

CLUB MEETING ~ October 15
Minutes by Brian Fahey

President Michael Louis opened the meeting
The Pledge of Allegiance was led by **Chris Zaccarelli**
An invocaton was offered by **Valeria Tenreiro**

VISITING ROTARIANS & GUEST

Dennis Wallace joined us for lunch with fellow WC Sunrise member **Natanya Sortland**. **Kyle Rheiner** introduced financial planner **Steven Pomanti**



MEMBER ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

Shellia Coleman - 1 year

Susan Shirley - 1 year

HAPPY BUCKS

Chris Zaccarelli is happy about not checking email during her recent vacation

Sue Casso-Rogers is happy about the upcoming Christmas Parade and offered two Courthouse tree ornaments for customizing.



Kyle Rheiner is happy about surviving the Habitat for Humanity recent excavation activities.

Dennis Wallace is happy about Carol's upcoming vacation, and she is happy to be going on her own.

Sue Shirley is happy about the birth of her first great grandchild.



Glenda Brion is happy about un-retiring at the **Community Warehouse Project** where they are looking for volunteers who can come from 9AM-1PM during the week.

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TODAY'S PROGRAM ~ October 22
Club Business

NEXT WEEK ~ October 29
To be announced

OCTOBER 15 PROGRAM
Lori Gostowski Classification Talk

Lori grew up on Long Island, in Islip, New York. She was the youngest of five children and enjoyed living a few blocks from the shore. As a young person, she took an interest in music; she played cello and sang in the choir.



Lori wanted to become a nurse, so she trained as a nurse's assistant. She discovered that she enjoyed working with geriatric patients, so she took a position working in a nursing home.

Lori met her husband in 1981, and they were married in 1983. They had three children, two girls and a boy. Their middle child was born with heart defects, which he struggled with throughout his short life. Lori has several grandchildren.

Lori and her husband left Long Island and relocated to Chester County in 1994. They loved to boating on the Chesapeake Bay. After a brief bout with lung cancer, Lori's lost her husband in 2020.

Today, Lori is finding joy in every day and has taken solace in music. She is still working part-time in elder-care. She and her friend new Rotarian **Dee Rogovich** met through a shared iinterest in music. They both came to Rotary as a way to stay busy and engaged with the community. Lori is committed to sharing happiness and spreading joy in the world.



Happy Buck continued

Gary Hess is happy about his third hole-in-one for this year.

William Pasquale is happy about celebrating his twenty-seventh wedding anniversary.

Mickey Hall is happy about having met her daughter recently in Denver to celebrate her birthday.

Paul Woodruff is happy about celebrating several birthdays of various family members recently and spending time with family in general.

Steve Brown is happy to be here after his recent surgery.



ANNOUNCEMENTS / CLUB CALENDAR

Sunday, Oct. 18 - Chili Cook-Off rain date - will have both a Rotary information table and a chili serving table with chili prepared by Landhope.

Stocking for Soldiers - is starting. Lists of needed items will be present at our meetings, and you can start bringing your items to Rotary starting now.



The **Friends Association** is requesting donations of their **Holiday Giveaway With Santa**. They are particularly in need of puzzles and board games for ages 2-18. Donations are due by December 11th.

Thursday, October 29 - **Home of the Sparrow** is having **"The Power of the Purse" Fashion Show**.

Tuesday, November 24 - annual **Tuesday Before Thanksgiving club social** - probably at the Side Bar - mark your calendars.

Saturday, December 12 will be our **Holiday Party**, again at the home of the Halls.

JOKE OF THE WEEK

Steve Brown told a joke about a pirate, a hook, and a seagull.

TRIFECTA DRAWING

Mark Sammarone had the winning ticket, but did not draw the Queen of Spaces.

Better luck next time!



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

Club Rotary Foundation Chairs **Mark Sammarone** and **Bill Ronayne** spoke about The Rotary Foundation – the charitable arm of Rotary. They recognized several members whose contributions have earned Paul Harris Fellow awards:



Christine Scott - received a certificate and her Paul Harris +2 award

Glenda Brion - Paul Harris +4

Phil McFadden - Paul Harris +4

Carol Hanson - Paul Harris +5

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Two shifts of club members worked at Habitat for Humanity yesterday (October 14). All survived.



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