



The Skantarian

Skaneateles Rotary Club, Skaneateles NY, U.S.A.

Rotary District 7150

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Birthdays & Club

Anniversaries

Member Birthdays

Dana Coye

May 5

Noel Gettman

May 6

Gard Lorey

May 13

Bob Holloway

NOTICE of NOTE - Meeting this Week is at The Welch Allyn Lodge. We start festivities at 6:00 PM

PASS THE SYRUP - Check out page 22 of the current June issue of *the Rotarian*. The Skaneateles RC's Father's Day Pancake Breakfast made the international calendar. Kinda cool PR by one of our unknown members. Stand back and watch the planes, trains & buses come in for the event from all over the world! ... *by Ward*

Pancake Ticket Sales Schedule - The TOPS pancake ticket sales schedule is posted on our website. From the **Home page**, goto the **Site Pages** on the left and click on **Pancake Breakfast**, where you will find the **2016 Ticket Sales** link. **Click-on it** and you will download the schedule. The openings are highlighted in yellow. ... *by Ward*

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Summary Notes of May 12th Meeting ... by Ward

Your Board of Directors met last Thursday, May 12th and the following is a summary of discussions points and resolutions.



- **SRF Review** - Kathy Crelot reviewed the Skaneateles Rotary Foundation's income & expenses, YTD.
- **Noel Gettman Resignation** - Noel's resignation has been accepted with regrets. Noel is relocating to the DC area to care for a sick daughter.
- **2016-2017 President-Elect (2017-2018 President)** - Still Searching for a candidate. Interested? See *Bill Huba*.
- **2016-17 Directors** - Terms for Amy Tormey, Charlie McElroy, John Moran & Roy MacDonald expire on June 30, 2016. The 2017-18 Rotarians filling in these director slots are: Roy MacDonald, Mary Giroux, Suzette Grinnals, and one more to be selected (interested?) - See *Cheryl*
- **Tree Billing** - We have approved the payment to the Skaneateles SR club for our share of the cost of three trees planted in the Spring of 2016 by the Youth Exchange and Interact students. The tree supplier was a bit slow on the billing.
- **Programs** - The updated program schedule was reviewed by Prez. Cheryl and web-calendar to be updated by Ward to match the new schedule.
- **Skaneateles Lake Association** - A donation was approved in lieu of a membership fee.
- **After The Ball** - A donation was made to help support the this Annual High School Senior event.

May 16

Chuck O'Neil

May 16

Dave Piper

May 20

Join Date

Dale Zabel

May 6, 1999

17 years

Rob Cooper

May 7, 2015

1 year

Robyn Cooper

May 7, 2015

1 year

Kathy Crelot

May 14, 2008

8 years

Timer Whittingham

May 15, 1979

37 years

Todd May

May 28, 1992

24 years

Guido van der Ven

May 31, 2012

4 years

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LAST WEEK: by Cheryl Silvestrini

Spring Fling - Amy Tormey reminded the members that the Spring Fling will be held on Thursday, 5/19, starting at 6 p.m. at The Lodge. She encouraged everyone to bring friends, family, etc.

Pancake Ticket Sales - John Moran passed around the sign-up sheet for selling Pancake Tickets at Tops.

Maple Syrup for Polio Eradication - Ward showed the Maple Syrup, supplied by VVS HS, F.F.A., that will be sold this year at the breakfast, with proceeds going to Polio Eradication.

Sean O'Keefe - Cheryl reminded members that the Skaneateles Area Chamber of Commerce is welcoming Sean O'Keefe who will present, "Space: What's Keeping Us From the Final Frontier?" This event will be held on Tuesday, May 24th, at 5:30 p.m. at the Skaneateles Country Club. If interested, you may contact the Chamber.

Happy Birthdays - Cheryl wished Dana Coye & Noel Gettman belated Happy Birthdays. Happy Birthday wishes went out to Gard Lorey, Bob Holloway, and Chuck O'Neil as well.

Veterans Drug Addiction - Michael Henty is the founder and executive director of Ministro Ministries which opened the doors of the Case Mansion to veterans and those in need of affordable housing. One of the biggest problems



Mike encountered was housing for people struggling with addiction. He reported that 1 out of 7 people in the U.S. have an addiction problem. He spoke about the HA (Heroin Anonymous) meetings that started 4-5 months ago in Auburn. This is the only HA meeting site in the area. He created "The Underground" in Auburn to combat the addiction epidemic that has plagued our communities and taken far too many lives. It is a café during the day and a NA bar or club in the evening that hosts NA, SA, HA, and AA meetings. He sees it as a place to socialize after the meetings. Mike offers a unique program called "WARMS your heart Recovery". This program creates avenues for people with addictions to express themselves. Mike believes that within a year they will be self-sustaining and the funding promised in the Comprehensive Recovery Act which was one of the fastest bills passed by Congress, will enable them to operate the program. Mike encouraged members to learn more about the program, volunteer, or donate to this important project.

Guests: Guest Speaker, Michael Henty and AG Colleen Weibel



Our 50/50 winner - Won by *Charlie McElroy*

Rotarians in Attendance & Percent: 27 & 45%

Active Members - 59

MEMBERSHIP EVENT – MAY 19, 2016

Mark Your Calendars Because You Won't Want to Miss This!!!

Member Appreciation Night & Membership Recruitment

Invite your family, friends, neighbors, and colleagues for a special celebration of goodwill and friendship...



Where: the scenic Welch Allyn Lodge

When: Thursday, May 19th at 6:00 p.m.

Musical Entertainment offered by the internationally acclaimed, world-class guitarist, Loren Barrigar!

[CLICK HERE for Loren's bio & picture](#)

How Much: \$32 for hor d'ouvers, buffet dinner, and dessert

Mixed Greens with Assorted Toppings, Roasted Turkey

Vegetable Lasagna Roll Ups, Rosemary Red Potatoes

Seasonal Vegetable, and Assorted Cakes

(Cash bar)

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Let's Have Fun and Grow our Membership!

Sign up at a meeting or **RSVP by May 13th**
tormeyesl@verizon.net

(Registrants are responsible for meal charges after May 13th)

PANCAKE BREAKFAST - COM'N SOON!

by Chuck O'Neil, Chair ; Mary Giroux, Vice-Chair

Believe it or not, the annual Father's Day

Pancake Breakfast is only 5 weeks away!

Father's Day this year is June 19th, so please mark that date in ink on your calendar, as well as

Friday, June 17th AM and Saturday, June 18th

AM for set-up, and Monday, June 20th AM afterwards for tear down.

This year will mark our 48th consecutive year holding our Club's biggest fund raising event and we need every Rotarian to participate

to insure its continued success! Our event has raised cumulatively over \$500,000 since our first Breakfast in 1968, adjusted for inflation!

So please schedule to be in town that weekend to help out at this "fun filled" community event! This service project, which supports many worthy causes, only works if every Rotarian makes a full commitment!



MEETING SETUP & ASSIGNMENTS

ASSIGNMENTS

50/50 Ticket Sales

Meal Ticket Sales

Pledge

Invocation

May 19

Jim McQuiggan

John Moran

Chuck O'Neil

John O'Sullivan

May 26

Umesh Patil

David Piper

Skip Plant

Mary Popovich

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

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

THIS WEEK: "Spring Fling" Membership Recruitment & Appreciation - 6:00 PM, Welch Allyn, The Lodge

NEXT MTG: Youth Exchange Student presentations

FUTURE SPEAKERS & EVENTS: See listing below

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D7150, RI and Other Future Events

- **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](#)

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

People who are well liked: 1. Ask for nothing; 2. Laugh at themselves; 3. Listen with interest; 4. Rarely Complain; 5. Inspire others; 6. Teach; 7. Give *Author unknown*

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:

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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 third host families: **Vincent**, from France, hosted by *Mike & Mary Hearn*, and **Daniela** from Chile, hosted by *Alice & Gerry Purdy*.

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.



District 7150 Facebook ... Check it out, to keep up on District Rotary news. Click on logo to the left, or <https://www.facebook.com/RotaryDistrict7150>

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

Speakers

May 19, 2016

[Spring Fling](#)

Membership Appreciation & Recruitment

May 26, 2016

[Lee Bennett & Lori Ruhlman](#)

Youth Exchange Students

Jun 02, 2016

[Jessica DeCerco](#)

Governor Cuomo's Upstate Revitalization Initiative

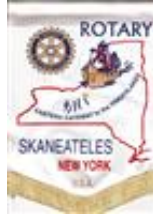
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[Allan Beyel & BOD @ 5:00PM](#)

CNY Food Bank

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Service Above Self

We meet Thursdays at 6:30 PM

The Sherwood Inn

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"Service Above Self"