<u>1/12/2025</u> Hello BH-BL Rotarians,

On Tuesday, January 7th we enjoyed a very lively & enlightening presentation by Dr. Kate Graney, on the Solidarity movement in Poland which was followed by a lively open discussion period. Dr. Graney is a Professor of Political Science at Skidmore College.

At our meeting last week I passed around a sign-up sheet deliverers to the Galway Food Pantry. Members signed up for every week in January & February and one week in March. I plan on sending reminders out to the delivery Rotarian at the beginning of each week.

I would like to set-up a small committee of two or three to handle the scheduling of our volunteers for food deliveries. Please let me know what you think about this.

Just a friendly reminder that Dues are due for the January to June time frame.

Just as a reminder for those of you who have not already contributed your \$25 to the success of the Apple Pie Fest, please send your \$25 as soon as possible so we can finalize the financial results for the Apple Pie Fest.

Some of the upcoming activities and dates follow:

January 14th Rick Reynolds will present a film on the history of Ballston spa

January 21st Guillermo Truillo will update us on the Edward Jones Investment Account

January 21st Rotary Board Meeting at 4:30PM at Lunch Thyme

January 28th Cathy Grasso-Hoff will speak about Blue Path Service Dogs

Pete P.