

Reporting Meeting of Monday Oct. 7

Calendar of Club Events.

This Week: 10/7 Work Night – Cemetery Cleanup – Charlton (rained out)

Coming up: 10/14 No Meeting – Columbus Day
10/21 Kim Weir – Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation
10/28 Joseph Dragone – Capital Region BOCES
11/4 No meeting
11/5 Apple Pie Festival – *All hands on deck!*
11/11 Veterans Day - TBA
11/18 Swim for Polio - Louise Rourke
11/25 Festival of Trees – decorate our Rotary Tree

Check us out: bhblrotary.org and on Facebook

Other Upcoming Rotary Happenings

- Sat. Oct. 19, 8 – 3:30 Rotary Leadership Institute in Schenectady
- Sat. Oct. 26, 8:30 World Polio Day, – 11am - Schenectady Panel Discussion
- Sat. Nov 16 ARMY vs VMI football (bggregory64@gmail.com)
- Fri., Dec 13 @ 7pm Drop the Puck on Polio, Adirondack Thunder vs Allen Americans in Glens Falls
- 1/1/2020 Polar Bear Plunge at Lake George – (Support the Insanity, Join the Fun!)

President Silas opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by singing America the Beautiful, reciting the 4-Way Test and a thoughtful invocation by Dan Stec.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Our guest, Andrew West was introduced. He is a member of the Clinton-Sunrise Rotary of NJ.
- Meal Guru Suzette announced “*what’s for dinner*”...a roast, mashed potatoes, butternut squash and a dessert of pastries and fruit.
- It was announced that the Apple Run was a great success.
- The plans for the Apple Pie Festival were reviewed.
- Plans for the annual community tree lighting and concert are being finalized.
- We have been notified that the grant for the next phase of the Anchor Diamond Park development has been approved.
- The Kiosk is completed and available for use.
- Happy Dollars were cheerfully collected.
- Surveys for membership occupations were handed out and completed by those in attendance (22 in total).

OCT. SET UP: Ken, Bill L., Pete P. **CLEAN UP:** Darlene, Suzette, Fred, Steve C.



Ryan Baker was officially inducted into Rotary membership and is shown here proudly receiving his membership pin from President Silas



OPEN DISCUSSION

The meeting ended with a lively discussion on how most appropriately to address the shortfall in funds being generated by the cost of dinner meals for the club. After several points were discussed, it was decided to table the topic until the next meeting.

JUST IN...



Linda LeTendre represented our Rotary Club and the Rotary Peace Institute last weekend at the annual Peace Fair held in Saratoga Springs. At noon on Sunday, the Peace Pole was installed in memory of her father. She sent this photo with the caption - “...along with some of Saratoga’s finest” which included Sen. Paul Tonko.



Also, just in from Ken Crotty...

Jenkins Park Climbing Toy Installation Completed. The tape has been removed and dirt placed over the concrete. Waiting (for) rain to pack (it) down Ready for use!

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Reported by Dr. Joe

NOV SET UP: Silas, Dan, Bill W. **CLEAN UP:** Pete S. Alec, Stephen G.