



# THE FLASH

May 6, 2025

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

Rod Booker – God Bless America

Rosalie Bell - Invocation

Mark Barnhart – Attendance was 28 members plus our speaker and visiting Rotarian Stu Benson from the Rotary Club of North Boroughs and Parliamentarian for Rotary District 7305

Happy Bucks- Dan Galbraith (\$32 was collected)

## TODAY'S PROGRAM:

Don Chedrick from radio station 93.7 in Pittsburgh

Colton Heard introduced his long-time friend, Donny Chedrick, otherwise known as, Donny Football, as our speaker today. Donny is a 2014 graduate of Greensburg Salem and 2018 graduate of Waynesburg University. While earning his degree in Sports Communication, Donny wrote for the school newspaper, *The Yellow Jacket*, as well as participated in the television and radio broadcasts. After college, he went to West Virginia where he was the play-by-play baseball announcer for the WV Black Bears, a minor league baseball team in Morgantown.



In 2021, he was given the opportunity to be the p.m. producer on 93.7 The Fan where he continues to grow and share his love of sports. He loves the community interaction he has with the Pittsburgh fans. He is also proud of the Second Annual Fan Five Alarm Marathon that 93.7 will host again this year. This is a 26.2 hour broadcast that benefits local fire departments. This year it will be broadcast from the Upper St. Clair Volunteer Fire Dept. They continue to look for fire departments that will benefit from this year's fundraising.

It was wonderful to hear of Donny's journey into becoming a Pittsburgh Sports Fan Favorite.

## CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS:

May 13: Rotary Scholarship dinner at the GCC 6pm

May 14: Rotary Social at Yellow Bridge at 5pm

May 22: Spelling Bee at Stanwood Elementary 6pm

June 6-8 District Conference at Seven Springs

Amy Hood collecting empty pill bottles

We are collecting empty plastic bags to create a park bench with Rotary's name on it.

There is a sign up sheet for those interested in different program opportunities.

