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Hello BH-BL Rotarians,

On Tuesday, October 29th with Rick Reynolds' guidance we were able to clean many tomb stones at the Hillside Cemetery. At dusk we moved to Pizza Works where we enjoyed companionship, beverages and good food.

This Tuesday, November 5th is our **APPLE PIE FESTIVAL** at the **O'Rourke Middle School on Lake Hill Road**. We need help from as many Rotarians as possible. Approximately ten members have signed up to work at the festival but we definitely need more help. Set up will begin at **4PM** on Tuesday. Please let Peter Sawyer or myself know that you will be helping our Club on Tuesday night.

We are still collecting food at Gil's for the Galway Food Pantry.

Ray Callanan for the last almost three years has been delivering our food donations to the Galway Food Pantry on Thursday each week. Regretfully time & age have made it necessary for him to stop delivery to the pantry. We need volunteers to make the Thursday delivery beginning November 21st. The more volunteers the less work for everybody who volunteers. I am willing to set up & maintain a rotating schedule of delivery people. I Volunteer!

Some of the upcoming activities and dates follow:

November 5th: Apple Pie Festival - Elections

November 12th: Russ Vandervoort will be speaking to us about the history of the Eric Canal.

November 19th: City Mission Volunteer Night

November 19th Work night @ City Mission

November 26th **No Meeting** - Thanksgiving week

December 3rd Holiday Parade at High School

December 7th & 8th Festival of Trees

December 10th Holiday Party at Lunch Thyme

December 14th Wreaths Across America

December 17th To be determined

December 24th **No meeting** - Christmas Eve

Pete P.