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Rotary Club No. 3503

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Ellen Hunter was happy for Tim Benjamin's successful surgery, for replenishing Little Free Library (especially for Linda Haines providing books), for prayers for Aaron having 4th back surgery next week and for 16th anniversary of Rotary membership. Brian Botti was happy for seeing family for the first time since February. Alisher happy for being back at a meeting and for Rick Green sharing the bounty from his fishing trip.



Fines

Julie Kraner provided a brief history of and did fines related to today's holiday, National Underwear Day.



Announcements

- Virtual social hour on Zoom on Aug 6th from 6-7pm. Same login as for regular meetings.
- For the time being, social events such as Gears and Cheers and Family of Rotary will be replaced with virtual events or events where social distancing can be easily accomplished.
- Wes will publish a list of school supplies needed.
- Oct 27th has been approved for the Halloween Parade (or an alternative event.)
- Dues are due.
- Received a thank you note from scholarship recipient Justin Grannon
- Robert Luckey has been nominated for membership and is set to be initiated at the Aug 12th meeting. Contact Wes or Dan with any questions or concerns.



Wes and Morgan Paul pose with books the library was able to purchase thanks to a \$1,000 donation from the St. Marys Rotary Club. A generous Rotarian matched the donation.

Program

Unfortunately, our speaker stood us up, so Wes used the opportunity to lead a brainstorming session on ways to keep the club vibrant during the next year.

Queen of Hearts

Julie Kraner's ticket was drawn, but the queen lives!

Upcoming Programs

- 8/12 Bill Ruane, SM City Schools COVID-19 compliance
- 8/19 Riley Robey, Memorial High School Band Director
- 8/26 Doug Frye and football Captains
- 9/2 Mark Spees, Probate Court judge

Upcoming Greeters

- 8/12 Rick Green
- 8/19 Robbie Burke
- 8/26 Mike Burkholder
- 9/2 Beth Noneman

The meeting was adjourned after recitation of the "Four Way Test".

** Please note: 'Greeter' should be in place by 11:30 AM*



Call to Order

President Wes Protsman called the meeting to order and Alex Pittman offered the invocation.

Gary Newton and Alisher Khudaykulov's birthdays were recognized.

Robert Luckey (prospective member, guest of Dan Burke) and Jake Dowling (Evening Leader) were our guests.

Happy Dollars

Wes was happy for the new billing process for Rotary and for club staying vibrant despite Covid19. Dan Burke was happy for son getting married and for Lear jet landing at Armstrong airport today.