

February 7, 2008

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



Todays Greeter – Shirley Bonsell

Today's Prayer -

Today's Program – LTC Ahn from Korea.
Korean Armed Forces Medical Command.

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Last Weeks Meeting

Brian Hilferty gave a spellbinding account of his second trip to Afghanistan. This rugged country, which is part of the Himalayan Mountain range, seems more inhospitable than some of the terrain in our own Rocky Mountain range. Brian's talk, he being part of the PAO, involved the 19th Military Tippetnet, Opr. Anaconda, and concerned the 'media'. (A most informative program.) (By the way, in the "Sherlock Holmes" stories written by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, isn't Afghanistan the location where Dr. Watson was wounded by a 'Jezail' bullet in the late 1800's? (O.K. –That's Enough!)



Dodson, Dave Monroe, Jeanette McMahan, Buddy Blackman, Gus Fishburne, John McLellan, Dave Weyant.

Phil Brillante's safety tip.

Phil's message centered on the Ski Riders Safety Code and included: 1. Ski Ride being under Control; 2. Rider/Skier in front has right of way; 3. Stop to SIDE of trail! Use caution everywhere at all times! (Includes walking and driving.)



Temperatures rise during daylight, but drop to freezing after the sun sets! Again, Beware of Black Ice.

Jerry's Pushcart - Jerry says: "

"Weather's still damp, it's cold & chilly,
So sit by the fire with a bowl of chili.
(In your new shoit, you won't look silly!)"



The Holy Innocents food pantry, 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month. Sacred Heart Food 10am – 2pm. (Money will supplement food donations.)

Visiting Rotarians & Guests - None
None

50/50 Drawing Jan 31st.
Farrell Patrick – Drew the 6 of spades.



Happy Birthdays -
Rick Metro – Feb. 8th.



"Top o' the world"

Brag: January 31st.

Phil Brillante, Ben Birillo, Farrell Patrick, "Charley" Murphy, John Dodson, Dave Monroe, Jeanette McMahan, Buddy Blackman, Gus Fishburne, John McLellan, Dave Weyant.

Upcoming Programs

February 7th – LTC Ahn from Korea.
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February 14th – Col. Jim Knowlton – CEP
Wounded Soldier Program.
February 21 – Business Meeting.
February 28 – Renee Stephenson –
Ambassadorial Scholarship Program.

Attendance January 31, 2008

?Attendees – ? percent.

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Note: It seems that the area ground hogs can't get their act together. Puxatawney Phil and "Chuckie" from Cornwall both differed on their valued shadow sightings, leaving us much dismayed as to when spring will arrive. Oh well! – At least the Giants beat the Patriots! (Did a ground hog predict this?)

