Diana Torres (Venezuela) will be bidding us farewell with a slide presentation of their time spent here in Skaneateles during the past school year, before heading back to their home countries.

Pre-Pancake Father's Day Pancake Breakfast Ticket Sales: Be sure to sign up for a time slot to sell tickets at TOPS at our meeting this week. Each Rotarian is responsible for selling one packet (at least) of tickets and/or asked to donate the value of any unsold tickets. Our objective, of course, is to raise as much money as possible for our Foundation and the many worthy causes it supports, and robust pre-sales help insure that we accomplish that goal. This pre-sale effort has two major benefits: first, it roughly covers the cost of putting on the Breakfast and, second, it means we're not dependent on good weather for a successful pancake breakfast. Early ticket sales are "money in the drawer" and a great insurance policy against a low turnout for any reason.

"If you can't feed a hundred people, then just feed one." ~ Mother Teresa

All pre-pancake ticket sale proceeds should be put in an envelope with your name written on the outside of the envelope and given to Sue Keefe, our Club Treasurer, or mail her a check for the amount collected. Checks should be made payable to the Skaneateles Rotary Foundation. Sue's mailing address is 21 Lake Vista Dr., Skaneateles, NY 13152.

If you need extra tickets, please contact Chuck O'Neil at 224-8075.

Out-Bound Youth Exchange Students: Below is the list of students, along with their country assignments, who have been accepted as our out-bound YE students for the next school year: **Dylan Baker, Belgium; Brendan Dickerson, Spain; Katherine Hirsh, Ecuador; Josh Lotkowitz, Germany; Ryan McQuiggan, Chile; and Kayleigh Rottger, Italy.** Congratulations to all of these worthy Skaneateles High School students!

ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENTS & HOST FAMILY:

Diana Bermudez, Venezuela: Third host family-Guido and Nancy Van der Ven

Thomas Boxho, Belgium: Third host family-Mark and Lisa Leesman

Geraldine Vollmin, Switzerland: Third host family-Jeff and Kate Youle

Our outbound students:

Dan Lemp, Belgium

Emily Cosbar, Taiwan

Jamie Alberici, Argentina

Margo Ferro, Brazil



To see pictures of these students, go to:

http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org/Skan_Rotary/Youth_Exchange.html

DISTRICT AND OTHER NOTICES:

- June 28, 2012 – District Changing of the Guard, Embassy Suites, Carrier Circle. East Syracuse, NY – 5:30 p.m. Cash Bar, 6:15 p.m. Buffet. \$25 per person until June 15th or \$30 thereafter.

FACEBOOK: Skaneateles Rotary is now on Facebook. If you have a Facebook account, please go to the site, Skaneateles Rotary, and check the “I like” icon. And please tell your family and friends to do the same.

MAKEUPS: Remember to report your “make ups” to Cheryl Silvestrini ASAP. You can email her at cherylsilvestrini@rocketmail.com. It is important to report the work you are doing and the time you are putting in.

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.

CELEBRATIONS:

Rotary Anniversaries in June: Dana Coye (50), Lori Ruhlman (6).

Member Birthdays in June: Charlie McElroy (5th), Bill Huba (12th), Bill Pavlus (25th), Duane Weaver (30th).

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

June 14th	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Bill Buterbaugh and Gary Caldwell
	Pledge of Allegiance	Jack Emmer
	Invocation	Noel Gettman
June 21st	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Bob Holloway and Ralph Jurgensen
	Pledge of Allegiance	David Lee
	Invocation	Gard Lorey

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



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