

Pawtuxet Valley Rotary Club Meeting Minutes
October 17, 2017
The Cozy Grill Morning Meeting

Call to Order: Tarah Warner @ 0735
Pledge of Allegiance: Tarah Warner @ 0735
Invocation: Ralph Lawrence
Quote of the Day: Zachary Whittenberger
50/50: Two drawings were held this week as a make up for last meeting. Linda Rekas-Sloan drew the seven of hearts. Ernie Dimicco drew the nine of hearts.
Jokes: Ralph Lawrence contributed
Happy Bucks: Ralph Lawrence, Joe Garcia, Jon Ball, Ernie Dimicco and Linda Rekas-Sloan
Happy Birthday: Paul Potvin, 10/29
Treasurer Report: Maria Shank announced \$4,054.00 in the club account and \$3,865.00 in the Foundation account. Maria attempted to pay credit card balance online but encountered some type of access problem. Tarah Warner will contact Chase to assist/resolve the issue.

Ceremony: Garrett Duffy inducted as a full member into the club.

Updates: Tarah Warner reviewed the upcoming Bingo fundraiser on 10/28/17 from 1230 to 1600 at The Coventry Community Center. A sign up sheet was passed around regarding volunteers for the event, all attendees and volunteers must be 18+. As of today, 2 people have registered for the event through Constant Contact website. Expected attendance based on verbal conversations with community and club members is 100.

Tarah announced upcoming event, the Pawtuxet Valley Wellness Day on 11/4/17 from 0800 to 1700. The club will have a table at the expo for no charge. A sign up sheet was passed around regarding volunteers to work the table at the event.

Tarah announced the November service project. The club will adopt a family for the Thanksgiving holiday. Ralph Lawrence will obtain the name of a family from his church organization. The club will collect individual contributions of non-perishable food items for a Thanksgiving meal. The club will obtain various gift cards so the family may purchase perishable food items for a Thanksgiving meal. All items will be wrapped/packed for presentation to the family.

Full Club meeting will be 11/7/17 @ 1830, The Cowesett Inn

Full Club meeting will be 11/14/17 @ 0730, The Cozy Grill

Golf Tournament committee meeting will be 11/20/17 @ 1830, Robert Bjorklund's house

Next Board meeting will be 11/29/17 @ 1800, Coventry Schools Administration Office

Full Club meeting will be 12/5/17 @ 1830, Cowesett Inn

Adjourned:

Tarah and seconded by Zachary Whittenberger @ 0758