



THE SANDPIPER



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

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MEETING OF MAY 20, 2013

PRESIDENT Michael Gates presiding

GREETINGS & INVOCATION by **Jim Rogers**

GUESTS: Dr Greg Panzanero, and of Eve Ward, her grandson Ethan Edmans



WELCOME BACK, Jim Hoffman and Woodie Hacker!



PROJECT SIGNUP SHEETS

DOORS OF HOPE, unloading food truck at approximately 10:30 AM

Tues May 21st: *Nippes, Daniels, Ginther, Loveridge, Lane, Davis, Wagner*

TROY KIWANIS ANNUAL PRAYER BREAKFAST, 7:30 AM Tues May 21st, \$10, Buchman Pavilion,
Russell Sage College, Speaker Valley Cats' Chaplain Rip Noblin:

Booker, Weiss, Hacker, Lane

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE, Mon May 27th, gather @ Patanian's at 9AM

Marchers: *Booker, Lane, Behson, Rogers, Dorr, Ginther, Brownrigg, Patton, Nippes*

Food Trailer: *Wagner, Ward, Lane*

GOLF OUTING NON-PLAYERS DINNER, Saturday June 1st, \$25

Booker, Pasquarelli (2), Weiss, Lane, Behson (2)

11th MONTHLY PASTA DINNER @ WSL Firehouse, Saturday, June 8th:

12 – 7, Setup & Cook: *L&L Ellis, Loveridge*, _____, _____

3 – 5:30, Setup & Serve: *Weiss, Brownrigg*

3:30 – 7, Cashiers: *Ward*, _____

5 – 7:30, Serve & Takedown: *Weiss*, _____

DIVISION COUNCIL MEETING, hosted by Troy @ Valley Cats Stadium, Tues June 18th 6PM,
(includes ticket, food, donation to EliMiNate):

\$25

Booker, Malecki, Patton, Loveridge

MORE.....Don't forget our own two events.....

WORK NIGHT/STEAK ROAST at BSA Camp Rotary, 4:30PM TUESDAY June 11th, (replaces regular
Monday meeting). Volunteer to bring a salad or a dessert. Reservations mandatory with Eve!

BASEBALL OUTING AT THE JOE, Mon July 22nd, (replaces regular meeting). Tell Eve how many tickets
you want!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

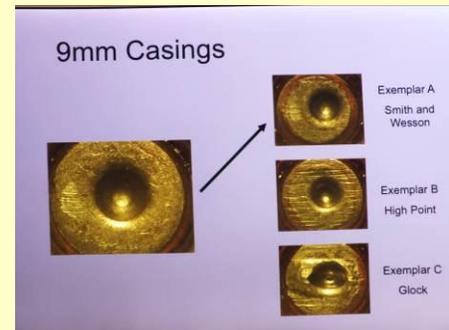
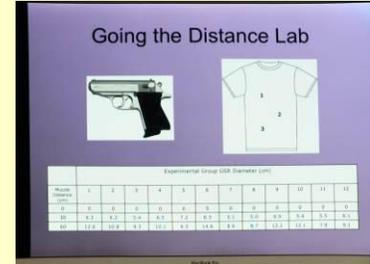
- ✚ **Bob Loveridge:** Distributed tickets for the Summerfest 50/50 Raffle. Each member is asked to sell a minimum of one book of 12 tickets for \$10.
- ✚ **Bob Loveridge:** If you haven't paid your Skip A Meal pledge, or made one, please do so as soon as possible!
- ✚ **Joe Behson:** Don't forget our membership drive! We are asked to bring in a minimum of two new members this year. On each table are Membership Referral Forms for you to tell me of people you think would make good members of Sand Lake Kiwanis. We'll do the rest if you don't want to!
- ✚ **Joe Behson:** Our sponsored Boy Scout Troop 526 asks our support of their fund raiser from bottle and can recycling. Botsy has allowed them to put up a collection station on his property. All you have to do is put in the bottles and cans!
- ✚ **Mike Davis:** We have received a donation of \$25 from the Sand Lake Garden Club as their thanks for the use of our tent for their annual plant sale.
- ✚ **Jim Hoffman:** Just a reminder of the school budget vote tomorrow at the high school from 7AM until 9PM. Also on the ballot are the Capital Improvement question, and the election of 3 members of the Board of Education, one of which is our own Stu Nippes!

PROGRAM



Eve Ward introduced Dr Greg Panzanero, APHS teacher of forensics and biology. Dr Panzanero graduated from Siena College and SUNY Stony Brook, and was originally a chiropractor. He has fallen in love with teaching, and is inspired by his students' enthusiasm. *{It helps to have an inspiring teacher!}* Greg has been our speaker before, and has always presented a fascinating program. Tonight he chose to

explain the science of identifying firearms, and in addition to the slides, he had samples and equipment on each table for us to try to find the differences in the markings on various cartridges. (Bullets are only the top of the cartridge which is made up of the case, powder, primer, and finally the actual bullet). We were asked to match an unknown cartridge with 3 samples by comparing the location of the firing pin mark, striations on the surface, and explained why these measurements were very important to the science of ballistics. Greg showed examples of powder burns, or stippling, on tee shirts, and demonstrated how the students measured the sizes, then graphed them, to determine the distance (1" per yard) from which the gun was fired. He proudly told us that APHS is the only high school to have the assistance of the local FBI for this class! Jim Rogers thanked Dr Panzanero for once again mesmerizing us with his fascinating class work, and promised the delivery of his Certificate of Appreciation in the very near future, *(something about this one being beer soaked!)* Dr P's talks are definitely not to be missed, and we hope he comes again before too long!



HAPPY DOLLARS

- \$ Eve Ward:** First for Dr Panzanero's program, and second for my grandson Ethan being here before he goes to Boston for the summer! Ethan was a former student of Dr Panzanero.
- \$ Jim Hoffman:** I proudly watched both my nephew and my stepdaughter graduate, and I get my report card tomorrow when you all go to vote! At least I won't have to be out at a meeting every night, explaining the school budget!
- \$ Pete Stevens:** I watched my daughter graduate summa cum laude from Siena this weekend, and she also was inducted into Alpha Kappa Alpha honor society for her public service to the Red Cross! And she also cleaned up at the Awards Ceremony!
- \$ Woodie Hacker:** I just returned from my girlfriend's granddaughter's graduation from VCU (Virginia Commonwealth University) where there were 2500 graduates!
- \$ Stu Nippes:** It's amazing what progress has been made at APHS! My stepdaughter was in Greg's class and she loved it! And I just received, by a most round about method, the long lost Kiwanis past president's pin that was presented to my father many years ago!
- \$ Jim Rogers:** Back when I taught at APHS, we were rewarded with an apple!

- \$ **John Brownrigg:** I have three happy \$\$: my wife Suzanne just celebrated a milestone birthday. I won't say which one, but she's now eligible for Medicare! Also she's very happy with her new camera, which Kevin recommended! And, I want the Board of Directors to hire me a divorce lawyer after it was printed in the *Sandpiper* that I had been elected as President-Elect for next year, in my absence! *{It's hard to put one over on you, John, but I think we succeeded this time!}*
- \$ **Pat Lane:** Sorry for that, John, but I am tickled pink to get at you! I just returned from a lovely weekend in the Boston area with my good friends, visiting the Concord Bridge where the first shot was fired in the Revolution, listening to a terrific pipe band. We had a great pahty!
- \$ **Greg Panzanero:** It's great seeing Ethan again! My son Andrew, age 12, is becoming a good baseball player; he pitched a no hitter, and came home with the game ball!
- \$ **Peg Weiss:** A few weeks ago I was happy that my grandson Nathan had escaped unscathed to Texas from Afghanistan. Last Wed he arrived in Charlotte, NC at his parents' home, and they all plan to spend a week at the family camp up on Lake Sacandaga over the Memorial Day holiday! And I plan to go up too so I can finally give him a big hug!
- \$ **Bob Loveridge:** Don't forget our Division Golf Outing Sat June 1st at Burden Lake Country Club! Lots of fun, even for non-golfers! Dinner for everyone is just \$25! Prizes will be awarded for various accomplishments! We need 4 or 5 helpers about 1 PM.

DOOR PRIZE, provided by Eve Ward, was won by **Bob Loveridge!**

50/50 for \$25 was won by **Eve Ward!**

MEGA 50/50 worth \$463 this week will still keep growing! Even though **Gary Meislin** had left early, his ticket was pulled, and Jerry Tysiak tried to help him out, but could only find the 9 of Diamonds from among the 29 remaining cards!



COMING WEEKS...

MAY 27 NO MEETING -- MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

JUNE 3 PROGRAM: *Peg Weiss, Update on Sandpiper*
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
 GREETER/INVOCATOR: *Randy Wheeler*

TUESDAY JUNE 11: CAMP ROTARY WORK NIGHT & STEAK ROAST

JUNE 13, 14, 15, and 16: SUMMERFEST 2013 AT BUTLER PARK!

JUNE 17 PROGRAM: Summerfest Wrap-up
 GREETER/INVOCATOR: *Bruce Perry*

SPIRITUAL THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

"Resentment is like taking poison and waiting for the other person to die."

Author Malachy McCourt