

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take." - Wayne Gretzky



# TRUMANSBURG ROTARY MEETING MINUTES FOR November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

- ♣ President Durand introduced our guest speaker, Taneisha M. McGowan, Postmaster, Trumansburg.
- ♣ Taneisha talked about an organization she belongs to in Pennsylvania. It is called the Monroe Foundation for Youth. The organization works with youth along the autism spectrum. They also have an autism parents support group. For more information on this you can go to Monroe Foundation for Youth.
- ♣ Taneisha has been Postmaster here for about 2 years. She came here from Pennsylvania where she was Postmaster of Langhorn, Pa. She wanted a quieter setting and decided to try for Trumansburg PO. She also has a 19 yr. old who is in college in Maryland studying cyber security.
- ♣ Peggy drew our Supermarket Sweeps winner and it was Greg Scherer. Peggy tried to call him and had to leave a voice mail message. The Sweeps will be held Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, at 7 pm. We raised \$1,390 from ticket sales.
- ▶ Neil suggested doing a Santa Celebration on December 23 from 9-11:30 am for children with disabilities, in the hopes of gaining new members. Further discussion will be needed.
- ♣ Durand stated that he and Joan too coats from the Share the Warmth boxes here to Ithaca and couldn't find where to drop them off so brought them back for delivery later.
- ↓ It was decided that we would cut vegetables at Peggy's house on November 30<sup>th</sup> for the Winterfest that is to be held on December 2<sup>nd</sup>.
- ♣ A motion was made and passed to purchase a wheelchair from Wheelchair Foundation.
- ♣ There was no winner of Jack of Hearts.....so the pot grows!!!
- <sup>♣</sup> The meeting ended at 8:04.



- \$1 from Neil for a possible new member.
- \$1 from Zoren for Gui seeing snow for the first time.
- \$1 from Peggy for having a member of the Ithaca Opera Company staying with her.
- \$1 from Ben for playing in the leaves with his grandchildren.
- \$1 from Joan for giving \$11 to her grandson for getting a 96+ average in his school subjects.
- \$2 from Mike for the delicious soup and that he dressed up in full Red Sox attire for Spirit Day at his job.
- \$1 from Durand for Taneisha being here.
- \$1 from Mary just because.
- \$3 from Cindy for Taneisha being here, Mary's delicious soup, and Grandson getting married this past weekend.

## Dinner Schedule is below

Zoren and Shelly Nov 9

Peggy and Pat Nov 16

Thanksgiving no meeting Nov 23

Local Eatery Nov 30

Ben and Stephenie Dec 7

Mike and Joan Dec 14

Durand and Frank Dec 21

No meeting Dec 28

Cindy and Nancy Jan 4, 2024

# Rotary Code of Conduct

## As a Rotarian, I will:

- Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life
- Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect.
- Use my professional skills through Rotary to:
  mentor young people,
  help those with special needs,
  and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world.
- Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.
- Help maintain a harassment-free environment in Rotary meetings, events, and activities, report any suspected harassment, and help ensure non-retaliation to those individuals that report harassment.

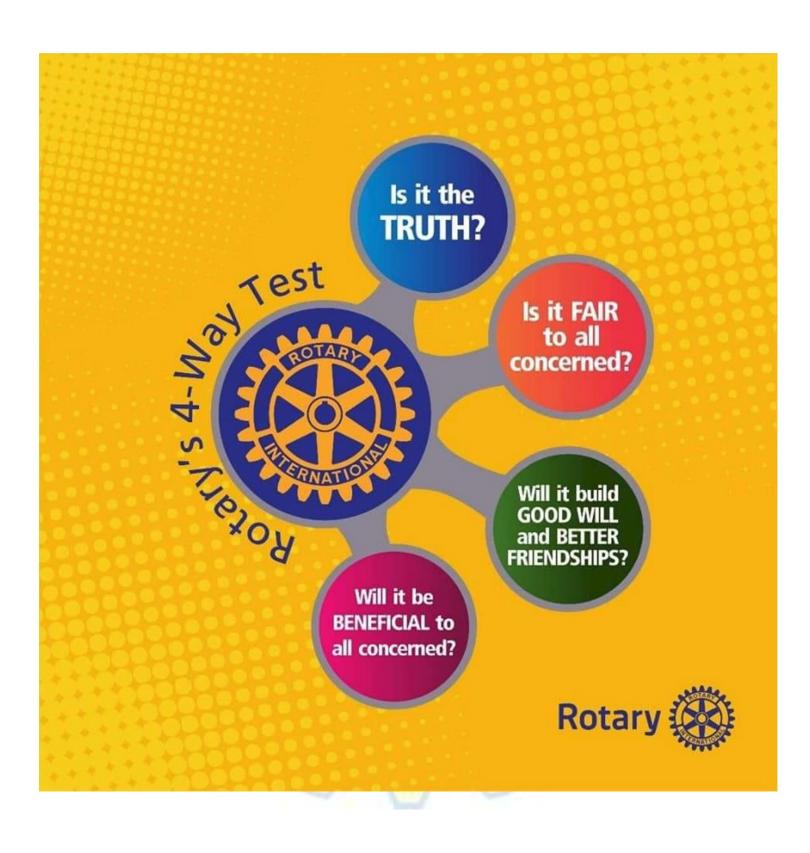
# Our Exchange Student



Gui



Brazil





# **AVENUES OF SERVICE**

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#### **CLUB SERVICE**

focuses on making clubs strong.

#### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

calls on every Rotarian to work with integrity and contribute their expertise to the problems and needs of society.

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

encourages every Rotarian to find ways to improve the quality of life for people in their communities and to serve the public interest.

## YOUTH SERVICE

recognizes the importance of empowering youth and young professionals through leadership development programs.

## INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

exemplifies our global reach in promoting peace and understanding.



Water and Sanitation Economic and Community Development

Maternal and Child Health









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Supporting the Environment



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