



THREE PAGE SPECIAL 9/11 EDITION

Sept 8, 2021
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September 11, 2001



Twenty years ago this coming Saturday, at 8:45 a.m. on a beautiful late summer day, a hijacked American Airlines 767 loaded with 20,000 gallons of high octane jet fuel, flew full-throttle into the 80th floor of the North Tower of the World Trade Center in New York City. At 9:03 a.m. a United Airlines 767, also with a heavy fuel load, flew into the 60th floor of the South Tower of the WTC. Our lives, and the world, were changed forever. Shortly thereafter, a United 757 was crashed into the west side of the Pentagon. Then, 40 brave souls on a third hijacked United aircraft, having realized what was going on in the skies over America, chose to go down fighting by overwhelming their captors and crashing their Flight 93 over the relatively unpopulated hills of Shanksville, PA, likely preventing a much more gruesome battlefield at the U.S. Capitol or the White House.

2,606 in World Trade Center	2,506 Civilians
246 in aircraft	344 Firefighters
125 in Pentagon	72 Police
2,977 Total Victims	55 Military
	2,605 U.S. Citizens
19 Evildoers	372 Non-U.S. Citizens

We all remember where we were and what we were doing when we received the news of the terrorist attacks on Sept. 11, 2001. America was attacked for simply being America - for championing democracy, liberty, and equal rights for all. Our country was more united in the Fall of 2001 than at any other time in my life, to some degree because of what and whom we grieved, but more so because *we all realized what we had in common*. Let us never forget 9/11, and let us try to again remember what we all have in common as Americans - Lord know we need it now...

Charlie's \$2 Worth

"The attacks of September 11th were intended to break our spirit. Instead we have emerged stronger and more unified. We feel renewed devotion to the principles of political, economic and religious freedom, the rule of law and respect for human life. We are more determined than ever to live our lives in freedom."

- Rudy Giuliani

"I still have the shoes I wore to work that day. The soles are melted and they're caked in ash. I keep them in a shoebox with the word "deliverance" written all around it. They're kind of like my ark, a reminder of God's presence and the life I owe to him."

- Stanley Prainnath, 9/11 survivor

"Numerous civilians in all stairwells, numerous burn victims are coming down. We're trying to send them down first... We're still heading up."

- NYFD Captain Patrick Brown, from 35th fl, North Tower

Upcoming Speakers/Events

Sep 8 - Board Meeting/Classifications/Rotary education
Sep 11 - 16th Annual Rotary Night Golf Outing
Sep 15 - Brad DuBois - John Anderson, Level II
Sep 22 - Ryan Rash - Tracy Ballinger, Imagination Lab
Sep 29 - Scott Olinger
Oct 6 - Joanna Sproull
Oct 13 - Board Meeting/Classifications/Member Orientation
Oct 20 - Rocky Turner - John Hall, Sr. re: agriculture
Oct 27 - Candace Balzano

Upcoming Classifications

Sep 8 - Candace Balzano & David Williams
Oct 13 - John Baer & Jan Baer
Nov 10 - Sherry Sichting & Joanna Sproull
Dec 8 - Rocky Turner & Ryan Rash
Jan 12 - Scott Olinger & Selina Lewis
Feb 8 - Daniel Kinnamon & Max Hank

Club Meeting Attendance

Plainfield (3417)

Monthly Attendance Detail

July 01, 2021 through July 31, 2021

Member Name	Jul 07 2021	Jul 14 2021	Jul 21 2021	Jul 28 2021	%
Baer, Janet S	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Baer, John M	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Balzano, Candace		Yes			25
Bennett, Joseph D	Yes	Yes	M	M	100
Booher, Tom					0
Burks, Diane Arnold	Yes	M	Yes	Yes	100
Carter, Royce	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Culp, Brian N	Yes		Yes	Yes	75
DuBois, Brad	Yes	Yes	Yes	M	100
Hank, Max C	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Kinnamon, Daniel L		Yes	Yes	Yes	75
Klinger, Andrew					0
Lewis, Selina J	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Olinger, Scott					0
Rash, Ryan Allen	M		Yes	Yes	75
Reaves, Angela					0
Sichting, Sherry D	Yes	Yes		Yes	75
Sproull, Joanna					0
Turner, Dean F Jr.	Yes			Yes	50
Williams, David J	Yes				25

LEGEND: Y or Yes=Attended, X=Excused Absence, M=Make-Up



UPCOMING SPEAKER ASSIGNMENTS

Please carefully examine the schedule below and let Max Hank know who you have obtained as a speaker for your date.

Jul 7 Diane Burks	Dec 15 Jan Baer
Jul 21 Brad DuBois	Dec 22 Royce Carter
Jul 28 Max Hank	Jan 5 Brad DuBois
Aug 4 Andrew Klinger	Jan 19 Max Hank
Aug 18 Selina Lewis	Jan 26 Dan Kinnamon
Aug 25 Royce Carter	Feb 2 Andrew Klinger
Sep 1 Dan Kinnamon	Feb 16 Selina Lewis
Sep 15 Scott Olinger	Feb 23 Scott Olinger
Sep 22 Ryan Rash	Mar 2 Ryan Rash
Sep 29 John Baer	Mar 16 Sherry Sichting
Oct 6 Joanna Sproull	Mar 23 Joanna Sproull
Oct 20 Rocky Turner	Mar 30 Rocky Turner
Oct 27 Candace Balzano	Apr 6 Dave Williams
Nov 3 Dave Williams	Apr 20 John Baer
Nov 17 Joe Bennett	Apr 27 Joe Bennett
Dec 1 Diane Burks	May 4 Diane Burks

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! SEPTEMBER

John Crum - Sept 14

Rocky Turner - Sept 19

Andrew Klinger - Sept 26

Little Free Library Maintenance Schedule

Sep 1-7	Sherry Sichting
Sep 8-14	Montie Manning
Sep 15-21	Max Hank
Sep 22-28	Daniel Kinnamon
Sep 29-Oct 5	Selina Lewis
Oct 6-12	Joe Bennett
Oct 13-19	Montie Manning

Please check supply, refill as needed.
Report any damage to Joe Bennett.
Books are available at the Library.

Committees and Chairs

Bulletin: Max Hank

Finance: Joe Bennett

Foundation: John Baer

Fundraising : Selina Lewis

Golf Outing: John Baer, Brad Dubois

Crew Car Wash: Sherry Sichting

Membership: Daniel Kinnamon

Orientation: John Baer & Diane Burks

Programs: Ryan Rash & Max Hank

PR & Website: John Baer

Quaker Day Parade & Picnic: TBD

Service Committees: Royce Carter

Literacy/LFL: Joe Bennett

Teacher of the Year: Max Hank

Youth: Diane Burks

Interact and RYLA: Diane Burks

Scholarships: Max Hank

Straight-A Salute: Sherry Sichting

The Imagination & Idea Labs: Diane Burks

4-Way Test

OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY AND DO

1. IS IT THE TRUTH?
2. IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
3. WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?
- (5. IS IT FUN?)

Images seared into our memories - Never forget...



President George W. Bush is shown with retired firefighter Bob Beckwith at the scene of the World Trade Center disaster, September 14, 2001. REUTERS/Win McNamee



The damaged area of the Pentagon building is seen in the early morning at sunrise with the U.S. Capitol & Library of Congress in the background, September 16, 2001. REUTERS/Larry Downing



Rescue workers carry mortally injured New York City Fire Department chaplain, the Rev. Mychal Judge, from the wreckage of the World Trade Center, September 11, 2001. The chaplain was crushed to death by falling debris while giving a man last rites in the trade center. REUTERS/Shannon Stapleton