

The Rotary Club of Toms River

"THE ORIGINAL TOMS RIVER SUPPER CLUR"

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GREETER

Mar 6 - Volkert Veeder

Mar 13 - Emir Turkes

Mar 20 - Jackie White

INVOCATION

Mar 6 - Chris Christiansen

Mar 13 - Rev Jim

Mar 20 - Terry McGovern

VISITING GUESTS

Mar 6 - Stan Mahan

Mar 13 - Bob Pastine

Mar 20 - Douggie "Ninja" Polhemus

DATELINE

Mar 6 - John Wauters, CPA

Mar 20 - Patti Nolan Ocean County ARC

Mar 29 - 5th Annual SPRING FLING

Mar 27 - Stephanie Redeemer House

April 3 - David Caldaella David's Dream &

Believe

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Our **50/50 Bonanza** tickets are now distributed. The drawing for 1st Prize of \$14,000, 2nd Prize of \$4,000, or 3rd Prize of \$2,000, is being held at our **Spring Fling** on March 29 at the Clarion. REMEMBER – all you have to do is ASK - ASK - ASK. They really sell themselves when you tell prospective buyers of the 3 prizes.

If you have sold your tickets, bring the stubs and money in to Richard as soon as you can so we know where we stand.

DO NOT BRING UNSOLD TICKETS TO THE SPRING FLING!

If you can't sell them, bring them back to Richard Yetman No Later Than March 13 meeting Otherwise ...

Spring Fling is fast approaching, only 4 weeks to go. All the door tickets have been distributed. Chairman Tim reports that we have over 50 gifts in hand and they will be purchasing some larger items from donations received for the Spring Fling. If you know of a company or organization that would like to help support Rotary with either a cash donation or a gift basket, now would be a good time to bring it in.

We are expecting at least the same size

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crowd as last year. Marie and Pat are flooding Facebook with the information and it is paying off. The Spring Fling has reached 7,000+ people, and over 400 have marked that they are either going or interested. We are limited to the number of people we can safely seat, so sell those tickets ahead of time!

Nancy and Pat are manning a booth at the *Women's Expo* at TRHS North, Saturday, March 2, 2019, 11 AM - 3 PM at RWJBarnabas Health Arena and will be promoting Rotary and the Spring Fling. No entrance fee, so why not stop by and say "Hello"?

As an aside, *Sailfest* has reached over 20,000 people, and many of them have marked that they are interested or going to the event, *and* we have some checks in hand already for Sailfest! Our social media committee is really getting the word out about our club! Great Job!

Pat reported last night that we have over 22,000 hits on our Facebook page! WOW! What a powerful tool for advertising our events!





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Donna Lancellotti, Director of Business Development for Ocean County Tourism, was our speaker last night. Tourism accounts for \$4.7 billion dollars in tourism money for our county. Tourism aso accounts for 10% of the income to our county.

Dana is an Honorary Commander for Joint Base Maguire-Lakehurst- Fort Dix and soon to become Commander Emeritusl. As Honorary Commander she will learn more about our amazing military. This program was created to connect military commanders and civic leaders, educate the civic leaders on the missions of the JBMDL service men and women and keep communication open between the military and local communities. Did you know that Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst (JBMDL) is the largest employer in southern New Jersey and the second largest employer in the State of New Jersey? JBMDL has a nearly \$7 BILLION impact on the region's economy and produces nearly \$120 million in local tax revenue.

CONGRATUTATIONS Lou ~ Pres Tony Rich D ~ John



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Dana Lancellotti, Director of Ocean County Tourism Dept. with Pres. Tony



FINES - HAPPY BUCKS - ETC

P/B/J - Len, Mike, Stan, Lou, Brian, Rich, Hal, Tim, George² - Rev , Terry, Pete - Brian , Chris

HAPPY -

Pat - Women's Expo & Gale doing much better Jackie - Happy for Gale

Kim - Happy to have Rich D back with us & Kevin is a new Boy Scout!

Chris - Gale, Rich and the new Boy Scout!

Pres - Gale & Rich

Stan - Skiing with friends at Windham

Mike - Gale, Rich, Kevin, and Mikey WON 4 MEDALS in a Downhill Skiing Race!

50/50 BONANZA

Money and Ticket stubs are slowly coming in. We only have 4 weeks left.

Don't even think about turning in unsold tickets the week before Spring Fling?