



FARMINGDALE ROTARY CLUB

NO. 5051
DISTRICT 7250
CHARTERED:
JUNE, 13, 1928

P.O. BOX 575 FARMINGDALE, NY

MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY 12:10 PM at Terry G's
354 MAIN STREET FARMINGDALE NY 11735.

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OFFICERS

- President
Prakash Pisipati
- Vice President
John Cuccia
- Secretary
Willis Carman
- Treasurer
Kathy Firetog
- Bulletin Editor
Stuart Sinclair
- Sergeant-At-Arms
Yasuo Usui
- Historian
Bob Callahan

DIRECTORS

- Chairman.
Roert Diaz
2008-2009
Ruth Betz
2008-2009
Yesh Purandare
2008-2009
L Constantinopoli
2008-2009
Nancy White

Honorary Members

Gregory W. Carman, Sr.
Pastor, Diane Dunne

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PROGRAM : MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 7, 2009

Rotary President Prakash Pisipati introduced VP John Cuccia who in turn introduced today's speaker, attorney Ken Robinson of Robinson & Associates of Syosset. He briefed the Rotarians on ways to stay out of court. Having the proper insurance coverage on contents could help as well as having enough flood and liability insurance. If you have employees, workers compensation insurance and disability insurance is mandatory. Loss of earnings insurance is a valuable tool.

It is important to have a will to avoid lawsuits about your estate. You should have health care proxies and powers of attorney in place. Make sure your heirs know where these documents are. You should update your will periodically. Mr. Robinson stated that the Small Claims Courts of Nassau and Suffolk are excellent. They can handle claims up to \$5,000. It only costs the claimant

\$35 and you don't need an attorney to file your claim. Judge Sal Nicosia responded for the Rotary. He thanked the speaker for the valuable information and after 45 years of dealing with Small Claims Court, Judge Nicosia stated that it works well.

There is a Board of Directors meeting Monday, 1/12/09 at 6:30 PM. at President Pisipati's office.

Upcoming Programs

DATE	SPONSER	SPEAKER	Title/TOPIC
1/14/09		Classification talk	Andrea Greenberg



Announcements

Bob Nostrand was in Huntington Hospital with pneumonia. We wish him a speedy recovery.

We regret to report the passing of long time Farmingdale Rotarian Doc Haydu.

.Proposed officers '09-10:

Pres.-John Cuccia
VP-Kathy Firetog
Sec.-Larryetta Frasier
Treas.-Mother Christine Petersen-Snyder
Bulletin-Stu Sinclair
Sgt. Arms- Yasuo Usui
Historian-Ben Giminaro
trustees: Yesh Purandare, Len Constantinopoli, Ted Firetog, Ruth Betz

Yesh Purandare collected Happy Bucks. He recently visited his son in Alabama. Mike Muchmore was going to Florida. Ruth enjoyed the Rotary Rose Bowl float. Lenny was happy the Bell Ringing was a success. Frank looked forward to the New Year.

Announcements!

Fund Raisers

Salvation Army is still accepting your post holiday donations.

. Len Constantinopoli received a citation from President Pisipati for his work on the bell ringing. Lenny graciously thanked Mike Muchmore for his assistance.



Calendar

. District Conference Skytop, PA. May 15-17, 2009.

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Rotary Club Meeting: General

The Farmingdale Rotary Club held its weekly luncheon meeting at Terry G's. Robert Diaz provided an eloquent invovation. President Prakash Pisipati presided..

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ATTENDANCE

Bill Carman calculated attendance at 100%. Cathleen Callahan and Sunitra Pisipati were our guests.



Birthdays and Anniversaries: (1/1/09-1/31/09)

ANNIVERSARIES

Prakash Pisipati (1/30)
Barry Bhasin (1/8)

BIRTHDAYS

Prakash Pisipati (1/6)
Bob Callahan (1/14)
Ben Giminaro (1/23)

Birthdays And Wedding Anniversaries

Rotary International / Rotary Foundation /District 7250 News

May 15-17 is the District Conference. Skytop Lodge Skytop, PA.

Rotary International Convention, Birmingham, England 6/21/09-6/24/09

District Governor
Tom Gelsdorf

7250 website:

www.gateway7250.org





THE FOUR AVENUES OF SERVICE

under construction.

see Farmingdale Rotary
website.

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**ROTARY
INTERNATIONAL &
DISTRICT 7250
OFFICERS**

President of RI

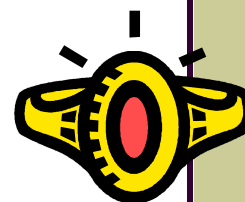
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Dist Governor

Tom Gelsdorf



PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS



***Paul Harris
Fellows from
Farmingdale
Rotary Club***

Charles O. Schmidt *	Charter Pres.		
Halsey B. Knapp *	PP 31-PVPRI	Mildred DeMarco	
Weldon E. Howitt *	PP 1936	James McKenna*	
Charles M. Schmidt *	PP 52-PDG	Alex R. Matera	
57		PP 1969	Charles W. Fed-
W. Ellery Follett *	PP 1937	Bill Fanning	erlin PP
Willis B. Carman, Sr. *	PP 1954	PP1990	1992
Arthur F. White *	PP 1956	William B. Haydu	
David Allee *	PP 1958	Kevin Bagnasco	PP 1994
Fred Hackett	PP 1965	Robert J. Chapman	PP 1993
Robert Stockbridge *	PP 1963	Gregory W. Carman, Sr.	PP 1997
Albert Meyerstein *	not a PP	Wayne M. Muchmore	PP 2003
Willie F. Oxendine *	PP 1987	James R. Corgee	
John O. Wagner, Jr. *	PP 1957	Salvatore J. Nicosia	PP 1973
Benjamin Giminaro	PP 1976	John Allen	PP 1996
Robert M. Callahan	PP 1962	Edoardo Licci	PP 1998
Anthony M. Tonachio	PP 1978	Joseph Trudden	
Howard T. Hogan*		Nancy White	PP 1999
Willis B. Carman, Jr.	PP 1974	Stuart Sinclair	PP 2004
William P. Metzendorf	PP 83-DG 00-1	Leonard Constantinopoli	PP 2000
Gilbert C. Pabst *	PP 1984	Hilda Carman	
Ann E. Metzendorf		Margaret Sinclair	
Dorothy Oxendine		Gigi Simonitti	
Rudolph Jahn		Yasuo Usui	pequa PP 1995
Sebastian Albrecht	PP 1955	Eric Chimon	PP 2001
Frank Bondietti	PP 1985	Joseph Meares	PP 1995
Edwin J. Lucie	PP 1975	Lou LaRocco	
Cynthia Pabst*		Marialyce Denauski	
Alfred LiCausi		Jane Muchmore	
Paul A. Erlanson *	PP 1970	Ruth Betz	PP2005
George Truppne		Frank Moore	pequa
Yeshwant Purandare	PP1971	Ted Firetog	PP2006
		Kathy Firetog	
		†Mary Ann Mangels	
		Paul Gatto	

* Deceased

TIDBITS

**“There is nothing wrong with change , if it is in the right direction.”
Winston Churchill**

**“Our true acquisitions lie only in our charities, we get only as we give.”
William Simms**

**“Action without study is fatal. Study without action is futile.”
Mary Beard**

**“The clean tongue, the clear head, and the bright eye are
birthrights of each day.”
Sir William Osler**

Above from The Forbes Success Calendar 2009

**We are on the web
www.farmingdalerotary.org**

THE FOUR WAY TEST

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In the things we say and do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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