**11.11.21 Tburg Rotary Minutes**

**Present:** Mary Bouchard, Shelly Bullock, Zoren Bullock, Neil DeRaiche, Peggy Haine, Michael Jimenez, Cindy Kain, Kathleen Overbaugh, Tom Overbaugh, and Frank Zgola

**Absent:** Joseph Barrett, Mark Baumann, Elizabeth Garner, Ben Guthrie, Dennis Guy-Sell, Mary Guy-Sell, Bill Overbaugh, Darlynne Overbaugh, Angel Stillions, and Durand Van Doren

**Informal gathering:**

Cindy and Peggy reported that they enjoyed the Lisle lobster-roast fundraiser and Cindy brought home an extra couple of lobsters.

Joan Munich urged everyone to get their COVID booster shots.

We were informed that former Tburg Rotary member Nancy Burstyn had died.

It was noted that Todd Parlato, owner of Atlas Bowl, which is about to reopen, was a Rotary Exchange Student, and the group felt we should invite him to speak about his experience and perhaps press him to join.

Frank Zgola reported that Monica Adelman and the new director of Cayuga Addiction Recovery Services, Jessica Janssen will be our speakers on November 18th.

The group agreed to begin our member “passion talks” in January.  By that time we also hope to be meeting in person.

**Meeting**

President Kathleen called the meeting to order and reported that she and Tom cleaned out the barbecue trailer for the season. She thanked Frank for keeping everything so clean. We thank Tom for keeping everything so well organized and for installing hot water in the trailer.

Kathleen updated us on the McCoy family who had been burned out of their Searsburg Rd. home, and who were related to one of the Overbaughs’ long-term employees. The McCoys are living with relatives, and both are working. What they could use from Rotary is a laptop. Zoren will advise.

Kathleen reported on the rubber ducks for next spring’s rubber duck race. She is waiting for a delivery address from Angel, who negotiated a favorable delivery price.

Neil was commended for a great Student of the Month program announcement article in the Tompkins Weekly, and another in Sue Ulrich’s column in the Free Press.  The Winter Fest banner is ready at Signarama, and Neil will install the banner over the weekend.

Rotary Student of the Month Finlay Redman (sp?) was nominated by the Trumansburg Philomathic Library where he is a volunteer. He has also been a freshman orientation volunteer at the school.

Neil is working with Durand and the Legion on the Junior Olympics and has suggested a number of Olympic activities for the kids, including Find the Snow Flag, Jump Snow Hurdles (or cones, if there’s not enough snow), Freeze Tag, Hula Hoops, and perhaps a pancake breakfast at the Legion. A screen and projector are also available for other activities.  Equipment will come from the schools, and Neil, Durand, and the Legion are looking at sometime in February for the event.

**Happy Dollars from our members:**

Cindy survived her colonoscopy. $1

Mary Bouchard got her COVID booster at Trumansburg Family Medicine, and it didn’t hurt. She also reported that she reached her goal early in the week of putting 1500 miles on her bicycle. $2

Joan got hers as well, and was happy to report no side effects. $1

Peggy was happy to have out-of-town company, and equally happy to have her house back. $1

Michael reported that he had passed his 1700th day of walking, that he is now running a mile a day, and that he got his flu shot. $2

Kathleen reported that she walked Six Mile Creek with her daughter. It’s the creek behind the old Ithaca hospital.$1