April 3, 2008

Thaver Hotel West Point, New York Thursday, 7:30 am



Todays Greeter -Today's Prayer - John McLellan Today's Program - Sandy Jeanette, Good Samaritan Hospital. (Active Int'l. Cardio-Vascular institute.)

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<u>Last Weeks Meeting</u> - <u>COL Dan Bruno</u> **Addressed RCI (Residential Communities** Initiative) family housing, and how West Point fares in the future development of family housing. The housing goal objective is to keep the housing units full. There are currently 995 Current military families at West Point, and other area's are being explored to both build new ones and renovate existing units with amenities such as a community center, playgrounds, etc. The homes would be superior, and land leased for 50 years with a 25 yr. option. (A most informative program!)

Pres. Dave Monroe & John McLellan announced that all tickets have been sold for the dinner/theatre on April 5th. Shirley Bonsell has tickets for the Met packages. Bobbie Fallon requested that the Gazebo in the Village be reserved West Point graduation day so it isn't taken over by protestors!

Jerry Sheehan gave a moving update on the Military forces in Iraq, etc. who died or are badly wounded & his efforts to send funds to the families of local soldier's, marines, etc. Three checks for \$500.00 each have been distributed. (Good job, Jerry!) "If you're able,

Pres. Dave also said that the Dictionary project needs volunteers April 3rd to paste labels following the meeting!

Jerry's Pushcart –Jerry Says: "Shoits & jackets are for sale,

So buy one now before they grow stale!"

Phil Brillante's Safety Tip!

Drive Defensively! Watch weather. There will be more cars on the road! The Holy Innocents food pantry, 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month. Sacred Heart Food 10am – 2pm. (Money will supplement food donations.)

Visiting Rotarians - Guests -Will Plumly, Dep. Garrison Cmdr. Bert Tucker, Wavne N.J.

50/50 Drawing March 6th Bill Stone – Drew the 10 of spades.

Happy Birthday -

Brags: March 27^h 2008 Cathy Kelly, Buddy Blackman, Bill Higgins., Farrell Patrick,

Dave Monroe - April 5th

Bert Tucker, "Charlie" Murphy, Kate Squicciarini, Roy Spells, Harold Spaeth, Ben Birillo, Steve Scott, Shirley Bonsell, Phil Brillante, Jerry Sheehan, John McLellan, Holger Bernhardt, Brian Hilferty, Dave Weyant.

Upcoming Programs

April 3rd – Sandi Jeanette, Good Samaritan Hosp. (Active Int'l.Cardiovascular Institute) April 10th – Alison Bergman, Girl Scouts.

(Operation Cookie Drop) Prayer Bearer April 3rd.

John McLellan

Attendance March 20, 2008

Attendees – 18 **Percent** – **57.1**

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Note!

Mabel, please slip me a label."

> Farrell Patrick needs help with the shrubbery by the H/Falls Library on Sat. April 19th at 9 am!

> > See Farrell to Volunteer!



"Wot's in the

pot?"≸

