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# **ROTARY VOTARY**

The Rotary Club of West Chester, District 7450 Shekhar Mehta, International President 2021-2022

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## CLUB MEETING MINUTES For June 9, 2022 By Mike Louis

**President Steve Brown** opened the meeting and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

The invocation was by Joe Driscoll.

Visiting Rotarians - None

<u>Guests</u> – Annalis Curtin was the guest of **Fran Curtin** Geoff Baker and Laura Baker were guests after a long hiatus.

<u>Day in History</u> – The USS George Washington was launched with the first nuclear weapon.

Secretariat won the Triple Crown and still has the fastest time ever.

<u>Happy Bucks</u>– **Patty Jefferis** was happy her granddaughter is going to college.

**Catherine Friedman** was happy that she got to meet her three grand nieces.

Geoff Baker was just happy to be here.

**John Schwab** was happy to have an information table at the Turks Head Music Festival and was thankful for all those who volunteered.

**Faith Woodward** was happy because the Barclay Friends Golf Tournament is coming up next Monday.

**Rich Murray** was happy from his vacation in Turks and Caicos on a trip planned by **Patty Jefferis** and her office.

Melissa Baxter was happy for the Turks Head Music Festival and beer at Gary Hewett's house.

### **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

June 16, 2022 Rotary High School Scholarship Recipient

June 23, 2022 Roberta Cosentino Chester County Food Bank

#### Announcements

**President Steve** announced that **John Schwab**, **Randy Lindell** and **Mark Sammarone** were the Rotarians for the month of April, 2022.

**Phyllis Dunn** announced that there is an event today at the Ice Tool Museum from 5-7 p.m.

**Sue Casso Rogers** announced that on Thursday, June 16, 2022 there will be a nine hole golf outing immediately after our meeting and then drinks and apps after golf.

June 18<sup>th</sup> is the Community Warehouse Project.

President Steve will not be here the next two weeks because he is taking his grandchildren to Disney. Next week Past President Jim Gasho will lead the meeting and the week after Past President Bill Friedmann will lead the meeting.

**Doug Meis** introduced the speaker who was Michelle Boyle from Penn Medicine on stress. [Michelle suggested that we find balance for stress in our life by: Using a Brain Dump Don't Blame Time Exercise Eat Healthy Foods Get 7-9 Hours of Sleep each night Meditate Massage or Reiki Deep Breathing Keep a Gratitude Journal Find a New Hobby Change Friends or your Environment]

**Bill Ronayne** won the 50/50 and won the entire pot by picking the Queen of Spades.

#### **Ponderables**

Heather Whitestone was Miss Alabama and won the Miss America contest with this answer – "If you could live forever, would you and why?" – she said she would not because if we were meant to live forever we would but we don't so we must not be meant to live forever.

#### **EVENTS CALENDAR**

- June 16 Rotary Golf Tournament
- June 18 Community Warehouse Day
- July 14 All WC Rotary Presidential Induction @ Barnaby's Oct 9 Chili Cook-Off



#### **DUES ARE DUE**

The annual Rotary Dues Bill was emailed to all members on Friday, June 10. Dues are \$230.00 and are due by June 24, 2022. The bills look a little different this year as Club Runner has changed the format. Any questions, let me know. Anyone not planning to renew your membership, please notify me right away to avoid any financial obligations.

#### **COMMUNITY WAREHOUSE DONATION DAY**

Mark Your Calendar! Saturday, June 18 from 9a-1p is our next Community Warehouse donation day.

The Warehouse is always open for donations the 3rd Saturday of each month or by appointment any other time. Remember to get your furniture donations cleared first. Thank you Rotarians.

For complete information go to: <u>communitywarehouseproject.com</u>. Call us for ways to get donations over to the warehouse too. Contact: Jeannie McGinn; 484-343-4577 cell

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