

Reporting Meeting of June 22, 2020

Calendar of Events

Last Week: 06/22 Junior Achievement of Northeastern NY, ROY award
This Week: 06/29 Change Over Night (Induction of New Officers)
Next Week: 07/06 District Governor Visit Rich Griesche
Coming Up: 06/27 Charlton Road Cleanup. 8:00 at School House
07/13 Saratoga Plan

Note: Regular ZOOM meetings are held Monday Evenings at 6:00 pm. Check your e-mail box the day of the meeting for the computer ZOOM ID# and Password, as well as the phone number you can use to phone in if using your cell phone to participate.

*Please give suggestions for future programs to Gregg Schorr
Find us at bhblrotary.org and on Facebook*

"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities and in ourselves".

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOUNDATION – Tom reported that we have reached a donation level of just under \$14,000. And we were able to surpass that amount as a few members paid the remaining \$15 during the zoom meeting!

SERVICE- Road Clean up this weekend in Charlton, June 27. We will be meeting at 7:45 at the Charlton Historical Society building on Maple Ave in Charlton. We will break up into small groups and assigned road areas to clean. Please wear your Rotary yellow shirt and bring gloves as well. Trash bags will be provided.

HAPPY DOLLARS – Mike led the session in his usual way that makes HDs one of the most enjoyable parts of a meeting.

DUES- 1st half of dues are due for the upcoming Rotary year - \$80 dollars for July-Dec 2020.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW- Steve Geene was awarded his Paul Harris Fellow pin for his contributions to the Rotary Foundation.

Serve with us. The world is waiting.

ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR

This much deserved award was given to
Linda LeTendre.

Greg and Gini spoke in tandem about all the accolades and humble and sometimes dramatic work that Linda does for our club as well as for the larger community, as she truly demonstrates *service above self* repeatedly day in and day out. From her ongoing efforts in the social arena, to peace initiatives to standing up for her beliefs and the fair treatment of all, *Linda is the epitome of what it means to be a Rotarian!*



Congratulations, Linda!

Junior Achievement of Northeastern New York – Tovah Lisky

We had the pleasure of having the President of Junior Achievement of Northeastern New York, Mrs. Tovah Lisky speak to us at our zoom club meeting.

Tovah spoke about the importance of JA in the way that it inspires and prepares young people to succeed. The amazing part of this organization is that the mentors and speakers who educate the students are volunteers from the business and leadership community.

These volunteer-delivered, kindergarten-12th grade programs foster **work-readiness, entrepreneurship** and **financial literacy skills**, and use experiential learning to inspire students in our community to dream big and reach their potential.

Much like the rest of the education community, JANENY had to adapt and change due to the COVID 19 pandemic. The volunteers were still able to operate in a first ever virtual delivery of their education programs. JANENY will work to expand this program in the fall, moving forward as it enables the program to reach more schools and bring in more volunteers who may not be able to attend the school classrooms in person.

For more information about donating or volunteering with the Junior Achievement of Northeastern NY see the website below.

<https://neny.ja.org/>

Reported by Jon Costolo