

Rotary

Club of Fairfield



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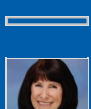
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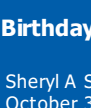
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Birthdays

Sheryl A Shaughnessey
October 31st

Renato Gasparian
October 31st

Drummer Notes

Welcome To Rotary!

Drummer Notes

Rotary Meeting
Date July 8, 2024

Meeting Called to Order: Alon Sapir (his first!!)
Pledge

Invocation: John Hoover: Dreams Plans & Schemes,
Volunteer to make a statement.

Song: Bob Price leads us in "Welcome to Rotary"
Second Posting for Membership: Brendan McKean
sponsored by Bob Price.

Visiting Rotarians:
Phil Dwyer from Bridgeport

Guests: Nope

Announcements:

1. **Alon Sapir:** announces that he is glad to be President, (and we are glad to have him.) Please reach out to potential members and invite them to a meeting.
2. **Janet Barillari** sent emails about the dues being due. Please do your dues.

Just Because:

Bob Vossler went fishing for real fish with his grandson. They caught a biggie, not some wussie brook trout.

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Steve Elworthy has congratulations for Alon.

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Rena Fortuna has congratulations also.

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John Hoover went to Poplar Forest, Thomas Jefferson's country home outside of Lynchburg. It is a cool house, being octagonal I believe.

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Sheryl Shaughnessey told us about the aftermath of the war in Yugoslavia.

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Bill Llewellyn celebrated his mom's birthday and went fishing too. He had a great time. We don't know what his mother caught.

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John Hoover likes Amtrak **Bruce** will be on one next

Douglas Williams
November 1st
Timothy G. Russell
November 4th
Peter A. Penczer
November 5th
Gina Giannone
November 5th
William Llewellyn
November 7th
Tom Kelty
November 9th
Steven Heffer
November 13th

Wedding Anniversaries

No Wedding Anniversaries Found

Years of Service

Douglas Williams
11-01-1993
30 Years
Thomas J. Walsh Jr.
11-01-1999
24 Years
Robert B. Price
11-01-1999
24 Years
Deborah Clancy
11-07-2005
18 Years
Chad Stewart
11-07-2005
18 Years
Ben Williamson
11-22-2005
18 Years
Robert D. Russo
11-10-2014
9 Years
Noor Deeb
11-16-2021
2 Years
Wadie Boutros
10-31-2022
1 Year

JOHN HOOVER TIRES ANTIKAR. BRUCE WILL BE ON ONE NEXT week.

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Pat Matteson drove to Illinois and saw a few gazillion farms on the way. James Comey wrote a book about Westport, but you will have to ask her for the name of it, as this reporter can't write that fast.

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Peter Penzer reminds us of the Jazz music coming up at the museum, and lots of musical activity at the Fairfield Theatre is coming also.

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Doug Williams is glad to see Sheryl Shaughnessy, as is everyone else. Hi Sheryl.

Bruce Carter appreciated being recognized for his work on the Drummer. The plaque will hang over the entrance area of his home for a few decades, at least.

Program:

Mark Perlman wowed us with the story of the Battle of Gettysburg. What a mess for both sides in the Civil War! The three day battle culminated in the disastrous "Picket's Charge" which cost the Confederacy thousands of troops and the support of France.

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All of that for want of a few pairs of shoes.
(insert your own Imelda Marcos joke here.)

Raffle: no winners

4- way test

Next Week: Who? What?

Current Events Joke:

No joke, nothing is funny.

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Rotary

The Meeting Ended with the Four Way Test.

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Photos from Meeting August 16, 2021 - Courtesy of Steve Layton

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