



President Lizzy Martin

Welcome back! I hope you read last month's newsletter and are now happy to tune in regularly. This is the second month of our light summer schedule, so please pay close attention to what's coming up and to weekly emails for details on all of our events. I'm looking forward to our Senior Citizen Summer Picnic because it's always fun when we work side-by-side, getting hands-on with service and putting smiles on the faces of beloved members of our community. A big thank you in advance to Sally and Marcia for opening up their backyards to our club and our families at the B'ville Rotary Family BBQ this month. I really hope you come out, even if a Tuesday night isn't usually your thing, because we are having a blast getting together at these social gatherings. If there is anything that I, or our board members, can do to help you keep up with all of our activities, please

speak to me personally. Added events, alternate meeting times and varied meeting styles are intended to appeal to the diversity of our club. If I'm missing your favorite activity, let me know!

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MEETING SCHEDULES**

Don't miss any of it!

Senior Citizen Summer Picnic

Join us as we serve a meal and some fun to local senior citizens as part of an annual project to spread cheer and fellowship. Duties include setting up the space, helping with checking in seniors, grilling meat, serving food and drinks, waiting on our guests, and clean up. Volunteers will also get to eat at the end. All should wear hats since we are serving food and dress in your Rotary gear.

**Wednesday, Aug 21st
from 3-6pm**

Canton Woods Senior Center
76 Canton Street, Baldwinsville

Any seniors that wish to eat at the picnic must register with Canton Woods by calling (315) 638-4536. Seating is limited.

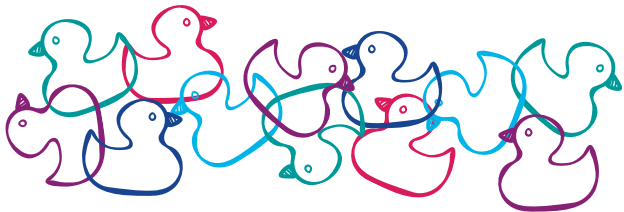
CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP!



TRACKING OUR GIVING

\$500 for a Community Calendar
\$1,100 pre-approved for Charity of Choice
\$100 to RI Foundation in honor of DG Randy, presented at his visit

Check here each month for an update and running tally of charitable donations and community spending that the board has recently approved!



DUCK SORTING TIME

Wednesday, Aug. 14th at 5:30pm in Dave's Basement at 6 Oswego Street
RSVP to Ken at ken@steelintheair.com.
We only need 6-10 people and will have pizza once the project is complete!

SENECA RIVER DAYS RESULTS ARE IN

Our club's biggest annual fundraiser just got even bigger! Total profit came to \$21,400, plus Don has reported another \$5,000 coming from a grant from Senator DeFrancisco. That's going to help feed the hungry, provide comfort to soldiers, give scholarships to local students, put on a BBQ for local seniors, send veterans to DC through Honor Flight and so much more in the coming year. A huge thank you to committee chair Ken Schmidt for his vision, leadership and focus on growing this community event!

SERGEANT AT ARMS/GREETERS NEEDED

Responsibilities:

-Set up & Take Down of Space:

Tuesday night – set up room

Wednesday noon – refresh room & take down after

-Communicate with Lizzy if we are low on supplies, if something needs to be replaced or if we are missing any club supplies.

-Greet Rotarians and guests as they arrive at the meeting

-Give direction to the check-in process as needed

-Provide answers to any questions about the day's meeting like What's for lunch? Who's the speaker? How much do I pay just to attend this meeting without eating lunch? You will need to be knowledgeable.

A new sign-up will be available starting August 28th so you can choose a meeting (or two, or three) to help out. Weekly emails will remind everyone who the SAA/Greeter will be at that week's meetings.

LIVERPOOL SATELLITE CLUB EXPLORATION

In July, both the board and the membership voted in support of exploring the possibility of starting a satellite club in Liverpool. A satellite club is a relatively new concept in Rotary that makes it easier to get a new club started. Traditionally, it takes 20 people to charter a new club. As you can imagine, it would be quite a challenge to gather that many people when just starting out. With the satellite format, it takes just eight people to get the new group started and it remains technically a part of its sponsoring club until it is large enough to charter itself separately. This allows a group to get established and grow organically, doing good works, with great mentors and leadership training made available to them. The proposal to sponsor a satellite club was brought to us by Janet and Marv Joslyn, who are spearheading the effort. The first step is to determine if there are eight people interested in starting a group. Once recruited, the group would have their own chair person, vice chair and secretary. President Lizzy and Treasurer Bruce would help with leadership and financial guidance. Their members will count as members of our club in the eyes of Rotary International (and the district). The goal would be to establish and grow the club so it could leave the nest (become its own separate entity!). Efforts are already underway with Janet coordinating members to volunteer at Liverpool concerts where we can network with residents, as well as making inroads with the local chamber to connect with area business owners. The response thus far has been positive and an email list of interested candidates is growing. Tune in here each month for updates on the progress of this project! Photo: President Lizzy chats with potential satellite club members who are signing up to receive more information while attending an outdoor concert in the village of



IMPORTANT MEETING REMINDERS

Wednesday's Meeting Starts at Noon
Since we reversed the order of our meeting with lunch at the end, it's really important that we start on time so food is ordered in a timely fashion. Please try to arrive a little before noon so we can ring the bell at 12:05pm at the latest!

Make Sure Your Badge is On & Readable
With many new members, it's important that we are wearing our name badges in a way that makes them readable. Be sure to introduce yourself to an unfamiliar face too!

Sign Up at Check In
The new set up in the meeting room has all the sign-ups and important information along the table where you wait in line to check in. Please take a moment to review all of that so you are quickly up to speed!

GHOST WALK ANYONE? GET TICKETS NOW OR NEVER

The Baldwinsville Center for Arts is hosting their sold-out ghost walk tours again this October. It is a walking tour that visits haunted places around the village, where actors will help tell the ghostly stories! It is \$15/person and tickets are available online only. Unfortunately, we cannot block off a tour for our group, so the only way we can all go together is for us to get our tickets now, before they start promoting the event and tickets sell out (they always do!). Click the link below and get your tickets for the suggested day and time. Can't go the same time as the group? Take advantage of this early heads-up and get tickets to support the group anyway!

Friday, Oct 6th - 6pm Tour

CLICK FOR TICKETS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

JENNY DOANE - AUG 4
DONA OCCHIPINTI - AUG 12
ROSEMARY BUCCI - AUG 15
SCOTT NORTHRUP - AUG 22
MEG VAN PATTEN - AUG 23
JOAN PATCHETT - AUG 24



If your birthday or anniversary is missing, contact Mary Huling or President Lizzy!

ANNIVERSARIES:

MIC & MARILYN JENKINS- AUG 2
JOHNNIE-LYNN & PAUL FIORAMONTI- AUG 5
RAY & JUDY O'NEIL- AUG 8
ANN & JIM SMILEY - AUG 11
BRIAN & CHRIS WALSH - AUG 12
MARCIA & DICK BENSON - AUG 26

CONGRATS FROM THE MEMBERSHIP CHAIR

Congratulations to our Baldwinsville Rotary Club for a 7% gain in membership during the 2018-2019 Rotary year! We grew from 57 members to 61 members, which is wonderful. Please pass my congratulations on to all the members of our club. Again, congratulations to our whole club on the membership gain!

*-Janet Joslyn
District 7150 Membership Chair*

OPERA SPEAKER SERENADES CLUB



In July, we welcomed two ladies with the Syracuse Opera. Executive Director Lisa Smith spoke about the history of local opera, what goes into planning their shows, a little about herself (which does not involve singing or opera) and how unique it is that we have such talent locally. We also got to hear several pieces from singer Lisa Kisselstein, some of which we shared live on the club's Facebook page. Click the image to the left to listen in if you missed it!

DISCUSSION TOPIC FOR NEXT THINK TANK

October 1st our Think Tank will explore the impact climate change is having on our national parks with another interesting and easy read from National Geographic.

CLICK TO READ THE ARTICLE

Read this prior to our meeting and come prepared to discuss and enjoy in everyone's perspectives!



PLAN FOR OUR HOLIDAY THEATER TRIP

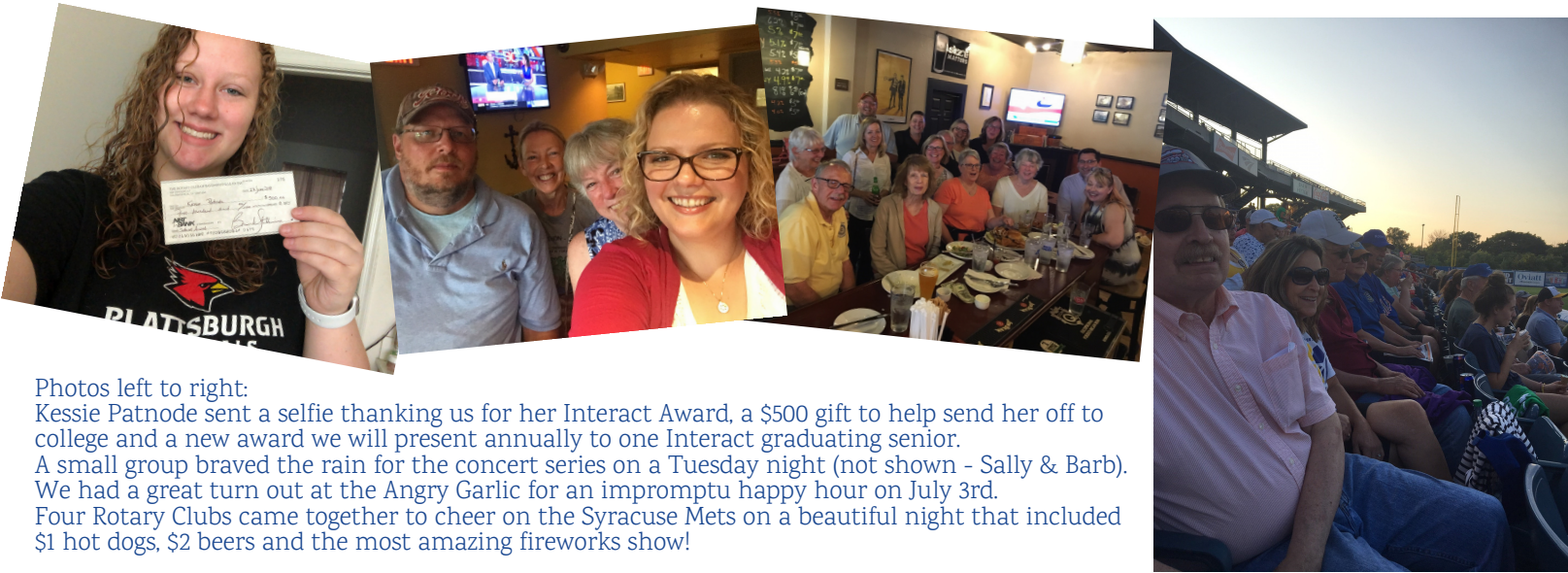
Be our guest for family theatre at its very best. Spectacular costumes and fantastic sets combine with beloved songs in this classic story about finding the magic in love. A wicked curse has transformed a young prince into a ghastly Beast. To break the power of this spell and return to his former self, the Beast must learn how to love and be loved. His fate is in the hands of a young woman, Belle, who must guide and teach him before he is lost forever. A tale as old as time to celebrate the holiday season.

Syracuse Stage Disney's Beauty and the Beast
Show Date: Sunday, November 24th at 2 pm

Adults \$38 & Youth \$30 (no purchase fees)
Seats are first and second row balcony
Tickets sold first come, first served until October 24th

Save the date! Ticket link coming soon!

SNAPSHOTS FROM JULY



Photos left to right:
Kessie Patnode sent a selfie thanking us for her Interact Award, a \$500 gift to help send her off to college and a new award we will present annually to one Interact graduating senior.
A small group braved the rain for the concert series on a Tuesday night (not shown - Sally & Barb). We had a great turn out at the Angry Garlic for an impromptu happy hour on July 3rd.
Four Rotary Clubs came together to cheer on the Syracuse Mets on a beautiful night that included \$1 hot dogs, \$2 beers and the most amazing fireworks show!

HONOLULU HAWAII 2020 **BOOK NOW**

Join tens of thousands of Rotarians on a beautiful island June 6-10, 2020. Register & book your hotel now before they are sold out!



Meeting Schedule

AUGUST

@ THURSDAY, AUG 1 - B'VILLE ROTARY BASEBALL NIGHT

Thanks to all who came out for a fun evening!

TUESDAY, AUG 6 - THINK TANK WITH SALLY

We had a lively discussino about ketchup, corporate responsibility, food safety & more!

* WEDNESDAY, AUG 7 - NO REGULAR MEETING - WELCOME HOME DINNER

@ TUESDAY, AUG 13 - PICNIC AT SALLY & MARCIA'S HOUSE

RSVP to Marcia at mbenson214@aol.com

* WEDNESDAY, AUG 14 - NO REGULAR MEETING

@ TUESDAY, AUG 20 - FARMER'S MARKET MEET UP

Gather near the Little Free Library at 5:30pm or just come to the market this evening!

👉 WEDNESDAY, AUG 21 - SENIOR CITIZEN SUMMER PICNIC

Sign up to help serve meals at this hands-on project - details on page 3

🍺 TUESDAY, AUG 27 - CLUB IN A PUB

Watch your email/text for the location. Taking requests for local watering holes!

WEDNESDAY, AUG 28 - LEARN ABOUT ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Charity of Choice summer winner will be drawn!

SEPTEMBER

TUESDAY, SEPT 3 - WHAT IS COACHING WITH MEMBER BARB STONE

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TUESDAY, SEPT 10 - RESCUE MISSION WITH MEMBER TORI SHIRES

Board meeting at 5:30pm and regular meeting starts at 7pm

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 11 - RESCUE MISSION WITH MEMBER TORI SHIRES

🍺 TUESDAY, SEPT 17 - CLUB IN A PUB

Watch your email/text for the location. Taking requests for local watering holes!

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 18 - SPEAKER SAM ROBERTS FROM SUNY OSWEGO

TUESDAY, SEPT 24 - MEMBERSHIP CONTEST ANNOUNCEMENT & ACTIVITY

WEDNESDAY, SEPT 25 - MEMBERSHIP CONTEST ANNOUNCEMENT & ACTIVITY

SATURDAY, SEPT 28 - ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE - [CLICK TO REGISTER](#)

ICON KEY FOR MEETING SCHEDULE



Club in a Pub - we will meet up starting at 5:30pm at a local pub TBD



Service Project - read your newsletter and email for details



No regular meeting



We are venturing out for something fun

All meetings are held at the Red Mill Inn. Tuesday meetings start at 7pm and cost \$1 to attend, coffee provided. Wednesday meetings start at noon and cost \$10 for lunch or \$1 to attend, coffee provided. Note any changes to time or location of meeting on this schedule!