

Reporting Meeting of 28 December 2015

Calendar of Events

Last Week: 12/28 Dinner at SAM's
This Week: 01/04 Jina Byeon – Lonergans' South Korean guest
Next Week: 01/11 Program TBD

Coming Up 01/01 President Bill's Polar Plunge
LET'S SUPPORT HIM!!!!
01/11 Deadline for check donations to Polio Plus

Attendance: BH/BL Rotarians-18 Guests- 7

Invocation: George Bailey, Garry Morrow or Dan Stec

Note: Regular meetings are held Monday Evenings at 6:15 PM in the William E. Sewell Memorial Room at the Ballston Town Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- President Bill Wehrle led the Pledge of Allegiance, Bob Youmans led the singing of God Bless America and George Bailey provided an inspirational invocation.
- Steve Caine renewed the call to support President Bill's Polar Plunge on New Year's day with pledges to the Polio Plus initiative. We hope all club members will give what they can to finally eliminate this incurable but preventable disease. Checks should go to Val no later than the Jan 11th meeting and be made out to the "Burnt Hills Ballston Lake Rotary Club." Val will send a consolidated check for the club and Steve will forward a list of the donors so that Paul Harris credit is appropriately given for the amount of your donation.
- Steve Caine announced that now that the BH/BL Rotary has entered the digital age and all members have e-mail, the Rotateller will henceforth be delivered electronically with only a dozen or so hard copies to be printed each week for guests and speakers.
- Rotarian guest Lon Penna of the Niskayuna Rotary Club made a pitch for sale of a merchant's coupon book to benefit one of the Schenectady schools that has been adopted by the Niskayuna club.

Election of Officers

President Bill offered the following slate of Officers for the Rotary Year commencing July 1, 2016.

President:: Peter Parker

President Elect: Jon Costolo

President Nominee: Beth Brownell

Bill went on to note that Steve Caine's term as a Board member will expire at the end of June and that we need to nominate a successor.

The position of Secretary will continue to be shared by Linda and Mary and Val will continue as Treasurer. The entire slate of Officers was elected by acclamation on a voice vote

Happy New Year!

Reported by Ggrry Morrow

For January: Set up: Peter Parker, Bill Lonergan, John Fettke, Bill McClary Clean up: Dan Stec, Fred Baily, Mary Anderson