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November 28th, 2022

Welcome/Announcements: President Dan Doherty started todays meeting with the Pledge Allegiance, a number of updates and a warming invocation.

Birthday—No Bdays

Rotary Birthday: April 23rd, 2023 our Club will be turning 100 years. Matthew Schroeder is heading the 100 Year Celebration with Jason Gonzalez, Jackie Shambaugh and Marybeth O'Connell. Possibility of having a downtown celebration, If you would like to join the committee, please reach out to Matt at matthew.schroeder48@gmail.com

Guests: Richard Vincent has Janice Stowe as a guest. Janice is a banker for a private firm

Social Media—looking for someone to assist us with FB, Instagram, etc... Also who set up the accounts.

Hero's Service Event: November 10th at Danversport. 7 PM. This event will recognize community leaders who have made a significant difference in the communities they serve. The night is in honor or Robert Wood.

Amazon Smile: Jason gave us an update of the Amazon site. BIG Thanks to Jason Gonzalez for putting together the Charitable Donation Tag on Amazon accounts. When you purchase something on Amazon—a portion/percentage of the sale will go to the Danvers Rotary Trust. A email was sent out to our members on how to use this option.

Rotary Leadership Institute: March/Feb 2023. More info to come.

Attendance: Dan Doherty, John Somes, Becky Kilborn, Ralph Ardiff, Amy Werner, Rich Vincent, Tom Standring, Matt Schroeder, Neal Waldman, Eric Emerson, Cathie Emerson, Rigela Bejgo, Brigitte Swift, Suzanne Contreas, Brian Giordano. FANTASTIC LUNCH..... Great assortment of sandwiches', deserts and refreshment's. Meatloaf and pot Roast Sandwiches, BLT, Turkey Wrap, Salads and a cupcake for desert.

Next Meeting: Dec 12th. Guest Speaker John Somes with a YMCA Presentation

BOD Meeting: Dec 15th

Dinners: We had 4 Rotarians that delivered Thanksgiving Dinners for those in need. Thank You to: Becky Kilborn, Barry Kaplan, Tom Standring. and Matt Schroeder. Matt also brought 2 of his kids to help (Future Rotarians). This was the 40th year Supino's prepared Thanksgiving meals for seniors. The event was coordinated by the Lions Club with help from Kiwanis and Rotary. Approximately 90 meals were delivered. SEE PAGE 4 For **PHOTO**

Co-Presidents Suzanne Contreas President Elect Richard Vincent Becky Kilborn Immediate Past Presidents Suzanne Contreas

Rotary Foundation Matthew Schroeder **Bulletin Editor** John Somes Sheriff

Dan Doherty

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Amy Werner

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Board Member: Richard Vincent Board Member: Amy Werner

Club Meetings

Putnam Pantry Every 2nd and 4th Monday



Service Above Self

GUEST SPEAKER







Pawsitive Pantry | Vermont & Massachusetts Pet Food Shelf

Todays guest speaker was Stacy LaBaron,

PAWSitive Pantry, Inc. is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization that provides a safety net to help pets whose families have fallen on hard times. At present we provide approximately 4,500 dog and 8,100 cat meals per month. This non profit has over 80 volunteers in MA that assist families with providing healthy food options for their cats and dogs. They organize food drives, pantry's, pop up community food giveaways, pet parades, and emotional support for pet owners. In the BIG picture—they are providing a service that allows individuals and families that are financially struggling to provide for their pets. Otherwise those pets may have been given up to shelters.

In 2020 we partnered with The Pet Food Task Force, based in MA to expand our reach beyond Vermont. To date we have delivered over 400,000 lbs of food.

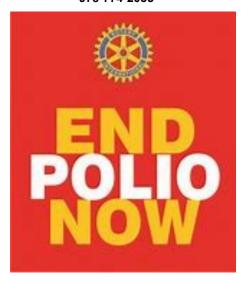
Their network is made up of a strong partnership with the Vermont Foodbank and over 20 shelter and rescue organizations and over 100 independent food pantries in Massachusetts, along with the Humane Society of the United States, a nationally recognized animal welfare organization. Each of these entities is its own non-profit 501(c)3 organization dedicated to helping animals within their communities.







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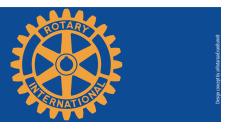
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Jason Gonzalez

Barry Kaplan

Becky Kilborn

Lenny Mercier

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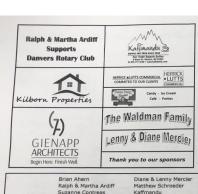


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SERVICE Above Self



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Sam & Joes
Danvers Handware
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Sheriff Report: Sheriff Larry DeLorenzo collected over \$328 in

Fines

Raffle: Ralph Ardiff and Becky Kilborn both

picked Non Winners



to Seniors. Thank You For All You Do!!!



Danvers Rotary will be helping to CITIZENS INN prepare and serve a meal for the patrons of Citizen's Inn, 71 Wallis St,

Peabody MA on Thursday's, Oct 27th from 4:00-6:30PM. The activities will involve supporting the executive chef with meal prep, plating and then serving the prepared meals to the dinner patrons. No heavy lifting or cooking experience required. We can have up to 7 volunteers for the event. Please RSVP to Matt @

matthew.schroeder48@gmail.com if you can help out. If you have a friend or child who needs volunteer hours who is not a Rotarian feel free to bring them along as well - just reply with the number of people you want to sign up. If you can't make this date the goal is to have Danvers Rotary serving the 3rd Thursday of each month to give anyone who wants to help out a chance to attend.

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