



Meeting on December 16, 2022

This is my first Buss of 2022 and my last Buzz of 2022, and I am honored to present the Buzz to my fellow Rotarian and Guests.

The pre-start greeting, and bonding event was full of hugs, handshakes, hand bumps laugh smiles and the traditional handshakes. Many showed up in their holiday festive wear. Nice to see!

Our faithful President Brian B nervously rang the bell to bring the meeting to order. Wes C. led us in our Pledge of Allegiance followed with Robert leading us in the Four-Way Pack. Jack L led us Invocation. We were happy to welcome our guests and speakers from Tricoci, Tracey Spencer and Cassandra Stratton. To our guests Tracey and Cassandra, thank you for visiting and sharing your expert knowledge with us. Welcome!

Announcements

We are reminded and informed of the following:

Bruce Dopke announced/reminded us of Veteran Turkey Pick-up. Bruce invited/requested Rotarians to help in this project. The following Rotarian members stepped up and committed their help: Chris & Gene. Bonnie M reminded us about the January 15th Chili Cookout. Bonnie would like us to participate in this event by cooking your best chili and bring it to the event. Please let Bonnie know if you would be participating in the event. Pat took a moment to thank the members for donating clothes that will be to the Refugees. Please bring winter clothes, boots, warn sweater to the Kenneth young Center on January 7th, 2023. Jim McCalla announced the following Rotarian member for the Paul Harris recognition: Bonnie M received Plus 5; Gale received Plus 5. Jim McCalla mentioned Jakes Pizza extra ordinary donation and contribution. Brian Berg mentioned Nancy Redmon for her Adopt A Family

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The following fellow Rotarians were anxiously waiting to announce their happiness to the club: Pat was excited to announce her 57th wedding anniversary; Steve L. was glad to be back; Dan said special goodbye to Don Crocket; Darrell was happy for going to Florida; Terry was happy; Bruce was happy heading to Phoenix; Ted was happy; Wes C. express his heartfelt thanks on behalf of his Father Don; Bill was happy for Tool Kits and Shop with a cop; Gale was happy to be traveling; Jim M was happy as he and Bonnie are going to see family; Ed H. was happy spending nights at Caesars; Brian B was happy and blessed for the support he received from the group and family as he is running for commissioner; Gene was happy for many things and for Allan G.

Queen of Hearts

Lauren Trimble picked 30 but received a 9 of Diamonds instead. Everyone was sad for him.

 **Finemastering** 

As darkness began to consume the room and as the air turned chill, we knew in an instinctual kind of way that we were about to experience another fining from the master – Allen G - who went to work on our Club's 3rd largest fundraiser, raising money from us by fining:

Allen kicked it off with fining Terry for being cheap for giving only 1 happy dollar; Dennis O was fined for meeting women; There were lots of fines given like you've never seen before. There were so many fines give that I could not list the names. So well done fine master for another great job of raising funds.

Program – Tricoci

Our guest speakers began their presentation by having all of our Rotarian perform the stretching exercise with raised arms, finger grabbing, inhale, exhale, arm swaying, body swaying, shoulder and neck stretching and a whole lot of laughing. You get the message. The guest spoke about Tricoci (Mario Tricoci) history in Schaumburg. If you have not visited the Tricoci Salon I highly recommend it. Tricoci is a sponsor of the Breast Cancer Society and have donated to Misericordia. Tricoci belief is Exercise Is All That Matters.

Thank you to Tracey Spencer and Cassandra Stratton for sharing their wisdom and recommendation for better health care practice.

Brian Berg brought introduced Chandler's service team members and presented them a appreciation gifts.

The Four-Way test was recited by all Rotarians and our meeting was concluded.