



# Weekly Newsletter

## Of the Rotary Club of Newark Morning

Clinton Tymes opened the meeting at 7:30. Jamie Zingaro reported we had 23 members present.

First order of business was the presentation of President Elect nominee to the membership for election to the role. The membership approved Stewart Lee as our new President Elect. Congratulations Stewart! In his last meeting as the Sgt-at-Arms, Stewart Lee quizzed on which was first, the start of Vin Scully's broadcast career or the discovery of the DNA double helix? A bunch of us who thought it was DNA, paid the \$1 fine.

Clinton reported the results of our Core Values Survey. The top 5 Core Values as selected by our members are: We have a commitment to our community. We try to live the 4 Way Test. We show each other mutual respect. We practice service above self. And we reflect Integrity in our personal and club actions. Clinton's Rotary Minute was all about Acting with Integrity, the first point of the RI Code of Conduct.

Clinton reported that Doris Chan Leech has agreed to chair the Community Day event. Lynn Mey has agreed to review club donations and the impact on our community.

Please get engaged. If you are reading this and haven't signed up, please do. We still need to fill the Sargeant-at-Arms, Vice President & Treasurer roles. If you are interested, please let Clinton know. There is also a sign up list circulating for chairs

This week we had the election of our new President -elect, a visit from our friend Steve Worden and speaker Ken Grant on travel.

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for our various projects. Starting September 13th, NMR and the local chapter of the NAACP are co-sponsoring a CommunityUp Business Plan course.

Our speaker was visiting Rotarian, Ken Grant of AAA Mid-Atlantic. He talked about how travels is roaring back from the pandemic. He had good advice for traveling with the least hassle including trip insurance and booking ahead. He pointed out that DE State Park permits have hit a record high and that DE is a great tourist state. New Castle County rivals Sussex for the tourist dollars with our museums, gardens and restaurants becoming popular day-trip spots. He had praise for Steve Worden, who had August 1st officially named Steve Worden Day for the City of Newark. And he shared wonderful pictures of Fred Dawson and his band from the 1960's as they toured Rt. 66 in a hearse and trailer. 2026 is the centennial of Rt.66.

## NEWS

Steve Worden is headed to the Phillipines as a Baptist missionary. He sold everything here and bought a 1 way ticket. He carries one of our NMR banners to share with his new club there.

Ty Jones remembered Bill Russell, who died this week. He was a man of great integrity and a role model.

Marie Holliday's family is in an all hands emergency around her father's and nieces' health care. She will take a 3 month Leave of Absence to help out, but will continue in her role as NMR Foundation chair.

Doris Chan Leech will be traveling to CA, where he brother and family from Hong Kong will meet her for the first time visit since COVID.

Jen Pilcher loves NMR, but her schedule is changing and she is not sure if she'll make 7 AM meetings anymore.

Jason Lawhorn won today's 50/50.

## UPCOMING EVENTS: AUGUST MEETINGS ARE ALL ABOUT TRAVEL.

Please let us know if you want to share your recent travel stories and pictures! We would love to see and hear about it.

August 11th. - Speaker: Lisa Whitmarsh from Accent on Travel will be here to talk about cruising and international travel.

Nancy Chase is Greeter, Fred Dawson has the Rotary Minute and Dennis Greenhouse is asked to do the Prayer. Our Sgt.-at-Arms Helpers are Jennifer Pilcher & Don Newcomb.

August 18th - Dr. Miller of the Center for Responsible, Ethical and Sustainable Travel

August 25th - Club Assembly, in-meeting project making Birthday Boxes.

September 10th - District Membership Summit, Dover.

September 18th - Community Day. Contact Doris to volunteer.

Have a great week!



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