





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 12/20/1922

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LAST MEETING: November 17, 2022

President Choszczyk presided

Visiting Rotarians: none Key Guest: No key guest

Other Guests: Kathy Thompson

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

• We had 60% attendance at the meeting today.

- Football Pool: Your Newsletter editor managed to mix up this week's and last week's football pool results. The Week 10 results were reported last week, instead of the Week 9 results. So, for Week 9 we had 7 players with scores ranging from a low of 5 correct to our winner with an amazing 11 correct Marsha. Susie was runner-up.
- The North Fork Community Choir will be holding their Thanksgiving Concert on Saturday, November 19th at 5:00 PM at the West Elk Family Church on Samuel Road in Paonia, and on Sunday November 20th at 3:30 PM at Eckert Presbyterian Church in Eckert.
- The Blue Sage will be holding their only fundraising event, a wine tasting, on November 20th. Tickets are \$60. As an additional incentive, Ulli will match 50% of ticket sales to Rotary members with a donation to the Rotary Foundation.
- FARM STEW, the organization run by Club member Joy Kauffman, will be holding a dinner on Thursday, December 8th at 6:00 PM at The Trading Post on Black Bridge Drive in Paonia. The dinner is by donation.
- Paonia Books is now open.

PROGRAM: Merrily Talbott - Healing Political Division

Merrily Talbott led a group interactive session demonstrating how getting to understanding another person before proposing you own alternative agenda can lead to mutual agreement. Transitioning from "I am right" to the unthinkable "I never thought of it that way. Move towards understanding, then add your own.



UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS:

Date	Speaker	Program	Member
11/24/22		Thanksgiving – no meeting	
12/1/22	Liz Evans	Vitality Wellspring Health Center	Ed Bliss
12/8/22	Halley Parks Albers	Solar Energy	Marsha Grant
12/15/22			Claire Dauwe
12/22/22		no meeting	
12/29/22		no meeting	
1/5/23	Shannon Ullman	Elevation Mountain Grown Teas	John Coombe
1/12/23			Randy Campbell
1/19/23			Joy Kauffman
1/26/23			Carol Kiese
2/2/23			Ulli Lange
2/9/23			Josh Langille-Hoppe
2/16/23			Norm Lewark
2/23/23			Betsy Marston
3/2/23		Business Meeting	
3/9/23			Bob McHugh
3/16/23			Ruth Morehouse
3/23/23			Jackie Parks
3/30/23		Fifth Thursday	
4/6/23			Kevin Parks
4/13/23			James Schott
4/20/23			John Seipel
4/27/23			Peggy Szvetecz





