



The Rotary Club of the Torrington and Winsted Areas

Tuesday's Today!

Last Week's Program:

President Maria led us in a quick discussion of the passing of civil rights leader John Lewis and we watched a segment of the celebrated CBS news program "Note to Self," which originally aired on June 29, 2017. For those who couldn't be with us and for those who would like to see it again, the link is here: <https://www.cbsnews.com/news/note-to-self-congressman-john-lewis-civil-rights-leader/>

Fellow Rotarian Joann Ryan took the opportunity to share with all of the Rotarians that the Chamber is well positioned and prepared to assist local businesses in the process of gradually reopening as (at least for us) the COVID pandemic eases. She urges members who need assistance to avail themselves of the Chamber's website or to call for help. CHAMBER WEBSITE LINK <http://nwctchamberofcommerce.org/>

President Maria also shared with us some good news as it concerns the McCall Foundation. They've recently teamed up with HELP Inc. of Waterbury CT, an organization with the same mission as McCall. See the attached for more info.

This Week's Program:

Brenda DiCarlo brings us this week, Rick Lynn from the COG's regional trail planning initiative. Rick will be presenting for about 10 minutes on the progress of the initiative and will take questions. For some background info, please consult this link: NORTHWEST HILLS COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT'S REGIONAL TRAILS VIEWER <https://northwesthillscog.org/nhcogtrails/>

Our regularly scheduled meeting is set for Tuesday at 12:10 and members can connect as follows:

Topic: Regular Rotary Tuesday Meeting

Time: Tuesday Jul 21, 2020 12:10 PM

Join Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89424828923>

Dial in: 1-646-558-8656

Meeting ID: 894 2482 8923



Scheduled Committee Meetings:

Board meeting, Thursday, August 13th, at 8am via Zoom. Board members will receive an email with the contact info.

Torrington/Winsted Rotary News and Reminders:

- Unfortunately, we must start off with the news that our friend Oz Griebel was hit by a motor vehicle while away in Pennsylvania. This message is from the Griebel family: "Oz Griebel was in a serious pedestrian/motor vehicle accident while jogging on Tuesday, July 21 in Pennsylvania where he is currently receiving medical care. The Griebel family welcomes all thoughts and prayers and asks for privacy at this time." Rotarians are urged to keep Oz in your thoughts and prayers.
- Rotarian Brian Mattiello has shared with us the summer edition of CCH's "Community Matters." Please see it attached.
- Rotarian Cathy Coyle shares with us some fun news about an upcoming Brooker fundraising event. Sounds delicious!



In conjunction with Core Event Planning
 Brooker Memorial and St. Maron Church present:

Fair Food Drive-Thru Event!
 Saturday and Sunday, August 1 and 2, 2020
 11 am - 6 pm at the Goshen Fairgrounds
 Tailgating welcomed (group size not to exceed 25)

For information: 860-489-1328, ext. 113
 lferris@brookermemorial.org

- Speaking of food, our initiative to donate food to several local worthy beneficiaries is going well. Thank you to those members who have willingly helped with deliveries. Please reference below if you've signed up to make deliveries. Doug O'Connell...you're up this week! Please note that the board took the decision to continue this initiative through August so we have left one more opportunity for a members to do delivery on August 25. Please see below which day you would like make a delivery and please let Matt know at mnpdc@outlook.com

Members making deliveries should be at Greenwoods C.C. at noon on their given day.

Date	Organization	Contact	Packaging Type	Rotarian for Pick-Up (12-noon)
July 28	Community Soup Kitchen	Lisa Hageman 860.480.1510	40 Individual	Doug O'Connell

August 4	FISH	Deirdre DiCara 860.482.7300	20 Individual/20 To Freeze	Christina Emery
August 11	Community Soup Kitchen	Lisa Hageman 860.480.1510	40 Individual	Jeanne Fusco
August 18	FISH	Deirdre DiCara 860.482.7300	20 Individual/20 To Freeze	Sarah Dziedzic
August 25	Community Soup Kitchen	Lisa Hageman 860.480.1510	40 Individual	

Birthdays:

Sollito, Frank02 July

Gargiulo, John.....11 July

Lavieri, John.....12 July

Muschell, Vic.....19 July

Pagano, Matt.....24 July

Logan, John.....29 July

Todd, Gordon.....30 July

Club Anniversaries:

Ives-GroebI, Jennifer.....07/24/95.....25 years

Upcoming guest speaker responsibilities:

For your advanced planning, below are listed the speaker responsibilities as they are on our website with the July 28 and September 18 dates reflecting substitutions. This is provided so that when we can resume face-to-face meetings we are assured of availability of speakers. Members are encouraged to secure a speaker for their date EVEN THOUGH WE'RE STILL MEETING REMOTELY.

Brenda DiCarlo.....July 28, 2020 (was previously assigned to Harding, William G)

Coutant-Skinner, Maria.....August 4, 2020

Ives-GroebI, Jennifer..... August 11, 2020

King, Robert E..... August 18, 2020

Lavieri, John N..... August 25, 2020

Libby, Gerald..... September 1, 2020

Logan, John R..... September 8, 2020

Guy Rovezzi..... September 15, 2020 (was previously assigned to Mark Loomis)

Magistrali, Michael F.....Tuesday, September 22, 2020

Mattiello, Brian..... September 29, 2020

If your presenter will require the projector and the screen to be set up, please let Matt know ASAP. Also, please let your presenter know that if there's any concerns about the functionality of their presentation, an option is for them to email any presentation they may have to Matt ahead of time who can install their presentation on his laptop to minimize potential complications.

It is your responsibility to introduce your speaker.

Please inform the speaker of the following guidelines of The Rotary Club of the Torrington & Winsted Areas:

- They will have at most ½ hour to do their presentation. Including time for questions.
- It is not the policy of the Club to donate funds raised from the Sergeant-at-Arms presentation to the organization represented by the speaker on the day of the presentation.
- Further, an invitation to make a presentation to The Rotary Club of the Torrington & Winsted Areas does not suggest that the Club endorses the presenter's views - political or otherwise.
- The Rotary Club of the Torrington & Winsted Areas does not provide an honorarium or reimburse a speaker in any way and a presentation to the Club should not be made with an expectation of financial support.

Torrington/Winsted Rotary Links:

Website: <http://twrotary.org/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/TWRotary/>

Rotary Web-Photo Albums: [Web Photo Albums](#)

“Be more kind than necessary, for everyone you will meet today is fighting some sort of battle.”

-K. Purcell

Respectfully submitted, your temporary scribe,

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