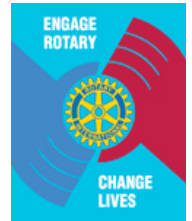


The Skantarian

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LAST WEEK: Ms Sharon Magee, The Executive Director of the Skaneateles Education Foundation, spoke on the many contributions the foundation is making to our students in the Skaneateles School System. The foundation is celebrating their 5th anniversary this year. During the past year the foundation funded 12 grants for a total value of more than \$96,000 to the Skaneateles Schools. The largest grant was awarded to a project called "Zooming, Zooming Out" To explain this project Ms Magee showed a video made by SCHS Junior Ms Elisabeth Lane. Ms Magee asked Elisabeth to narrate her video. Ms Lane's professional video interviewed Rotarians Judy Pastel & Lori Ruhlman to help explain how this project is benefiting all Middle & High School Students. Elisabeth's excellent video is just one example of how this project is enhancing education for our students with cutting edge IT Programs. Sharon Magee thanked our Skaneateles Rotary Club for our ongoing support of the foundation. Sharon & Elisabeth's presentation proves that the foundation is providing a competitive advantage for Skaneateles students & teachers through their targeted investments in our school.

Dear Rotary Members,

Rotary membership was important to Art Fellerman. He welcomed many meaningful commitments over his years of membership: Secretary, Board Member, Program Chair and, one year at least, "Champion Pancake Breakfast Ticket Seller". Organizing Bunt Osborn's Anniversary Tribute was especially memorable as the entire club rallied to honor Bunt's accomplishment. Both of our sons were Rotary Exchange Students the year following high school. They had invaluable life experiences they carry with them to this day. As parents, we also experienced the scope and quality this Rotary program offered our sons.

As Parkinson's waxed and waned in our lives, your concern and support was felt and appreciated. As of late, we were especially grateful to members who called about or came over to be with Art during my Monday Evening Club meetings.

Thank one and all, for you again "put another above self"!

Sincerely, Diane Fellerman

THIS WEEK: The Women of the Golden Age of Movies - Judy VanBuskirk

NEXT MEETING: Kazakhstan - Middle School - Sharon O'Connell - Board of Directors at 5:00 p.m.

District 7150 Conference April 25 - 27, 2014

Vernon Downs Hotel/Casino Vernon, NY

Review important Conference information and Register by
going to <http://www.rotary7150.org>
and click on the 2013-14 Conference tab



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FOUNDATION UPDATE: Congratulations and thanks to everyone for your generous support of The Rotary Foundation this year. While the updated figures below indicate that we have almost achieved our 2013-2014 year goal, with the donations we have in-hand but not yet processed, we will go over our \$6,100 goal. Terrific response from this club and greatly appreciated.

Rotary Foundation Annual Giving 2013-14 Goal: \$6,100
 Contributions to date \$7,545
Percent of goal achieved 124%

Polio Eradication 2013-14 Goal: \$2,000
 Contributions to date \$2,900
Percent of goal received 145%



ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENTS & HOST FAMILY:

Our Inbound Students:

Soeren Heyber - Germany. Hosted by Mark & Lisa Leesman
Fabiana Zedeno Proano Valentina (**Fabiana**) - Ecuador. Hosted by Nancy & Chuck Lewis
Natnicha Padungpattanodom (**Bam Bam**) - Thailand. Hosted by Vernon & Diana Wetmore

Our Outbound Students:

Meghan Dwyer - Italy
 Ella DeFalco - Netherlands
 Ty Winkelman - France
 Ryan Barbour - Thailand
 Mariah MaCarron – Finland

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 Skip Plank ASAP. You can email him at fplank@verizon.net It is important to report the work you are doing and the time you are putting in.

CELEBRATIONS:

Rotary Anniversaries in March: Doug Rutan (9) Bill Blessing (3) Timer Whittingham (35)
 Sandy Lee (18) Jim McQuiggin (7)

Rotary Birthdays in March: John Shannon (11) Doug Rutan (14) Nick Brewster (24)
 Lee Bennett (31)

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

March 6	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Karen Price
	Pledge of Allegiance	John Ralph
	Invocation	Bill Reckmeyer
March 13	Set-up-50/50-Ticket Sales	Dan Roche
	Pledge of Allegiance	Bill Rosbrook
	Invocation	Lori Ruhlman

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

Other Rotary Calendar of Events

- 🌟 Feb 27 - Presidents Elect Training Part II Baldwinsville Library, 6:00 - 8:00 PM
- 🌟 Mar 14~15 - Presidents-Elect Training Seminar, Doubletree Hotel, E. Syracuse
- 🌟 Mar 22 - Rotary Leadership Institute, Owego NY
- 🌟 Mar 29 - District 7150 Assembly
- 🌟 Apr 25~27, '14 - District Conference - Vernon Downs
- 🌟 Rotary District 7150 [http: www.rotarydistrict7150.org/calendar.html](http://www.rotarydistrict7150.org/calendar.html)
- 🌟 Rotary Leadership Inst., North Eastern America www.rlinea.com/Calendar.htm

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