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From the Editor's Desk:

It has been difficult recruiting members, but the pandemic has made it even worse. We are pleased that Jeff Kass has accepted the Chairmanship of the Membership Committee, and assured us things will start moving after the fall election. Thanks Jeff. We all know you will do a great job.

Secondly, we need to think of people to whom we can sell our raffle tickets. Sell, sell, sell.

We'll connect with you on the web next week. The Zoom address is: 621257872. Give it to a friend who might be a potential member.

Ralph

Tary's Rotary Minute:

Our weekly bulletin was originally christened "The Hat City Spoke" back in the days when practically all the industry in town was involve in the making of hats. Danbury was known fairly well throughout the country as the Hat City, but all good things seem to

come to an end. Because of the sad decline in the industry, the Hat City sobriquet applied pretty much to the past. It was time for a new name. After an exhaustive search, it became apparent that all one need do is eliminate Hat City, and our little newsletter became "THE SPOKE".

Tary



Attorney Richard S. Land Gave us a Virtual Tutorial on Elder Law. We all get Old, and are often Ill Prepared to Deal With the Legal Problems Aging Brings:

Remember that old Boy Scout motto, be prepared. Our speaker made it clear this strongly applies to Elder



Law. He pointed out that a lawyer can be invaluable in reviewing agreements with long term care facilities, planning and applying for Medicaid, giving advice on the merit of long term care insurance, protecting one's assets, understanding Conservatorship and a whole host of other legal issues aging bring...and a lawyer can be necessary in protecting a

family from financial abuse.

If you have any questions regarding an elderly person who needs legal help, attorney Land can be contacted at 203-744-1929.

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Get Well Soon:

We just had word that Andy Ragona and Tom Tazza are both quite ill. We wish them well and hope for their speedy recovery.