



THE FLASH

August 6, 2024

President Al Lazar called the meeting to order & led us in the Pledge of Allegiance

Rod Booker – God Bless America

Annie Urban - Invocation

Mark Barnhart – Attendance was 26 members

Happy Bucks- Marcus Ragland (\$37 was collected)



Announcements:

Golf Outing on Friday, September 13 at the Latrobe Elks

Annual Family Picnic on August 13 at 6 p.m. (***no luncheon meeting***)



Keynote Speakers:

Debbie King invited Kris Peters from the Greensburg YMCA and George McFarland, Captain of the Dive & Rescue Teams of the Greensburg Volunteer Fire Depart. Their presentation was to show the partnership between the Y and the Dive & Rescue Teams.



In 1957, the Dive Team was started by Ed Hutchinson and the members trained & developed in the Seton Hill swimming pool. 20 years ago, the Dive team training was moved to the Greensburg YMCA. In 1988, the Water rescue was added. In 2002, Sonar capabilities along with the Sonar Boat was added. This gave the team the ability to see the bottom of the lakes & rivers.

Kris Peters, Aquatic Director of YMCA, trains new members of the Dive & Rescue Teams in the YMCA pool and is also a Water Rescue Professional herself. The teams participate in Ice Rescue Training along with a German Shepherd. Due to the fact they weigh less than people. “Thanks for a very informative and great program, Debbie. “

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

August 13 Annual Family Picnic at 6:00 p.m. – **luncheon meeting**

August 16 Back to School Bash at Offutt Field from 5 to 7 p.m.

August 17 – Rotary District 7305 Day at Kennywood Park

September 13- Rotary Club of Greensburg Golf Outing

