

The Rotary Club of Suffield

The Tobacco Leaf

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Managing Editor: Ed Garvey Suffield High School Suffield, CT 860-668-3810
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Regular Meeting: Feb. 5, **2008**
 Rotary Week: 32
 Members Attending: 22 of 35=63%
 Guests: Totri & Megan Fletcher, Mike Murdock
 Visiting Rotarians: Herb Toback
 Make-Ups: Lev Ahrens
 (Members should give or send make-ups to Ed Garvey, Suffield High School, Suffield CT)
 Birthday:
 Anniversaries:
 Fines & Happy Dollars: 42
 Primary Raffle Winner: Mike Murdock
 Secondary Raffle Winner: Dan and George

Queen of Hearts: Tori Fletcher
 Pot: 228



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Meeting Notes

Scott opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance, the Four Way Test, Grace and a song.

The Suffield on the Green Committee will meet next Tues. at 5:00 at the Country Club.

A reminder that this Sunday Feb. 10th is the Suffield Business Showcase – stop by the rotary booth.

Megan Fletcher was our rotary student of the month for February. Megan shared her accomplishments in and out of school. She is a delightful young lady who will go far. Megan will be going to college next year to pursue a career as a pharmacist.

CALANDER OF EVENTS

Feb. 7	PETS Meeting	NEPETS Meeting
Feb 10	Business Showcase	
Feb. 12	Academy Student of the Month	
Mar. 13-15	NEPETS	
April 24-27	District Conference	

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 Fines & Happy Dollars: 38
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Queen of Hearts: Mike Manzi

Pot: 251



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Let it be known that Mike Murdock has been proposed for membership.

The Suffield Middle School was presented a Barnes and Noble Gift Card as part of the Suffield Rotary Guest Book Literacy Program.

We received a thank you note from a local family we helped out at Christmas.

Elise Riejel, teacher from Suffield Academy, introduced their first Rotary Student of the Month, Lindsay Life.

Linsay is a delightful young lady who made the club members aware of her many activities at school and in the community. She is a senior and plans to go on to college next year. Lindsay is yet undecided on her college choice. She was an outstanding representative as the Academy's Rotary Student of the Month.

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Feb. 26	Mark Jordan
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Queen of Hearts: Gordon Stagg
 Pot: \$269
Jack of Hearts



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A gift card from Barnes & Noble will be presented to the McAlister Intermediate School Library as part of our "Guest Book Literacy Program".

A donation of \$500 (Corporate Sponsorship) was approved by the Board for Suffield's Relay for Life to be held June.

Next Tuesday, February 26, is our Red Cross Blood Drive at the First Congregational Church on High St. Our goal is 50 pints of blood. Please donate blood and encourage others. Club members have volunteered to help with two shifts, 11:30-2:30, 2:30-5:30. Joe Gervascio from the Suffield Arts Council spoke to us about their major fundraiser, the Wine Tasting & Silent Auction, to be held on March 28 in the new Centurion Hall at the Academy. The cost is \$25 and their goal is \$5000 in scholarships.

A decision was made tonight to move the location of the May Plant Sale to the South Green, at the corner of Main St. and Mountain Road. We decided to do this pending confirmation from the Garden Club that we are not in direct competition with each other on the day we overlap. We hope that we can complement our efforts that day.

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Scott presented the President's Appreciation Award to Elaine O'Brien our hard working Vice President.

Mark Jordan was our guest speaker this evening. Mark is a volunteer counselor at the Arthur C. Luf Children's Burn Camp in Union, Ct. This burn camp is free of charge to all the children who attend.

The camp operates one week a year and accepts children from all over the world who are burn survivors.

Mark is holding a dinner dance fundraiser to benefit the Children's Burn Camp on Sat. May 17th at the Enfield Elk's Lodge.

Mark has asked for our help in the way of financial contributions as well as food, goods, and services.

Mark can be reached at www.JordanFundraiser.com

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