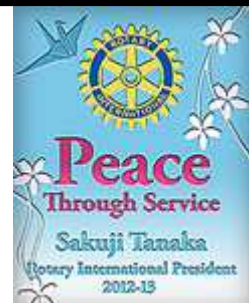




# ROTA-BITS



**SERVICE ABOVE SELF**

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a matching grant from District 6630.

## LAST MEETING

Reported by Elfie Roman

**Meeting** was called to order by President-Elect John Solich.

**Prayer** was led by Shane Novak.. those iPhones do come in handy!

Our **Guests** today were visiting Rotarians from other area clubs...Birkett Gibson from Cleveland Rotary and Dr. Morris Beverage from Willoughby Rotary.

**Rotabuck** winner was Bob Fritts who drew the Queen of Spades

**Announcements** Birkett Gibson shared information about the Tall Ships' Festival, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Cleveland, with the support of the Port of Cleveland and other partners. Close to a dozen Tall Ships will sail into Cleveland's harbor to participate in the four-day festival beginning July 3 through July 7. Visitors can board the ships, meet the crew, and experience the heritage these ships symbolize.

Tickets can be purchased at Discount Drug Mart, Pettiti Garden Center, or on-line at: [clevelandtallships.com](http://clevelandtallships.com) Rotary members receive discounted tickets...adult tickets at only \$11.00

Companies can also hire a ship for a private 90-min cruise. Contact Cleveland Rotary for more info.

Mike Scruggs recounted yesterday's United Way Day of Caring project at Broadmoor School, as the Mentor Rotary work crew rolled up their sleeves and donned painting duds to spruce up the walls of the Special Olympics Training Center, which is a grant recipient from the recent Wine and Beer Tasting Event, and hopefully



Lou Kreider reaches for a high point. Photo by Vicki Curtis



Phil Plestis works under the watchful eyes of Bob Ledenican and Bill Pickett. Photo by Vicki Curtis.

Wayne Brodnan also recounted the Day of Caring project at Mentor Senior Center where employees of Titan Insurance freshened up the landscaping that Mentor Rotary installed last year. See results below



John Solich concluded announcements with a reminder that there would be no noon meeting next week (June 27th), rather the Installation Dinner at Kirtland Country Club that evening, with over 90 attendees registered.

## Program

Karen Bowersox introduced Dr. Paul Vanek, by summarizing a most impressive array of educational, professional, and Board credentials, as well as multiple community, national, and international volunteer projects.



Dr. Paul Vanek addressing Mentor Rotarians. Photo by Dan Welker.

Dr. Vanek's presentation entitled "Men and Women Looking Great in 2013: It Doesn't Take a Scalpel", covered the following areas of skin care and minimally invasive treatments with minimal down time, but dramatic enhancements, as evidenced by many before and after "facial rejuvenation" photos: 1. Visia Skin Analysis—an objective measure of skin tone and problem areas

A NEWSLETTER PUBLISHED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF MENTOR, OHIO

2. Home Program Skincare—bio-active cosmeceuticals
  3. Non-ablative Laser—doesn't burn skin
  4. Ablative Laser—controlled thermal energy
  5. Architectural Improvement—facial rejuvenation
- Dr. Vanek's presentation concluded with cosmetic bags, neon cups, and informational literature distributed to each attendee.

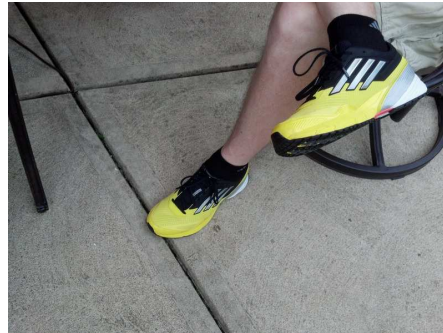
### KUDOS

To the following members who participated in the United Way Day of Caring: Bill Pickett, Fred Lariccia, Phil Plestis, Denis Nowacki, Jack Butler, Elfie Roman, Lou Kreider, Bob Ledenic, Mike Scruggs, Vicki Curtis, and Wayne Brodhan.

### BOARD NEWS

At it's last meeting, your current Board of Directors voted to approve the application of Jason Lea. Jason works for Mentor Public Library. As usual, any comments should be directed to any member of the board.

It appears that this may have been the only significant *accomplishment* that night. See the pictures below submitted by Vicki Curtis.



Note the "glow in the dark" shoes above. Guess who!

### JOCOE'S JOURNAL

Subject: Is romance dead?

The middle-aged couple had finally learned how to send and receive texts on their cell phones.

The wife, being a romantic at heart, decided one day that she'd send her husband a text while she was out of the house having coffee with a friend.

She texted:

If you are sleeping, send me your dreams.

If you are laughing, send me your smile.

If you are eating, send me a bite.

If you are drinking, send me a sip.

If you are crying, send me your tears.  
I love you.

The husband, being a no-nonsense sort of guy, texted back: I'm on the toilet. Please advise.  
(Brings a tear to the eye, doesn't it?)

### UPCOMING EVENTS.

**June 27** – Installation dinner at Kirtland Country Club – No lunch program.

**June 28** – Retirement Party for Rick Cooper, 5PM to 9PM at LaMalfa Center.

**July 4** - Independence Day. No meeting

**July 11**—Early at Quality Healthcare Training Center—CPR

**July 18**—Tricia Vidovic, Alzheimer's Association.

**July 25**—OFF SITE @ YMCA Dream-house

**August 1**—NO LUNCH MEETING—Trout Club dinner

**August 15** – Jill Korosok from City of Mentor – State of the City

**August 27** – David Joyce, Congressman

### BIRTHDAYS

June 1 – Alex Cooper

June 8 – Dan Welker

June 14 – Gary Estadt

June 21 – Lou Kreider

June 24 – Elfie Roman

June 26 – John Solich

June 28 – John Trebets

If I have missed anyone, please call 257-9827 or email [d.grose@sbcglobal.net](mailto:d.grose@sbcglobal.net)

### THE 4-WAY TEST

**Of the things we think, say or do...**

**Is it the Truth?**

**Is it Fair to all concerned?**

**Will it build Goodwill and Better**

**Friendships?**

**Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?**

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Vicki Curtis

area): at Mitchell's Fish Market,  
28601 Chagrin Blvd., Woodmere (at  
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**WHERE WE MEET**

LaMalfa Center,  
5783 Heisley Road,  
Mentor, Ohio  
Thursday at 12 Noon

**OUR MAILING ADDRESS**

PO Box 1177  
Mentor, OH 44061-1177

**OUR WEB SITE**

[www.mentor-rotary.org/](http://www.mentor-rotary.org/)

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL**

[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

**MEETING MAKE-UPS**

Following are a few nearby Rotary  
Club meeting sites and times for make-  
ups;

**MONDAY**

**Willoughby** at Dino's in Willoughby at  
12:00 PM

**TUESDAY**

**Painesville** at Hellreigel's Inn at  
12:00 Noon.

**WEDNESDAY**

**Burton-Middle field** at Welshfield Inn  
Banquet Hall, 14001 Main Market Rd.,  
Burton, at 7:00PM

**Cleveland East** at Nighttown Restau-  
rant 12387 Cedar Road Cleveland Hts.  
At Noon.

**THURSDAY**

**Cleveland** at Windows on the River  
in the Flats, Bridge View Room,  
Third Floor, Windows on the River,  
Powerhouse. Nautica Entertainment  
Complex, 2000 Sycamore at 12:00

**FRIDAY**

**Chagrin Highlands (Beachwood**