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LAST WEEK: Our speaker last week was Jason Emerson, editor of the Skaneateles Press and author of "Giant in the Shadows", an acclaimed biography of President Lincoln's son Robert Lincoln. I would also like to mention how interesting last week's speaker was and it was a shame if you missed him. Fear not, he has promised to return and if you were not at last week's meeting you will have another chance to meet Jason Emerson. We were also introduced to Guido Van der Ven. Guido did his classification talk. Guido was in the financial industry prior to retiring to Skaneateles.

THIS WEEK: RI Past President, Kalyan Benerjee's address to the 2012 Convention (DVD presentation).

NEXT WEEK: Joyce Barnett from the Skaneateles Garden Club will be our speaker.

ROTARY MULTI DISTRICT WINE TOUR, SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 16TH 2012: On Sunday September 16th, 2012 with beautiful blue skies & temp's in the mid 70's, 35 Skaneateles, NY Rotarians, & friends met 28 fellow Rotarians & friends from Avon, NY for a Multi District Wine Tour down beautiful Seneca lake! We started at the Ventosa Winery on the East side of Seneca Lake. While we had a working lunch, Avon Rotarian & school principal Rob Lupisella, gave us a presentation about his work in Nicaragua building a school for the children there last year. The pictures & video of the impoverished country, inclusive of the old school & the newly built school helped to paint a vivid picture of the needs these people have. It was well done & Rob had hand made baskets by the ladies of that Village for sale & a sign up sheet for those interested in going down there to do work to build a second school! We'll ask Rob to come to our meeting in the near future to show his presentation to the entire membership! We started our wine tasting at Ventosa, then headed to Three Brothers Winery (which included a brewery) and concluded at Zugibe Winery which had relaxing Adirondack chairs, a deck, live music, with views of the vineyards & the lake while we enjoyed the late afternoon rays of the sun! We enjoyed each others company & the fellowship with the Avon Club! Who knows this just might become an annual trip!



JOHN DAU FOUNDATION: The John Dau Foundation will be honoring the volunteers who support the Duk Lost Boys Clinic with a wine and cheese party on September 23rd. Starting at 4pm with appetizers and a cash bar then at 5pm there will be a presentation in auditorium. The program will finish with a gallery in the bar area. Reservations will be required the suggested donation is \$22.00 per person. Send check to JDF Box 503, Skaneateles, or go to the web site: <http://www.johndaufoundation.org/>

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: The 2012-13 Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2014-15, having functioned in accordance with the bylaws of Rotary International, has indicated that it unanimously nominated GARY C.K. HUANG of the Rotary Club of Taipei, Taiwan for the office of President of Rotary International for the year 2014-15.

ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENTS & HOST FAMILY:

Kazuaki Oda, Japan: First host family-Roberta Williams and Kosta Hou
Vimmy Pragneshkumar, India: First host family-Steve and Sandi Frackenhohl
Jade Zhang, Italy: First host family-Nancy and Chuck Lewis

Our outbound students:

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

Our Inbound Exchange students:

Tim Zengerink, Netherlands
Vimmy Pragneshkumar, India
Kazuaki Oda, Japan
Giada Zhang, Italy

To see pictures of these students, go to the website - http://www.skaneatelesrotary.org/Skan_Rotary/Youth_Exchange.html

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.

D7150 District and Club Leadership: A reminder to submit any club news and pictures for the October issue of the CREDO by September 28th, deadline. Remember, the early bird gets the early page placement.

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 September: Gard Lorey (2), John May (23).

Member Birthdays in September: David Lee (4th), Chuck Williams (9th), John O’Sullivan (16th), Jean Sardino (17th), Peter Anderson (21st), Jack Hyatt (24th), John May (27th), Ward Vuillemot (28th), Bill Blessing (29th).

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

Sept. 20th	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Ed Corcoran
	Pledge of Allegiance	Peter Duenkelsbuehler
	Invocation	Jack Emmer
Sept. 27th	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Art Fellerman
	Pledge of Allegiance	Noel Gettman
	Invocation	Bob Holloway

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



Left to right:
Phyllis Danks, Assistant District Governor
Deborah Glisson, District Governor Nominee
Rob Lupiselle, Avon School Principle – built school in Nicaragua
Laurie Vonglis, Avon Rotary President
Peter Adams, Skaneateles Rotary President
Dennis Schonewetter, District Governor Elect



“To give without any reward, or any notice, has a special quality of its own.” ~ Anne Morrow Lindbergh