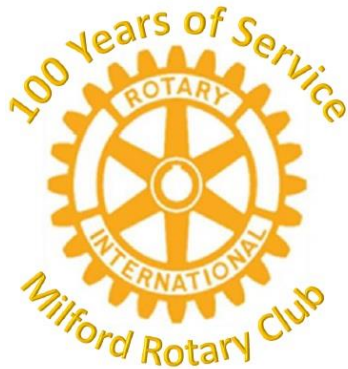


Milford Rotary Chat August 8, 2024



Meeting Minutes: 8/1/24
Gusto's Restaurant
12:00PM



Welcome:

This was the Scholarship Awards Luncheon. It took place at Gusto's and we had a good turnout. The room was full!

Do Good:

Phil got us started and thanked everyone for their efforts on The Bake, "it was a Great Bake". Ray gave congrats to the Award Recipients. Also, he said this was his first Bake and it was a very cool event.

Don gave congratulations to the Recipients.

Dan welcomed the students and their families. He said this was his 40th Bake.

Mitch came with his son Alex as his guest. It was wonderful to be here, it has been a while since he has been around. Sorry he missed The Bake.

Paul and Marcie were glad to be here, they had been away also.

Frosty welcomed the students.

Phil C was happy to celebrate the Awards with the students and acknowledge their hard work. This was his 30th Bake.

Dick thanked Gary for hosting a Beth El Party at his house and he had J. Rowe for entertainment.

Bob thanked everyone for their help at The Bake.

Carrie was happy for the Recipients. The Bake was amazing. She has 3 t-shirts left if anyone wants one. She announced Ray is taking over the Shred event, great job Ray. Then Carrie went in to a story about being with her granddaughter, Harper. You needed a map to follow the story (no surprises there).

Lorna thanked all who contributed to The Bake and congrats to the winners.

Evelyn gave congrats to all and her family is here from Switzerland. They are having a very nice time.

Dr. Dave glad to see everyone here.

Win our local haberdashery expert thought Jorge and Gary O had some fine socks. What can you expect from a guy who wears Red Sox ties? If nothing, he is loyal.

Phil U invited our guests to join us in future events and to help us put out the word of our activities.

The Scholarship recipients are:

Jaiden Johnson from Foran and he is planning to go in to Physical Therapy

Caleb Grant-Eckhart from Foran and he is going to study Math and Physics

Marissa Wargo from Law is going to Quinnipiac to study Physical Therapy

Elle Philpott from Foran is going to San Diego St to study Journalism

Elizabeth Tran from Foran is going to Boston College to study Business

Gianna Gagliardi from Law is going to Fort Lauderdale for College

Isabella Gecaj from Law is going to UConn to study Law

Germard Guery from Law is going to Yale to study Global Affairs and Sociology

The Alan Jepson Award went to Isabella Fallon from Foran and she is going to the College of Charleston to study Psychology

The Mitch Quintner award is given to someone going into health sciences. The winner is Atiana Tandon from Law who is going to USC to study Biology. They hope to become a Pediatric surgeon and work with Doctors Without Borders

Announcements:

8/22 Next board meeting at Gary O's house. Food at 5:30 and meeting at 6:00.

9/15 is the Australian BeeGee's at the Parsons complex. The event is to support the Beth El Center.

10/1 1st we will be collecting school items for the Nambale School.

Our next activity is to sell the "Trees for Charles" raffle tickets which we are doing together with Devon Rotary. Tickets are \$10 each and there is only 1 prize which is \$10,000.

Greg Schmitt

Board Meeting the second Thursday, 5:30 PM social, 6 PM meeting – every month unless noted otherwise

Who's Who for the July 1, 2024- June 30, 2025 Rotary Year

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True scholarship consists in knowing not what things exist, but what they mean; it is not memory but judgment.

-James Russell Lowell