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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL YEAR – 109th LIMA ROTARY YEAR – 76th

Officers for 2013 – 2014

					
RI President Ron Burton	District Governor Ellen Hughes	Assistant Governor Bill Moehle	President Maria Conner	President Elect	Secretary/Treasurer Amanda Hayes

For week of Sept. 26, 2013

Members Absent: Pat Brady, Jack & Maria Conner and Tom Wheat

Guests: Canandaigua Rotarian John Spare

Fines: George Gotcsik was our acting President tonight and had to pay a \$1 fine for not wearing his Rotary pin or dinner badge. He also did take a trip to NY City to see his daughter, son-in-law and grandson but stated since it was a family trip there will be no fine (this is a policy he used during his term of President back in 1999-2000).

Club Business: Gov. Ellen Hughes sent a Thank you note to us about the Dirty Disco along with a check for the basket she had the highest bid for. George Gotcsik gave a report on his participation in the District's Friendship Exchange. He had hosted Graham & Betty Hornibrook from New South Wales, Australia. They had stayed with George and Fran for 5 days and had visited the wine

country, Letchworth State Park, Wegmans and other areas of our communities. George and Fran enjoyed their time with the Hornibrooks and encouraged other members to consider hosting these Rotarians. He is thinking of traveling to the RI Convention next year and visit with Graham and Betty while there.

Amanda Hayes passed out a preliminary financial report for the Dirty Disco. There is still money to receive and a couple of major bills to pay. It looks like we might make a small profit from the dance once all money is collected and paid out.

Fany Loughlin gave us a report on the District Literacy seminar that she and pat Brady attended. She told us about some different literacy projects she learned about there and thought our Club might like to participate in some of them. We will discuss this more in depth and another meeting.

Queen of Hearts Drawing: With the jackpot s \$20 Clair Milburn was to pull the first card for last week jackpot It seemed though that the new deck of cards

that we had happened to be a euchre deck thus we will have to wait until the next meeting (on Oct. 10th) to have Clair pull his card. Then Bill Redden (who ticket was pulled tonight) will get a chance at the jackpot..

Club Activities & Events

Oct. 3	Moved to Oct. 5
Oct. 5	GVRC 50 th Celebration in Mt. Morris
Oct. 10	Board Meeting
Oct. 17	Program by Back & Buy
Oct. 24	Sandwich Generation program
Oct. 26	Halloween Party – 6:30 PM at Fire Hall

District 7120 & RI Events.

Oct. 19	Pre-PETS @ Mt. Morris High School with District Foundation Grant Seminar
Nov. 2	Rotary Leadership Institute @ Canandaigua Inn on the Lake 8 AM
Nov. 3	Eastern Cities Fellowship Dinner @ Rochester Convention Center 5 PM
Nov. 10	District Foundation Brunch @ Belhurst Castle in Geneva Noon

Quote of the Week

I don't know the key to success, but the key to failure is trying to please everybody.

Bill Cosby

Joke of the Week

A true story from the pages of the Manchester Evening Times . . .

Last Wednesday a passenger in a taxi heading for Sanford station leaned over to ask the driver a question and gently tapped him on the shoulder to get his attention.

The driver screamed, lost control of the cab, nearly hit a bus, drove up over the curb and stopped just inches from a large plate window.

For a few moments everything was silent in the cab. Then, the shaking driver said "are you OK? I'm so sorry, but you scared the daylights out of me."

The badly shaken passenger apologized to the driver and said, "I didn't realize that a mere tap on the shoulder would startle someone so badly."

The driver replied, "No, no, I'm the one who is sorry, it's entirely my fault. Today is my very first day driving a cab.

I've been driving a hearse for 25 years."

