



IMAGINE ROTARY

ROTARY VOTARY

The Rotary Club of West Chester, District 7450
Jennifer Jones, International President 2022-2023

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IMAGINE ROTARY – Rotary International Theme 2022-2023

Rotary International President Jennifer Jones of Windsor, Ontario, Canada – RI's first woman president – has chosen "Imagine Rotary" as the organization's theme for her presidential year. "Imagine a world that deserves our best, where we get up each day knowing that we can make a difference," she said. The theme graphic was designed by an Australian Indigenous artist to link with the 2023 RI Convention, which will be in Melbourne.

MINUTES from August 4, 2022 Meeting

By Kyle Rheiner

Call to Order by **President Melissa Baxter**

Pledge of Allegiance led by **Anne Driscoll**

Invocation by **Carol Hanson**

Visitors: None

Guests: None

AGENDA:

On this day in history:

- Miss Piggy and Kermit the Frog call it quits after 40 years, via twitter
- It's National IPA Day! IPA stands for India Pale Ale, the nation's most popular beer style
- Anne Frank is captured in 1944

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

August 11, 2022

**West Chester Borough Mayor,
Lillian DeBaptiste**

August 18, 2022

**Classification Talks by
Kate Diffenderfer and
Rita Ancher-Brouwer.**

Birthdays: None

Announcements:

Sue Casso Rogers gives her "Secretary Second" as she shows off a new Rotary Flag from another club and reminds us to visit other clubs while traveling

Faith Woodward passed around a signup sheet asking those who can, to help print the Rotary Votary for upcoming meetings

President Melissa Baxter announced an Philadelphia Eagles Raffle opportunity and suggests we continue to bring guests to our club lunches

Jeannie McGinn confirmed the date of the upcoming Community Warehouse event - Saturday August 20th, Donations wanted!

Happy Bucks:

Rita Brouwer-Ancher announced her oldest daughter has purchased her Wedding Dress!

Bill Friedmann reminded us of the upcoming Pub Crawl on August 7th to support the Chili Cookoff awareness - The 20th Chili Cookoff will take place on October 9th

Phil Bieg announced he'll be speaking at an upcoming business conference

50/50 Winner: \$27 collected and \$9 was won by **Mark Sammarone**. The Queen was not chosen.

Ponderable: Imagine if we switched from pounds to kilograms overnight... there'd be MASS confusion the next day!

Speaker's Review By Faith Woodward

Chris Franz was our speaker with last minute notice. He presented a program complete with photos of the Appalachia Service Project that members from Advent Lutheran and Sts. Simon and Jude participated in recently.

Over the years, this project has help provide 15,000 homes that are warmer, safer, and drier.

Adults can participate all year round and Youths 14 years and older throughout the summer.

The cost is \$350 per volunteer for lodging and food. Transportation would be an additional cost.

Only one in five homeowners' applications are usually accepted.

EVENTS CALENDAR

Aug 20	Community Warehouse Donations
Oct 9	Chili Cook-Off



VOTARY COPIES

Thank you, **Sue Casso and Bob Rogers** of Robert W. Rogers Appraisals for printing copies of the Votary this week.

COMMUNITY WAREHOUSE DONATION DAY

Mark Your Calendar! Saturday, August 20 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: communitywarehouseproject.com. Call us for ways to get donations over to the warehouse too.

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