

## FINGER LAKES DIVISION

Minutes for meeting February 10, 2020 at the Log Cabin, Macedon

Lt. Governor John opened the meeting at 7:03pm with the Pledge of Allegiance by PG Bob Calabrese and invocation by Penfield-Perinton Secretary Rev. Chris Mitchell. LG John asked if anyone knew which US President appeared on Laugh In as his trivia question. The gift card from Dunkin Donuts went to PLG Marty Toombs for the correct answer of Richard Nixon.

LG John introduced PG Bob Calabrese and Doreen Pellittieri as well as Finger Lakes PLG Peter Pellittieri, Peg Bobzin, Jordan Neuringer, Marty Toombs and Trish Hook. Circle K LG Coehle was present as well the guest speaker Lynn Malooly the Executive Director of Water for Sudan.

### ROLL CALL OF CLUBS:

Brighton	2
Canandaigua	2
Farmington-Victor	0
Geneva	0
Lakeshore Rochester	0
Newark	0
Palmyra Macedon	5
Penfield Perinton	4
Seneca Falls Waterloo	3
Webster	2

### Program:

Our guest speaker Lynn started as a volunteer for Water for Sudan and is now the organization's Executive Director in the United States. The focus is bringing fresh water to the people of the Sudan and teaching hygiene sanitation.

### Secretary Report:

The minutes from the December 09,2019 meeting were approved.

### Treasurer Report:

Treasurer Joyce presented a report on the Division income and expenses through January 31, 2020 which was approved. Joyce will be billing clubs for their Division dues.

### Recognition of Club Members:

LG John congratulated the Farmington-Victor Club on a successful Evening of Great Tastes event and the Canandaigua Club for completing the First lady's Project. He also recognized the Newark Kiwanis Club

for a successful welcoming and education of a prospective new member who attended the meeting last week along with the Lieutenant Governor.

LG Comments:

John spoke of the Mid-Winter Conference which provided a great networking opportunity with many educational workshops.

He reminded us that the Governor's Visit is scheduled on April 04, 2020 at Penfield Country Club. Presidents and Secretaries will meet with Governor Joe at 5pm and then the social hour begins at 6pm with dinner at 7pm.

Election for the next Lt. Governor will be conducted by PLG Roger Awe at the next Division Meeting on April 13, 2020. All nominations should be sent to Roger by March 31, 2020.

DIVISION OPERATING PROCEDURES:

As directed PLG Marty Toombs prepared a Draft of the Division Operating Procedures. There were comments and questions raised. LG John asked that these be directed to Marty by March 31<sup>st</sup> so that he can make appropriate changes and be ready to adopt at the April Division Meeting.

One Minute Club Reports:

Brighton:

The Club raised \$1,250 with the Super Bowl Squares. On February 12<sup>th</sup> they will have a Happy Birthday Cha Cha Cha Gift wrap at CP Rochester. Their Aktion Club, Key Club and Circle K will join together to wrap gifts for second grade students at RCS #22. The K Family Bowling event is scheduled on Sunday March 1, 2020 from 1-3pm at Bowl A Roll and will bring Aktion, Key and Circle K members together.

Canandaigua:

Rang the Bell for the Salvation Army in November and December and we won the challenge with the Canandaigua Rotary by bringing in more donations for the Salvation Army. We collected blankets, books, packs of school supplies and more to complete the First Lady's Project with donations to Spot and Family promise. We ran a successful Kids Carnival in January at the Canandaigua YMCA with 250 attending. Our Annual Chefs Challenge is scheduled on March 15, 2020 at Kings Catering.

Farmington-Victor: No Report

Geneva: No Report

Lakeshore Rochester: No Report

Newark: No report

Palmyra-Macedon:

We are partnering with Pal-Mac Middle School to collect items to be distributed to children as we participate in the First Lady's Project. We are making Valentine's for veterans in our area and members of the Brighton Club are also participating in this event. Our Euchre Tournament is scheduled on March 15<sup>th</sup> at the Log Cabin from 1:30 – 4:30pm.

#### Penfield-Perinton:

We are sponsoring a Penfield Boy Scout Troop. This partnership will help to build young leaders and they will be available to assist with our club's service projects. We are inducting 4 new members and we have scheduled a Fund Raiser and Sager Brew Works on March 19, 2020 from 5 – 8pm.

#### Seneca Falls-Waterloo:

We had a Christmas Luncheon and then a party at President's home in December. We helped to organize and participate in the Womenmarch in Seneca Falls. We sold squares for the Super Bowl and raised \$500 for the club. We have added two new members and have another prospective member. We will donate our second Pediatric Trauma Kit to Seneca Ambulance in March and will host an Easter Egg Hunt in April.

#### Webster:

We hosted the Challenged Christmas for 100 challenged children and adults with lunch, a DJ and presents for all from Santa & Mrs. Clause. We also hosted a party at School 7 with lunch, hats and mittens and gifts from Santa & Mrs. Clause. We are planning a new fundraiser called the Webster Kiwanis Crazy K-9 Dog Show scheduled at the Webster Parks & Recreation on July 18<sup>th</sup> from 11am – 4pm.

#### DIVISION CHAIR REPORTS:

LG John introduced division chairs and some gave a report:

#### Aktion Club:

Jamie reported that the Webster Club is chartering a new Aktion Club Krew 333.

#### Child Protection:

Christine Mitchell announced that she will not be visiting each club. Instead a date will be announced and she will split division to have one on east and one on the west side.

#### Conferences & Conventions:

Registration for the International Convention is now open on line

#### Membership:

District membership is up by 121. Please invite Chris Bross to your club to address your membership needs.

#### Golisano Childrens Hospital:

MMOD is scheduled on March 28<sup>th</sup> at Eastview Mall from 11am – 6pm.

#### Pediatric Lyme Disease:

SDPLG Peter spoke about the history of the Foundation and thanked those who have purchased tickets to attend the Gala on March 22<sup>nd</sup> and who have purchased ads in the Program.

Protocol:

Bob stressed making people feel comfortable as guests at your club meeting and to introduce dignitaries, guests and prospective members.

Webmaster:

PLG Marty stated that he will put the Draft of Division Operating Procedures on the website.

Circle K LG:

Coehle announced that his division met their goals of with 80% for service hours to equal 1,250 hours and 90% of their interclubs and also 18 out of 25 K Family events. He is also planning a K Family Kickoff Weekend in April.

The next Division is scheduled on April 13, 2020 at the Log Cabin with guest speaker Brenda Spratt from Family Promise.

Meeting adjourned at 9 p.m. and the next meeting is April 13, 2020 @ THE LOG CABIN.