

# Milford Rotary Chat For 7/30/20 Meeting

Have you paid your bi-annual dues yet? Invoices were sent out in July.

## 7/23/20 Meeting Minutes:

Proposed Members: Dominique Lee Tracy, hairstylist. Jay Marelli, financial advisor

**Fines:** Jay- worked at Walgreens, now working under Tad at Edward Jones. The 4-Way test was on a poster in Walgreens.

Tad- Daughter is back from school. Went to Bradley instead of JFK by accident to pick her up.

Bob- beautiful granddaughter named Olivia got braces from Gary Opin today.

Gregg- last person in fine.

Lorna- decent weather, glad Carrie is back.

Dan- Baseball back, Yankees playing tonight. Bob bet \$50 (to do-good) that Yankees will beat Red Sox this season.

Win Jr.- zero deaths from COVID yesterday. Red Sox play tomorrow.

Frosty- Happy to be alive. Story about when the Smiths went to a Stamford game years ago, and they both thought they brought the tickets, but didn't.

Carrie- spent 15 days in the PNW. Mount Reiner was a lot of fun. Went to the Pacific Ocean. Lots of hiking. Stayed the hell away from Portland. Is quarantining, as per state guidelines.

Steve- sad fine, breakfast meeting was not well-attended. Happy fine, daughter's 30<sup>th</sup> birthday this week, can do 7 drive-in style concerts. Would love if we could do lobster rolls as a fundraiser there.

Announcements: 8/20/20 New District Governor is joining us for the meeting.

**Speaker description:** Carrie conducted a club business meeting. Attendance is down, and we are hoping to get more people in soon. Tad will be doing foundation reports three times per year. 5-6 people are close to getting their Paul Harris. Mike gave a treasurer's report. We sent out \$15,000 in prepaid scholarships. Some major donors are pivoting their donations from International towards the scholarship committee. Our 501(c)(3) is done. We are appointing a Rotarian as a manager for the scholarship committee at the next board meeting. The COVID fund has grown, and none has been utilized. We need to discuss how it will be utilized at the next board meeting. We are working on instituting the Restaurant Rebound. All we're waiting for is the logos for 4 of our 20 companies. We hope to have all the tickets by August 1<sup>st</sup>. Stonebridge would do \$34 for two lobsters for a special event, for a future fifth Thursday, probably in September.

### **Our Lunchtime Speakers: Upcoming Milford Rotary Club Lunch/Breakfast Meetings:**

Subject to change

### Upcoming Milford (and other) Rotary Club Events:

7/30/20 NO FIFTH THURSDAY 8/10/20 Boys and Girls Club Golf Tournament 8/13/20 Board Meeting: 247 Broad St. #1, Milford (Frosty's office). 6:30PM social, 7PM meeting

#### Beth El Meals Schedule

Leaders: Shaileen Landsberg and Roger Cox

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Let Shaileen know if you are helping: shaileenh@gmail.com or 203-258-0841. And WEAR A HAT! per Milford Heath Dept. Arrival times: Wednesday Jan 1 Dinner: 4:30pm arrival; leave 6:30pm. Weekend Lunch: Cooks- 9am, Servers -10:30 am. Cleanup is always completed by 1:30 pm. High school age teens are encouraged to come help.

#### Who's Who for the 2020-2021 Rotary Year

| Officers:                    | Sergeant-At-Arms: Dan Wetmore (interim) | 1 <sup>st</sup> Year Board of | 2nd Year Board of |
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|                              |   | Dir:                          | Dir:              |
| President – Carrie Reed      | Assistant Sergeant-At-Arms: Don         | Lise Robinson                 | Sam Bergami       |
|                              | Wetmore                                 |                               |                   |
| President-Elect – John DaRin | Treasurer: Mike Granata                 | Phil Ucci III                 | Curran Bishop     |
| Vice President – Don         | Asst Treasurer: Jeff Wilson             | BJ Frazier                    | Max Case          |
| Wetmore                      |   |                               |                   |
| Secretary – Tad Smith        | Gary Opin (Immediate Past Prez)         | Bob Bogert                    | Mark Sandillo     |

Your Rotary Chat Team: Scribe: Ray Carissimi ~ Circulation: Roger Cox

Board Meeting the second Thursday, 5:30 PM social, 6 PM meeting -- every month unless noted otherwise *Milford Rotary, PO Box 381, Milford, CT 06460* http://www.milfordrotary.org

### "All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players. They have their exits and their entrances; and one man in his time plays many parts." -William Shakespeare

Did you know: Regolith is the "soil" that covers the surface of the moon. It is made up of small particles from meteor impacts. Because there is no wind, it's not eroded, so it's very jagged and sharp, like microscopic shards of glass. Space boots had to be made extra thick for this purpose.