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Club #4798 District 7120

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President's Announcements

President Elect, Donna Johnson, filled in For President Holly who is on vacation. Thursday was National Love your Pet Day. Those members not holding up a photo of their pet paid a fine of \$1.00. It was noted that Gary Reilly does not qualify as a pet! Norma disagreed!

Donna recognized and honored those attending the Strategic Planning Workshop last Saturday. Our Vision Statement is "The Rotary Club of Newark changes lives within the community, around the world and in our lives". We were reminded to use the notebooks on each table to list potential new members and any ideas you might want to share. Thank you to those who brought in money or items for the Humane Society

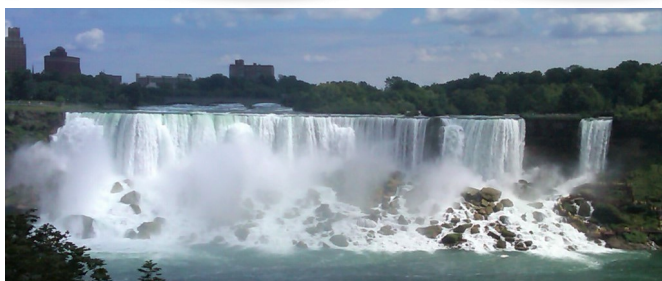
President - Holly Kreuser
 President-Elect - Donna Johnson
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 Secretary - Marc Kreuser
 Treasurer - Bruce Chambers
 Sgt At Arms - Karen Quartaro
 Foundation Chair - Fred Hicks
 Immediate P President - Linda Werts
 Asst District Governor - Kevin Mooney
 District Governor - David Hannan



Upcoming Programs and Events

Feb 27 - Christine Hanford - U.S. 2020 Census
 Mar 3 - Service Committee Meeting
 Mar 5 - Open Meeting
 Mar 10 - Membership Committee Meeting
 Mar 12 - Jack May - U.S. FAA Meteorologist
 Mar 17 - Board Meeting

Club Announcements



Scott Healy spoke to us about the upcoming District Conference. Our club is hosting this event in Niagara Falls with **Dave Hannan** being the District Governor. Registration information was on each table. (continued on next page)

Upcoming Club Meeting Responsibilities

Date	Greeter	Cashier	Invocation
Feb 27	Frank All	Jean Bendix	TBA
Mar 5	Bob Bendix	Stu Blodgett	Pat Albrecht
Mar 12	Jorge Bueso	Adam Casper	Gary Reilly
Mar 19	Bruce Chambers	Gail Chambers	Jean Williams
Mar 26	Dave Christler	Sue Colacino	Michele McManus
Apr 2	Eli Coleman	Matt Cook	TBA
Apr 9	Melissa Correia	JJ Cotter	TBA

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS (cont.)

Michele McManus is in charge of the silent auction where each club donates a theme basket. Members of our club are needed to sign up for a time they can volunteer to 'man' the auction room.

Steve Taylor was applauded for being the first to sign up for the conference - explaining that "he's always been an over-achiever"! He encouraged us all to attend and support Dave Hannan and our Club as the Host.

Jan HENCE announced that the Pancake tickets are ready to sell. Michele's specialty is organizing auctions! She is looking for items or money to help with this popular fundraiser at the Pancake breakfast.

Gary Reilly hopes everyone will make use of his updated calendar of events.

WELLNESS REPORT

Pat Albrecht is under the weather with whatever is going around - cold/flu. She hasn't felt well for a couple of weeks. **Shelley VanLaeken** fell and broke her hip BEFORE heading out for a ski trip. Gary asked us to join in welcoming **Norm VanDemortel** back.

HAPPY MOMENTS

Jan HENCE confessed that you may have had to pay some postage on the Raffle tickets you were sent, having used heavier paper this year - OPPS! **Adam O.** had a wonderful Disney Cruise with his family. At the end of the trip his wife immediately signed up to go again! **Greg Gray** announced that a fun-filled Baby shower was held for Herman Joseph who is due on April 26th. **Clay Depew** was excited to announce that he has booked a Villa in Italy where he will go for a vacation with family and friends.

SPEAKER - GWENDOLYN MUROWSKI



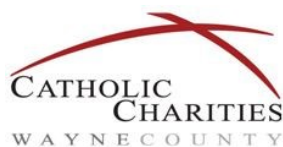
Steve Hassler introduced Gwendolyn from the nationwide non-profit organization of Meals on Wheels. She is in charge of the chapter in our area that serves 16-19 routes in Wayne County with 3 routes in Newark. A hot lunch is provided 5 days a week to mostly home bound Seniors. More than delivering lunches it becomes a safety check. It helps Seniors to be able to stay in their own homes. Gwendolyn recognized that Rotarians believe in Service above Self and might be interested in volunteering for this

worthy cause. There is a one hour training session that takes place at the old commercial building at 155 East Union Street. The meals are prepared at ARC - making 5000 meals a month. Funding is arranged by the Office of the Aging who also has a dietitian that decides the menu. You can spend as little as 2 hours and pick your day or days. Our own Frank All and his wife Judy have been delivering Meals on Wheels for 20 years. Frank says it is easy and very rewarding. Even the pet dogs love to see the volunteers who come with not only lunches but doggie treats!

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**Fred & Trudy
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Linda Werts

