



Milford Rotary Chat For 2/25/21 Meeting

R.I.P. Assunta Granata
11/2/30-2/22/21

2/18/21 Meeting Minutes:

Proposed members: Dave Adams, Elle Targlione, Tom Salvo

Visitors: Tom Salvo, Sherri Wheeler, Ellie Bishop

Fines: Win Jr.- likes the snow, went up to VT for first time in 6 months, got to spend time with grand daughter
Ray- got great haircut from Dominique
Phil- looking forward to board meeting
Carrie- getting a dog!
Lorna- we have Beth-El this Saturday. Communicated with son last night. Grandkids doing well!
Gary J- wife went out and shoveled
Curran- 1 year anniversary for church
Ellie- last weekend taking cookie orders

Announcements: Breakfast and lunch, Pop's 7:30AM

2/11/21 Meeting Minutes:

Proposed members: Dave Adams, Elle Targlione, Tom Salvo

Visitors: Katerina Gillis (speaker), Ellie Bishop

Fines: Carrie- found gift cards to add to RR.
Phil U- got new assistant, going well
Frank- son is graduating, Ellie has cookies to sell
Don- thanks to Kat
Win Jr- wife and him are finally able to go on vacation
Roger- in honor of our great speaker
Greg- wasn't last in door. Going to Florida in March for parents 75th anniversary
Ellie- cookies!
Curran- cut self by accident coming here
Gary J- got award
Coop- got first vaccine
Tom- got second vaccine
Gary O- congrats Gary!

Announcements:

Carrie signed off today on the grant for Beth-El. We put in around \$1500.00

Speaker description: Katerina Gillis, an IBA Coastal Ranger at Milford Point Audobahn, spoke to us about the issues concerning her job and our local wildlife. She warns about the dangers to nests caused by approaching them or disturbing the area, and that pollution isn't cool. She also talked about an endangered type of bird native to the coast, and the efforts to sustain them.

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

Subject to change

2/25/21 Breakfast and Lunch meetings	

Upcoming Milford (and other) Rotary Club Events:

[Ongoing] Restaurant Rebound. Purchase your gift certificates in person today before they sell out!

2/25/21 Breakfast @ Pop's, 7:30AM, AND a normal lunch meeting

3/11/21 Board meeting @ Phil's house, 204 Oronoque Rd., Milford, near Zion Hill Rd. 5:30PM social 6:00PM start. Interactive zoom meeting will be held with details to come.

Beth El Meals Schedule

Leaders: Shaileen Landsberg and Roger Cox

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TBD

Contact Shaileen for details. There is a 4-person limit because of COVID.

Let Shaileen know if you are helping: shaileenh@gmail.com or 203-258-0841. And **WEAR A HAT!** per Milford Heath Dept.

Who's Who for the 2020-2021 Rotary Year

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

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

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>

“The most valuable things in a life are a man's memories. And they are priceless.”

-Andre Kertesz, Hungarian-born Photographer

Did you know: Some WW2 Soviet gas mask filters such as the prolific GP-5 used asbestos as an air filter. Mesothelioma was devastating to Soviet Russia's factory workers and veteran population after the war.

February Birthdays!

Member	Birthday
Goodwin, Theodore H.	07 February
Smith, Ioana Alexandrescu	17 February
Wilson, James	19 February
Rivera, Gina	25 February
Frazier, BJ	27 February

Remaining Restaurant Rebound Tickets as of 2/23/21

Name	Value	Quantity remaining
Bistro Basque	40	16
Conte's	25	6
The Corner	25	5
El Barrio	25	6
Joey C's Boathouse	25	13
Joey C's Boathouse	50	1
Joey C's Roadhouse	25	3
Kimberly Restaurant	25	2
Liberty Rock Tavern	25	16
River Street Grill	25	12
River Street Grill	50	5