



THE SPOKES SPEAK - GEARED TO SERVICE

Rotary Club of the North Fork Valley

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Meeting Thursdays at Noon in the Paonia Town Hall

District 5470

Club 1180 - Chartered 12/20/1922

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LAST MEETING: June 17, 2021

President Bliss presided.

Visiting Rotarians: None
Other Guests: Carol Kiese
Josh Langille-Hoppe
Linda McCone

Key Guest: No key guest
(Annette now has the key).

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Cherry Days Float:** John will be driving it. Float will be decorated the evening of July 2nd. Everyone will board around 10:00 AM after the pancake breakfast.
- **Cherry Days Pancake Breakfast:** The Fire Department is “burned out” with doing the breakfast, so Rotary was asked if we would like to do it. Seemed like a great opportunity. There are 18 volunteers which should be enough. Volunteers are still needed for setup, starting around 6:00 AM. The breakfast will be from 7-9 AM in Paonia Town Hall. Buttermilk, blueberry and gluten-free pancakes will be served, along with sausage. Coffee and orange juice will be available. Entry fee will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children.
- **Business Meeting June 21st:** Officers for the upcoming fiscal year will be inducted along with a financial report and other fun.
- **New member Carol Kiese:** Carol will be formally welcomed into the club at the upcoming business meeting on June 21st.

PROGRAM: Paula Martin and John Valentine - Paonia Tree Board

Glenn Dahlgren introduced Paula Martin and John Valentine from the Paonia Tree Board. Ms. Martin and Mr. Valentine presented an overview of the Paonia Tree Board, which is a citizen’s group appointed by the town council devoted to the maintenance and health of trees in and around Paonia. There are links on the Town of Paonia web site recommending trees suitable for Paonia as well as tips for planting and caring for trees in the area. There is also a tree inventory report. Information is available at [Town of Paonia \(colorado.gov\)](http://Town of Paonia (colorado.gov)).

UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS:

Date	Speaker	Program	Member
6/24/21		Business Meeting and Installation of Officers	
7/1/21	Amanda Campbell	The Learning Council	Ulli Lange
7/8/21			Bob Lario
7/15/21			Norm Lewark
7/22/21	Scott Thomas	Water Circuit Rider for Colorado Rural Water Association	Ed Bliss
7/29/21			5th Thursday
8/5/21			Betsy Marston
8/12/21	Ariel Steele	Tax Credit Connection	Bob McHugh
8/19/21			Jackie Parks
8/26/21			Kevin Parks
9/2/21			James Schott
9/9/21			Peggy Szvetecz
9/16/21			Greg Thompson
9/23/21			Bain Weinberger
9/30/21			5th Thursday
10/7/21			Sarah Bishop
10/14/21			Pam Bliss
10/21/21			Ed Bliss
10/28/21			Randy Campbell
11/4/21			Annette Choszczyk
11/11/21			John Coombe
11/18/21			Susie Coombe
11/25/21			Thanksgiving
12/2/21			Glen Dhalgren
11/9/21			Marsha Grant
11/16/21			Ulli Lange
11/23/21			Christmas



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