

## Reporting Meeting of Sept. 30

### Calendar of Events.

**This Week:** 9/30 Apple Run Goodie Bags

10/5 Apple Run – BHBL Middle School

**Next Week:** 10/7 Work Night – Cemetery Cleanup - Charlton

10/14 No Meeting – Columbus Day

10/21 Kim Weir – Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation

19/28 Joseph Dragone – Capital Region BOCES

**Check us out:** bhblrotary.org and on Facebook

President Silas opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by singing America the Beautiful, reciting the 4-Way Test and an invocation by Dan Stec. Projected on the wall was a reminder of Rotary's vision: Together we see a world where people unite and take action to create long lasting change – across the globe, in our communities and in ourselves.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Silas read a thank you letter from Cheryl Hage-Perez, Director of the Veterans and Community Coalition.
- Silas led a review of our recent past events:
  - Gregg reported the Flu Shot Clinic with Hannaford served 45 people
  - Linda reported on representing our club at the Rotary Peace Fair
  - Silas reported the results of the Pints for Polio event. The 40 Rotary participants with other community members present earned \$613.71 for polio (\$210 on pints, \$150 on food, \$230 on the "Wine Pull").

**New member announcements!** Ryan Baker is now a full member. Congratulations, Ryan. An application has been received from Maryellen Smyer and an application has been requested by an additional potential member

### Friends of Rotary

A new system is in place to communicate with a growing list of 60 people. Rotary information will be sent to these people telling them about our activities and encouraging their participation.

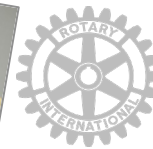
### Rotary Moment

A Rotary Moment was shared by Laura Lee. She continues to use her Rotary glass each morning reminding her about the mission of Rotary as she lives a busy life.

**Service Above Self**

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

**Linda Le Tendre** shared her story about her adventure "Dumpster Digging for Rotary" in Saratoga where she found brand new expensive items which she shared with people who needed them. She brought a beautiful, new tool belt (one of the treasures) and she modeled it for us. Perfect fit!



### Upcoming meetings and events:

Gregg reviewed the upcoming meetings and events. E-mail has been sent to members with this information. Postings are kept up to date on our website and Facebook.

### Other Rotary events shared by Silas:

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

### Important Apple Run Announcement:

**Set up for the Apple Run will be at 7am with Road Safety members to report at 8 am at BHBL Middle School on this Saturday, Oct. 5.**

Following dinner and announcements, everyone worked to stuff the Apple Run Race Day bags.



*Reported by  
Mary Anderson*



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