



THE SANDPIPER



THE WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP NEWSLETTER OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF SAND LAKE, NY

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MEETING OF February 12, 2018

PRESIDENT JOHN BROWNRIGG presiding

GREETINGS, INVOCATION & CERTIFICATE PRESENTED by SKIP PATTON

GUESTS:



Stephen F. McLaughlin, Rensselaer County Executive (speaking with Diane Torres);

Nancy Perry, Sand Lake Town Supervisor;
and
Scott Ely, Sand Lake Town Attorney.



And prospective members David and Diane Torres

WELCOME BACK: Joe Grillo

PROJECT SIGNUP SHEETS:

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE, Thursday, February 22, Church of the Covenant, UMC

11AM-1:30PM Set Up: **Davis**

1-3:30PM Registration: **Pasquarelli** Canteen: **Weiss**

3:30-6PM Registration: **Booker** Canteen: **Daniels**

6-7:30 Clean Up: **Davis**

PROJECT SIGNUP SHEETS continued:

DOORS OF HOPE:

Monday, February 26: *Loveridge, Daniels, Davis, Nippes, Wagner, Colabelli, Patton, Grillo and Lane*

The next delivery is scheduled for Friday, March 2.

MONTHLY PASTA DINNER FUNDRAISER, WSL Firehouse, Saturday March 10:

Make Sauce: *Booker*

Kitchen 3 – 7: *Loveridge, Lewandusky and Brownrigg*

Setup & Serve 3 – 5:30: *Lane, Hamlin, Colabelli, Diane Torres & _____*

Cashier 3:30 – 7: *Ward*

Serve & Cleanup 5 – 7:30: *Weiss, Lane, Hamlin, _____ & _____*

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- President Brownrigg announced that \$2800 was raised from local merchants for the Miracle League dinner held at the East Greenbush YMCA on Sunday, February 11. The dinner was sponsored by the Sand Lake and East Greenbush Kiwanis Clubs in partnership with the YMCA and Rotary Club. Seventeen children and 46 care givers were served a free spaghetti dinner complete with salad, bread and ice cream and cake. A good time was had by all. We will plan on doing this again next year.
- Hannaford Market in West Sand Lake has notified us that the Club will receive a \$1 donation for each reusable “blue Cause Bags” sold during the month of March.
- The club will elect the two delegates and two alternates who will represent the club at the June/July Kiwanis International Convention in Las Vegas next week – any member planning to attend the convention who would like to represent the club should notify Secretary David.

PROGRAM:

Program Chair Bob Loveridge, subbing for vacationing Frank Lewandusky, introduced Steven



McLaughlin, the Rensselaer County Executive, who spoke about his background as a pilot, a NYS legislator, and his current term as County Executive. He listed the adoption of purchasing controls and strict requirements for 3 bids on all contracts as accomplishments in his first two months in office and described a number of things that the county is working on including: plans for a new fire training tower, expanded broadband service, and economic development.

PRESENTATIONS: John Mulligan was presented with a pin for seven years of perfect attendance.



HAPPY DOLLARS: Happy dollars were given by:

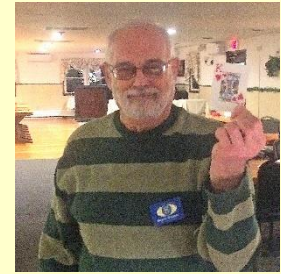
- \$ John Brownrigg for a successful Miracle League dinner;
- \$ Bob Loveridge for tonight’s speaker;
- \$ Nancy Perry for enjoying her position as the new Town Supervisor;
- \$ Skip Patton for a great cross- country skiing tip in Vermont and a stop at the Bennington Brew Pub;
- \$ Tim Murdick for the good attendance at a NO-Opiates meeting during the past week;
- \$ Pat Lane for a successful senior luncheon put on by the Club on February 8;
- \$ Scott Ely for inviting him to attend the Club meeting;
- \$ Diane Torres for inviting her to attend the meeting; and
- \$ Jean Hamlin for the talk by Stephen McLaughlin and the help she received at the Miracle League dinner.

DRAWINGS:

DOOR PRIZE: Ron Wagner won an IOU for the missing door prize.

50/50: Diane Torres won the 50/50 and donated the \$20 prize back to the Club.
Thank you, Diane!

PROGRESSIVE 50/50: Brice Ginther, chosen for the second week in a row, drew a king of hearts, so the \$285 prize will grow again next week with only 36 cards left in the deck.



COMING . . .

NEXT WEEK

February 19

PROGRAM CHAIR: Bob Pasquarelli

PROGRAM: Brian Sheldon, Managing Director Sand Lake Center for the Arts

INVOCATOR/GREETER/CERTIFICATE PRESENTER: Bruce Perry

IN 2 WEEKS

February 26

PROGRAM CHAIR: Peg Weiss

PROGRAM: Nancy Perry, Supervisor Town of Sand Lake: State of the Town of Sand Lake

INVOCATOR/GREETER/CERTIFICATE PRESENTER: Bruce Perry

IN 3 WEEKS

March 5

PROGRAM CHAIR: John Brownrigg

PROGRAM: Membership & Education Committee Update

INVOCATOR/GREETER/CERTIFICATE PRESENTER: David Booker

IN 4 WEEKS

March 12

PROGRAM CHAIR: Nancy W. Davis

PROGRAM: Nicole Presti – First Chair Cello Rensselaer All County Youth Orchestra

INVOCATOR/GREETER/CERTIFICATE PRESENTER: Jen Glasser

