



Oct 31, 2019 Club #4798 District 7120 Bulletin Editor: Trudy Hicks P.O. Box 374, Newark, NY 14513

Service Above Self



In place of our lunch meeting last Thursday we met for dinner to honor our “SERVICE ABOVE SELF” recipients. Our Master of Ceremonies for this event was District Governor Dave Hannan. The following committee affirmed the criteria for the selection of the recipients of this award - Bob Bendix,

Dr. Fred Hicks, Marc Kreuser, Mike Muscolino, Karen Quartaro, John Zornow, Linda Werts and Holly Kreuser.

This year’s individual recipient is PAT ALBRECHT. “Pat exemplifies volunteerism”. Pat was nominated by 5 of the most active Rotarians in Newark Rotary - Sue Colocino, MaryJo Fenyn, Michele McManus, Sharon SanAngelo and Linda Werts.

“Pat grew up in Clyde - CLYDE NY. She attended St. John’s School, Clyde High School and Central City Business Institute. She worked for many years at Parker-Hannifin and Duane Gantz Auction as an administrative assistant. In 1988 she was appointed the Director of Associate Membership for the Sisters of Mercy in Rochester, the first lay person to hold this position. You might say SHE BROKE THE HABIT! Five years later she became the Associate Director of the Notre DameRetreat House in Canandaigua, where she managed the facility, and she also went back to school, taking classes at St. Bernard’s School of

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- Asst District Governor - Kevin Mooney
- District Governor - David Hannan



Upcoming Programs and Events

- Oct 31 - Mayor Jonathan Taylor
- Nov 5 - Service Committee Meeting
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- Nov 7 - Open Meeting
- Nov 9 - Jack Blodgett Blood Drive
- Nov 12 - Membership Committee Meeting

Upcoming Club Meeting Responsibilities

Date	Greeter	Cashier	Invocation
Oct 31	Dustin Riccio	Anne Rogers	Sue Colacino
Nov 7	Dave Saracino	Lisa Schram	Michele McManus
Nov 14	JoAnne Speight	Jonathan Taylor	Walt Hallagan
Nov 21	Steve Taylor	Mark Thoms	TBA
Nov 28	Tom	Turkey	
Dec 5	John Tickner	David Tyler	Ann Rogers
Dec 12	Joe Van Haelst	Norm VanDemortel	Steve Hallagan

Theology and Ministry. She became certified as a Not-For-Profit Business Manager and as a Pastoral Minister. In 1997 she took the position of Pastoral Associate at St. Mary's Parish in Waterloo-WATERLOO, NY. And in 2002 she accepted a similar position at St. Michael's Church in Newark - YES NEWARK NY."

"This community has been forever changed for the better by her presence here. In addition to touching so many lives through her ministry at the church, she has identified many areas of need and addressed them with compassion, creativeness, and collaboration. She brought with her from Waterloo and program called 'Faith Sandwiched In' for reflection and prayer over the lunch hour. In 2003 she founded "Touched by Cancer", a faith-based support group for cancer victims. Pat herself is a breast cancer survivor and is a member of the "Finger Lakes Visions of Hope Breast Cancer Survivors Group" which promotes early diagnosis and treatment of breast cancer. She recently became a member of the Board of the Newark-Wayne Community Hospital Auxiliary. For the past decade or so, she has served on the Wayne County Office of the Aging Advisory Board, recently as co-president."

"It is no wonder that on May 19th in Albany, Pat was recognized for her service by the NY State Senate and Assembly at the 2019 Older New Yorkers Day Celebration. She wasn't the oldest one there! All that, but what we really know Pat for is Laurel House. She has provided the vision, the inspiration, and the guiding light to provide Comfort Care in this community. Pat will be the first to tell you that this was the work of many people, but it's also true that it would never have happened at all without Pat Albrecht. A dozen patients have already made their life's final transition at Laurel House, and many more will follow in the months and years ahead. Thank you Pat. You clearly exemplify the Rotary mission of "Service Above Self" far beyond the average Rotarian. For that we are most grateful."



ORGANIZATION RECIPIENT OF THE SERVICE ABOVE SELF AWARD

This year's recipient is Newark Wayne Community Hospital, for its Baby and Me Tobacco Free Program.

Joining us last Thursday were Theresa Glessner - Vice President, Chief Nursing Officer. Julia Laco - Director of Nursing. Cynthia Witter - Nurse Manager, Women's Care Unit. Carolyn Scroggins - Smoking Cessation Nurse Educator.

"In 2014, Newark Rotary began a 3-year fundraising effort to address Maternal and Child Health in our region. This is 1 of the 6 areas of focus of the Rotary Foundation

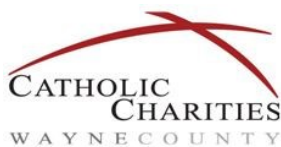
of Rotary International. In discussions with the leadership at Newark-Wayne, we realized that we could have the greatest impact by partnering with the Baby and M Tobacco Free Program, which was in its INFANCY! Well Newark DELIVERED! Newark Rotary donated \$30,000 to the Baby and Me Tobacco Free Program. This has covered 30% of the operating costs of the program over the past 2 years, and the impact has been substantial. 324 women have enrolled in the program, and only 20 of these women have had pre-term births to date. 93% have delivered babies weighing 5.5 lbs. The return on investment: \$90,000 saved for EACH baby NOT requiring Neonatal intensive care."

THANK YOU Dave Hannan for an informative and entertaining evening! THANK YOU Michele McManus for your, AS ALWAYS, delicious cake!

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**Fred & Trudy
Hicks**



Linda Werts