



## **THE SPOKES SPEAK - GEARED TO SERVICE**

### **Rotary Club of the North Fork Valley**

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Meeting Thursday at 5:00 PM at Rio Bravo in Paonia

District 5470

Club 1180 - Chartered

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**LAST MEETING: May 5, 2022**

Former President Pam Bliss presided

Visiting Rotarians: none

Other Guests: Kate Dauwe

Key Guest: No key guest

(Annette now has the key).

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- There was 68% attendance at the meeting.
- Rotary holding a Kids Pasta Project fundraiser for Ukraine on May 23rd. Let Pam know if you would like to attend and she will sign you up.
- James presented a thumbnail sketch of each of the students selected for Rotary Scholarships this year.

#### **PROGRAM: Amy Deluca - What's New on Grand Avenue and Beyond**

Sarah introduced Amy Deluca from the Creative Coalition. She gave an interesting overview of the new and existing business expansion along Grand Avenue. Paonia is truly awakening from the isolation of the pandemic. The downtown is looking towards vibrant new energy for the upcoming tourist season. The coalition is also taking on the Mountain Harvest Festival to wind up summer activities.



#### **UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS:**

Date	Speaker	Program	Member
5/12/22	Lauralee Yates	North Fork Senior Connections	Pam Bliss
5/19/22			Randy Campbell
5/26/22			Annette Choszczyk
6/2/22			John Coombe

6/9/22	Tanya Henderson	Western Slope Conservation Center	Susie Coombe
6/16/22			Glenn Dahlgren
6/23/22		Installation of New Officers	
6/30/22		Fifth Thursday	

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**THE FOUR WAY TEST - Of the things we think, say or 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?**

