

Trumansburg Rotary Club

Meeting Minutes

July 20, 2023

Present: Tom Overbaugh, Mike Jimenez, Frank Zgola, Kathleen Overbaugh, Pat Jung, Dorand VanDorn, Zoren Bullock, Shelly Bullock,

We enjoyed our dinner that Frank and Dorand brought. Frank had a yummy corn chowder and Dorand cooked hot dogs on site!

After some adjustments, we managed a zoom meeting with Nsmaba Henry in Uganda and our guest for the evening, Kathleen Ganley and her husband, Doug Fisher.

Kathleen presented a program about conditions in Uganda and how the only source of help are the local Rotary clubs. The government there does not support the citizens, so there are no schools, no health services and very little food. Kathleen visited there recently and made contact with Henry. She is a physical therapist, so she spent most of her time helping the children who came to her with cerebral palsy. Many of the children were not able to stand so she managed ways to allow them to sit up and learn some different body movements.

They need help of any kind, so she is looking for people willing to make a connection and help. She worked with the people and brought back products and artwork that they produced and has been selling the items and provided the people with some money. It was a very interesting presentation. The club will discuss this in a later meeting.

Adjourned at 8:00