

Reporting Meeting of June 15, 2020

Calendar of Events

Last Week: 06/15 BHBL Scholarships and Awards Announcements and a Review of Club and the Districts Websites
This Week: 06/22 Junior Achievement of North Eastern NY
Next Week: 06/29 Cross over night
Coming Up: 06/27 Charlton Road Cleanup. 8:00 at School House
07/06 District Governor Rich Griesche

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 bhhlrotary.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 – Reporting from his new home in Florida, Tom reported that we have reached a donation level of just under \$14,000. Something that we should all be proud of.

SERVICE- Jon mentioned that an email will be sent out addressing the June 27 road cleanup and that a note will also be sent to "friends of Rotary" to encourage their participation. He noted that this is a nice form of service that we can do with social distancing. As a point of interest, Ken mentioned that the Charlton 5K will be a virtual event this year, and the date has yet to be finalized.

MEMBERSHIP- We have some nice leads on potential members. There was a brief discussion on members not attending Zoom meetings. Gini volunteered to send them a note conveying how we miss them. Mike highlighted the wonderful job Darlene did in producing a video for use on Face Book and possibly our website. She interviewed Mike and Silas who shared their views on the very positive aspects of Rotary.

HAPPY DOLLARS – Mike led the session in his usual way that makes HDs one of the most enjoyable parts of a meeting. Themes that surfaced were thankfulness for the beautiful day, further appreciation for the Brownells'

outstanding contribution to the club, Fathers' Day and a happy birthday wish for one of our most cherished members.

ODDS AND ENDS- PDG Dan gave us a rundown on the situation from the District level. Apparently, there is a club closing up shop and another struggling. Membership problems. The District as a whole is losing membership. Fortunately, our club membership has risen to 36. Dan noted that most clubs are Zooming, and, as you would imagine, no idea exists on when we will be restarting regular meetings. District is using CDC guidance.

Awards and Website

Mary announced the winners of our scholarships and awards. We hope the winners can join us at some future date! The winners are:

Interact Award- *Gracie Greenaway*

Citizen and Service-*Billie McClosky*

Award for Education-*Kristen Alsdorf*

Jack and Mary Wolfe Scholarship- *Mikhail Troyan*

Skilled Workforce Scholar-*Brenden Flynn*

These are truly outstanding young people, and we wish them well.

Ken, with Jon's assistance, gave us a tour of our website home page to explain what was included and how to use it to link to other websites. We received a very thorough demonstration on what is included on the District and RI sites. A password is required to get into the District Website, and if you need one, please contact Mary Anderson.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO GINI!!

Clearly, Ponce de Leon should have been searching for the Fountain of Youth on the East Side of Ballston Lake, not Florida!

\$80 Dues are Due

You can mail a check to Steve Geene at 10 Knollwood Hollow, Ballston Spa 12020, or you can drop of your check at Gill's Garage.

Reported by Steve Caine

Serve with us. The world is waiting.