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## President's Announcements

Last Thursday we celebrated National Spicy guacamole and National Pickle Day. Thank you, Nana, for the yummy tacos. The winners of the Pickle Trivia won little containers of pickles-of course! President Holly announced that there are several board positions opening next year. Bruce Chambers is stepping down as treasurer and Marc Kreuser is stepping down as secretary. Voting will take place on December 5<sup>th</sup>.

## Club Announcements

Ramon brought us up-to-date on his recent activities. His great soccer skills were again displayed in the All Star game that ended in a 4-4 tie. He is looking forward to the Senior trip and a trip to NYC. He is excited to spend his first Thanksgiving here in America. Linda Werts reminded us to pick up a Wegmans bag. The filled bags will be delivered to the Food Closet, where they add the meat for a Christmas meal. Joanne Speight thanked the 10 Rotarians who gave blood last Saturday. Jean Bendix won the \$50 Wegmans gift certificate for her participation. Kurt Werts received a cupcake for celebrating his birthday at our Rotary lunch meeting.

#### Queen of Hearts



Tim Johnson is a winner! Just in time for Christmas shopping. Congratulations!! President - Holly Kreuser President-Elect - Donna Johnson President Nominee - Melissa Correia 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

Nov 21 - Newark Interact

- Nov 28 Thanksgiving No Meeting
- Dec 3 Service Committee Meeting
- Dec 5 Annual Club Meeting
- Dec 10 Membership Committee Meeting
- Dec 12 Hannelora Reinhardt

# Upcoming Club Meeting Responsibilities

Date	Greeter	Cashier	Invocation
Nov 21	Steve Taylor	Mark Thoms	ТВА
Nov 28	Tom	Turkey	
Dec 5	John Tickner	David Tyler	Ann Rogers
Dec 12	Joe Van Haelst	ТВА	Steve Hallagan
Dec 19	Gail Vanderbrook	Karen Vanderbrook	Karen Vanderbrook
Dec 26	No Meeting!	Boxing Day	Day
Jan 2	ТВА	ТВА	ТВА

# Wellness Report

Jean Williams is home with her husband recovering from hip surgery. Holly's father, Ted O'Toole, is doing well after removing cancer spots from his ears. Helmuth has been seeing many specialists for his back pain-cards are enjoyed and always welcomed.

#### Happy Moments

Scott Healy attended the conference planning



session in Niagara Falls last weekend and then met his wife at the Buffalo airport where they headed to Florida to visit their daughter at Disney. Joanne Speight's son (a State Trooper) stopped at home and surprised the



stopped at home and surprised the neighbors and the mailman. This is how rumors begin! **Steve Taylor** enjoyed a trip to Annapolis to attend a large sailboat show. He also spent a week with Evie on the

beach in Florida-three days with Mom. He came home and winterized his boat, hoping to convince Evie to upsize next year! **Holly and Marc** enjoyed watching their son participate in another swim meet at Oswego. Their daughter, Megan, is coming home from NYC and may temporarily work with Marc at Ameriprise.

## Speaker - Karen Quartaro



Karen works in public relations for UR medicine in home care. This is a nonprofit organization. Karen trains hospice certified volunteers. In 2010 Karen's motherin-law died alone at night in a nursing home. The family didn't know that she was that sick and

should have been on hospice. Karen was inspired to help others to avoid this type of situation. Volunteers are needed to help in the national program "We Honor Veterans". Karen has been a part of the pinning ceremonies for 67 veterans. The veterans receive a flag, a blanket, a pen and a certificate. We watched a video of Col. Michael J Healy, considered the champion of the "We Honor Veterans" program. He died on Memorial Day this year. Remember that hospice can be wherever you are living. Karen should be an inspiration to us all!

