

Rotary Club of Greensburg, PA

Club **5228** District **7305**



September 10, 2019

Rotary Vision:

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change — across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Our meeting began in the usual way with the President Jeff Balzer leading in the Pledge of Allegiance, God Bless America and our invocation by *Dr. Roderick Booker*.

Sergeant at Arms Report:

Mark Barnhart reported 30 of our 62 members were in attendance and 2 guests.

Announcements:

- Wellness check September 14th from 6:30 to 9:30 am at Senior LIFE, 123 Triangle Lane.
- Looking for speaker chairs beginning in January Continuing. If you are interested, please see Ed Kraus
 or send him an email.
- Looking for Rotarians to step up and sign up for Invocations. A sign-up form will be sent to your e-mail along with the flash letter.
- The Rotary Club of Greensburg will be hosting our Eleventh Annual Rotary Scholarship Golf Outing held on Friday, September 20, 2019 at the Latrobe Elks Golf Club. We have an exciting new format that will produce some of the most exciting and competitive golf you will play this summer. After golf, we have an incredible dinner catered by Rizzo's Malabar Inn. The winners and skill prizes will be awarded after the dinner. A Chinese auction and 50/50 will also be available.

Fact or Fiction with Jeff Balzer:

- Abraham Lincoln had no middle name. True
- Germany drinks the most beer in the world per person. False. The Czech Republic drinks the most beer.
- Ronald Reagan was a waiter during high school.
 False. He was a lifeguard.
- The kids' bathroom on The Brady Bunch didn't have a toilet. True.

Word of the Week:

Contra dancing is a social dance that one can attend without a partner. The dancers form couples, and the couples form sets of two couples in long lines starting from the stage and going down the length of the dance hall. Throughout the course of a dance, couples progress up and down these lines, dancing with each other couple in the line. The dance is led by a caller who teaches the sequence of figures in the dance before the music starts. Callers describe the series of steps called "figures", and in a single dance, a caller may include anywhere from 6–12 figures which are repeated as couples progress up and down the lines. Each time through the dance takes 64 beats, after which the pattern is repeated.



Speaker:

Gene Cook of Gene Cook Supports LLC.

Gene Cook Supports, LLC is a locally owned and operated provider of waiver-funded home and community-based services in Allegheny, Fayette, and Westmoreland Counties. We provide direct, face-to-face services in both the home and community in order to support individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities.



Our goal is to provide individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities, as well as their families, the services and support they need. We provide opportunities to make real life choices about living and working, as well as options for social activities. This enables individuals to become a part of the community in which they live.

Dates to Remember:

Our Lady of Grace Food Pantry Distribution – First Saturday of every month

Our meeting ended in the usual way with the Four Way Test.

Respectfully submitted by,

"The Great Dictator"





