



THE AXLE

Oswego Rotary's Weekly Newsletter



Founded March 29, 1927
Service Above Self

Paul Scott, President		Mark DuFore, Past President	
Bill Crist, President Elect		Ann Seifried, Treasurer	
Vice President		Mark Dufore, Secretary	
Carol Anthony, 7150 District Governor (Chittenango)		Rosa Kemmis, Asst. Gov., Area 10 (Fulton Sunrise)	
William B. Boyd, Rotary International President (Pakuranga, New Zealand)			
Youth Exchange Student: <u>Tervetuloa! Sanna Rättyä (Finland), hosted by the Kearns family</u>			
Next Meeting	When:	June 5, 2007	
	Where:	King Arthur's Steakhouse	
	Program:	Selma Sheridan - Ellen Hornig (Seneca Hills Perennials)	
<u>Today's Meeting Date: May 29, 2007</u>			
Welcome and Call to Order at: 12:25 p.m.		Patriotic Song: America - Led by today's speaker John English	
Current Club Membership is: 45		The Pledge:	
Attendance Today: 53%		Invocation: Mark DuFore	
Average April Attendance: 72 %		Second Song: America the Beautiful - Led by today's speaker John English	
Visiting Rotarians:			
Honorary Rotarians:		Harrison Wilde	
Guests:		Mark Fiorini (Director of the Rural Health Network of Oswego County) was a guest of Sabine Ingerson	
Birthdays:		Dick Shineman (21); Mark DuFore (21); Jack Forsyth (26)	
Anniversaries:		Joe Hutchinson (20) Randy Zeigler (4); Peter Kaulfuss (1) Shawn Seale (1)	
Student Guests:			
"Job Well Done":			
Fines/Happy Dollars:			
50-50 Raffle:		Mark DuFore won \$2.00	
Meeting Adjourned:		1:13 p.m.	
Date	<u>PROGRAMS</u>		
Jun 05	Selma Sheridan - Ellen Hornig (Seneca Hills Perennials)		
Jun 12	Shawn Seale - Jennifer Hill (Greater Oswego-Fulton Chamber of Commerce)		
Jun 19	Changing of the Guard		
Jun 26			
	<u>CALENDAR</u>		
Jun 03	Top 100 Dinner		
Jun 19	Changing of the Guard		



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We were pleased to see those of you who attended today: *Make-up

Bill Crist*, Joette Deane, Diane Dillon, Mark DuFore, John FitzGibbons, Bruce Frassinelli*, Terry Gorman, David Granoff, Sabine Ingerson, Peter Kaulfuss, Tom Kearns*, Deane Masuicca*, Victor Oakes, Charlie Phallen, Paul Scott, Ann Seifried*, Paul Shaver, Selma Sheridan, Dick Shineman, Rick Tesoriero, Melanie Trexler*, Vern Tryon, Bob Woods, Randy Zeigler*

Announcements:

***Jack Forsyth** is at home and is progressing with rehabilitation. He thanks everyone for their cards and get well wishes.

***Project Bloom:** Planting will take place this Saturday June 2, 8:00 A.M. Meet at Rivers end Bookstore and please bring your own planting tools.

***Sabine** reports our inbound exchange student will be a girl from Germany. Host families are needed.

***Welcome** back to Charlie Phallen.

***Joette** gave an update on the District water project. Our district donation of \$5000.00 was matched and pooled with several districts and organizations and grew to \$136,000.00. That is the power of Rotary!!!

***President Paul** announced that Alliance Bank has agreed to sponsor the annual Top 100 Dinner. They have donated \$1500.00 to help with the cost of the Student dinners. Our thanks to Alliance Bank. The Dinner is this Sunday at 5:00 o'clock at the Elk's Lodge. Contact Terry Gorman for information and tickets.

***Terry Gorman** reports: Charlie and Marie Kirby recently re-located to the National Lutheran Home in order for the family to be closer. We received permission to forward this information to Rotary members. Their address is National Lutheran Home, 9701 Veirs Drive, Rockville, MD 20850-3462

Today's Program: Vivian Sayer - John English - Oswego Opera Company

Executive director of the Oswego Opera Company John English spoke today about his vision for the Oswego County area. He would like to see all the arts flourish and grow with special emphasis on children's programs. The OOC is currently very involved with local youth and provides free access to dress rehearsals and free tickets to needy families. He would also like to have a weekly presence in area schools. The OOC is currently in its 29th year and has about 250 part time employees. John does not receive a pay check and also contributes both time and money to this wonderful organization. This fall the company will bring Carousel to the stage. Thank you John for a great program.



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"Job Well Done" Recognition Award Reminder:

Contact Chair Shawn Seale at Shawn_E_Seale@KeyBank.com with the name of the individual being presented a "Job Well Done" award. This will allow Sean to prepare the letter, certificate, and Dunkin Donuts coupon.

Reporting Make-Ups:

If you wish to use Meals on Wheels, a committee meeting, or participation in a Rotary event as a make-up for a missed meeting, please notify the attendance committee by logging on to www.oswegorotary.org and using the make-up notification form in the "members only" area.

As an alternative, you can report make-ups by: Sending an email to attendance@oswegorotary.org with "Make-up Notification" as the subject and list the missed date, make-up date, and type of make-up.

Oswego Rotary Board Of Directors

Dir-07: John Fitzgibbons	Dir-08: Bruce Frassinelli	Dir-09: Joette Deane	Dir-10: John Fitzgibbons
Dir-07: David Granoff	Dir-08: Sabine Ingerson	Dir-09: Tony Henderson	Dir-10: David Granoff
Dir-07: Deana Masuicca	Dir-08: Vern Tryon	Dir-09: Shawn Seale	Dir-10: Deana Masuicca
Dir-07: Dick Shineman	Dir-08: Randy Zeigler	Dir-09: Melanie Trexler	

Oswego Rotary Foundation Board of Directors

Dir-08 Paul Scott	Dir-08 Tom Ingram	Dir-09 Bill Crist	Dir-09 Ann Seifried
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Paul Harris Fellows (Active Members)

Edward Caraccioli	Paul Heins	Frank Sayer *+	Selma Sheridan	Vernon Tryon *
Joette Deane *	Joseph Hutchinson	Paul Scott +	Richard Shineman +*	Robert Wood *
Mark Dufore *	H. Peter Kaulfuss	Ann Seifried	Corte Spencer *	
Bruce Frassinelli *+	Anthony Murabito *	Paul Shaver *	Richard Tesoriero *	+ Benefactor
Philip Gaines	Victor Oakes *		Melanie Trexler *	* Multiple PHF

Rotary Foundation Sustaining Members as of March 31, 2006

Mark Dufore	Thomas Ingram	Paul Shaver	Vernon Tryon	
Sherwood Dunham	Anthony Murabito	Selma Sheridan	Robert Wood	
Bruce Frassinelli	Pam Quesnell	Richard Shineman	Randy Zeigler	
David Granoff	Paul Scott	Richard Tesoriero		
Joseph Hutchinson	Ann Seifried	Melanie Trexler		

Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member: An individual who personally contributes \$100 or more each year to the Annual Programs Fund. Contributions are cumulative throughout the Rotary year and donors receive a Sustaining Member badge sticker from the club. Contributions count toward Paul Harris Fellow. Our club will donate an additional \$50 for each individual who personally contributes \$50 or more each year to the Annual Programs Fund.

Honorary Members of the Rotary Club: 2006-2007

Ram Chaudhari	Chris Gagas (PHF)	Willard Schum (PHF)	
Fred Crisafulli (PHF)	Charles Kirby (PHF *)	Augustine Silveira	> Sustaining Member
Sherwood Dunham >	Ruth Sayer (PHF)	Harrison Wilde	* Multiple PHF

