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Distinguished Citizen Award

Long time Mayor Scanlon was quite pleased to introduce long time city councilor and sub shop czar Paul Gu-naci as our Distinguished Citizen of the Year Award. We could list the many accomplishments that Paul has done in over 20 years of serving on the city council, many as chair, but we won't. We want to know what is the special ingredients in those steak bombs? It makes us drool uncontrollably after every bite? That deserves an award as well for yumminess.



Turkey Truth

Moment of truth when raffle ticket was picked. And no cheating involved although Moiph's brother Tim did win, so investigation will be started to uncover graft and impropriety. Pass the gravy!!



November 23rd meeting reminder!

Next week we'll be having a joint meeting with the Salem Club. Where we honor the long running football rivalry between the two teams, and arm wrestling between Mayor Driscoll and Mayor Cahill. We'll here for AD's, Mayors and a gaggle of speakers. This will be on **TUESDAY THE 23rd at noon, NOT OUR REGULAR TIME.** We'll be at Danverpsort so don't get too excited about Hawthorne food. You've been reminded so don't show up NEXT Thursday.

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Dean Berg-Green
Beverly
 - Nov 23
Joint meeting with
Salem at Danverpsort
 - Nov 25
Enjoy that 40lb Turkey
 - Dec 1
Is it December
already?



GOING GREEN!

IN HONOR OF SPEAKER D-PREZ GOES ALL GREEN IN SIGN OF SOLIDARITY AND SUPPORT FOR ALL THINGS GREEN.



I feel like the world's largest Brussel Sprout. Yet I do feel pretty, oh so pretty...



I started green movement in 1939 way ahead of curve my pretty! Release the monkeys!

Elliot, I'm not even green, why am I on the Sprocket? Me thinks editor is phoning it in..



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Last weeks news, Thursday Nov 11, 2021

Meeting was called to order by President Diane Howard promptly at 12:15.

Pledge of Allegiance was led by all the veterans in the room and was followed up with a song from the US Coast Guard Band

Invocation was led by Dave Olson

“Happy Birthday” – No Rotary Birthdays last week

The following were guests of the Beverly Rotary club:

Paul Guanci
Retired US Army
1st Sergeant Christine Tron (speaker)
Rich Tabbut

Announcements:

Brian Murphy thanked everyone who helped with the island garden this year.

Beverly Bootstraps (Sue Gabriel and Ed Cahill) is collecting gift cards for teens

AlTemkin – the holiday Parade is ON! Rotary bodies, warm and otherwise are encouraged to walk with the float. Meet at the high school parking lot on 11/28, the Sunday after Thanksgiving.

Special Presentation:

Former Beverly Mayor, Bill Scanlon presented Paul Guanci with the Rotary Citizen of the Year Award. Paul was elected as City Councilor in 1999 and is just wrapping up his final term as Council President. Paul and Mayor Scanlon exchanged great stories about one another.

Sergeant at Arms VP Mike Jones

Happy Buck
Jackie – for Moiph selling the most turkey raffle tickets
Bob Murphy – Happy for all of those who sold raffle tickets
Sue Gabriel – Happy for her trip to Hotlanta
Bob Butterworth – had a happy hundred in honor of his uncle, a disabled vet who didn't let his disability slow him down

Dave Olson – honored his great Grandmother, Nellie Fournier, NH Woman of the year 1943 who had 6 sons serving at the same time.

Al Temkin – honored his father in law Diane – honored her father

Paul Guanci chimed in to honor Guido Liporto, a deceased veteran who kept Paul on his toes during his time on the city council.

The dog ate Jonezy's homework, so he fined everyone who couldn't help him come up with a good idea for his routine.

Prospective New members

Richard Tabbut (Sarah MacBurnie-Liporto)
Kevin O'Reilly (Marshall Handy)
Johnson Obeke (Brian Murphy)
Seek them out talk to them they won't bite

The Speaker for the week:

Christine Tron Christine is a 32 year veteran of Military Intelligence. She is also a big supporter of her fellow veterans

She read us the poem In Flanders Field. She described to us the importance of Hardship, Sacrifice, Teamwork and Camaraderie to herself and her fellow servicemen.

She also told us that as a veteran, it is important for her to: Vote, Honor the dead by serving the living and associating with other veterans at the VFW.

Turkey Raffle:

Moiph's brother won the turkey. The turkey is free, but he will need to pay \$4,000 to have it shipped in a refrigerated truck to Connecticut.

Regular Raffle:

Nobody won the jack pot the pot continues to grow.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:30

Respectfully Submitted
Nick Biancucci
Sprocketer



Last Weeks Speaker

Christine Tron was our special Veteran's Day speaker last week. She has an impressive resume of service and continues to do so. Proof was her wall of hats depending on what she's doing at any particular moment. Pictured above with Prez Diane, Jack Good orange, wall of hats and photo of her in uniform from service overseas. One of the best. we've had. We salute you.

The Swierczynski Swizzle Schtick



Salut, my Rotarian randos! I'm in a celebratory mood not just because Thanksgiving approaches but because I've passed the six-month mark of my presidency. Sure, those damn bean counters among you will insist that I'm only FIVE months into my term but I'm rounding up, as we always eliminate the year-end meetings, due to – you guessed it – more holidays! Be that as it may, I'd like to propose a toast with some Thanksgiving themed concoctions. Let's start with the GRAVITAS-tini. That's right a martini that's simmered not stirred, combining turkey gravy, mincemeat-infused gin, and a dash of dry vermouth. Garnish with a creamed onion speared on a wishbone. How about the CRANBERRY MUDSLIDE? Mix kahlua, vodka, and, instead of ice cream, a heaping scoop of frozen cranberry jelly – you know, with the ribs showing from the can that sprung

it. Blend together into a smooth milkshake and pour into a tall frosted glass coated with chocolate syrup. Add that touch of decadence by topping the drink with a dollop of turkey stuffing and more chocolate drizzle. Down the hatch and see you at the Christmas Parade!

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