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THE ROTARY CLUB OF HUNT VALLEY WEEKLY UPDATE

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Meeting at the Greene Turtle Hunt Valley first Wednesdays 12 noon. See www.huntvalleyrotary.com for monthly calendar!!

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COMING EVENTS:

Hopefully we can soon find a way to meet, maybe outside? As of now, we continue meeting via ZOOM.

***Looking for speakers! Who do you know???

September 2 -- meeting -- noon -- TBD



September 10 (Thurs.) – Happy Hour - 5:30



September 12 – Adopt-a-Road 10:00 AM

September 23 -- off-site meeting via zoom – noon--Dr. Stan Wilson (NOAA) -- Global Sea Level Rise

October 7 – meeting – noon – TBD



October 15 (Thurs.) – Happy Hour - 5:30

October 21 -- off-site meeting via zoom – noon -- TBD

THIS WEEK'S MEETING:

President Keith opened the meeting with the pledge—no bell this time. It's the first time we've see Dan in a while, and it was a special treat to have a visit with Lori. Lori has just had a liver transplant at Georgetown after of diagnosis of liver cancer. She is doing well and does not know the identity of the donor, a young man who Lori feels may have been a nearby VA drowning victim.

Announcements: How about inviting a "virtual friend" to a meeting? A good chance to expose others to Rotary, our club in particular? We would make the treasurer's job easier if all would sign up for auto dues renewal. We have an **Adopt-a-Road** date in September, and we are looking for a date to do some fall **NCR Trail** cleanup. Steve picked up road cleanup supplies from Suzanne (who is in FL) but says county needs to mow first as the grass is a foot tall. **Urgent!** We need a chair for the **Virtual 4-Way Test 2020-2021** as well as the related chair of the **Operation Warm** program. Both efforts need coordination with the schools. Can it be YOU? World Polio Day is October 24. Will you join in making a donation to **Polio Plus**? **Matt** will try to arrange for a speaker.

About today's meeting: Susan Baker is an epidemiologist specializing in injury prevention, the first director of the Johns Hopkins Center for Injury Research and Policy. Her research includes motor vehicle occupant and pedestrian deaths among children and adults; fatalities related to aviation, motorcycles, and heavy trucks; carbon monoxide poisoning; drowning; childhood asphyxiation; house fires; falls in the elderly; homicide; suicide; fatal occupational injuries; and injury severity scoring. **Professor Baker** is an ardent advocate of policy changes that will prevent injuries. Much of her teaching and research is designed to influence the legislators, administrators, media representatives, and others whose decisions can determine the likelihood of injury for thousands of people. The main thrust of Sue's talk was the need to have **safety** as the **first** consideration in any new product design (or design change)—the intended use, the anticipated use, and the likely abuse. As Dan pointed out, "You can't fix stupid." People don't heed warnings. Susan's talk https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/JN0Cqnp3yBJSJXwR-ERJANLifYX6a8h3dK_KAFykvMGHkCB9Qngk1KUADae_YV Access Password: qTi8xuG@

Postscript: I registered for **The Saratoga WarHorse Virtual Gala** (August 17-23). Got an email with this link, good through 8/23. <https://www.saratogawarhorse.org/2020gala3>. Experience #3: Veterans Triumph Over Trauma--Hear inspiring stories of veterans and how Saratoga WarHorse has changed their lives. See you Sept. 2 at noon? And at 5:30 on the 10th? "Fall Madness" 10AM 9/13.

THIS WEEK'S VISITORS:

We DID have a visitor today☺! So nice to see Lori Trumble! Keith had asked Lori to join us as he had a new Paul Harris pin for her. Keith, Bill, Steve, Matt, Dorrie and Jim, Tom, Dan, Lynne, Nancy, Gay, and Jane were on hand (or screen) for today's meeting with Sue Baker. MPH, Professor - Emeritus Johns Hopkins Center for Injury Research & Policy



OF SPECIAL NOTE! IMPORTANT UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS:



Happy Hours now on 2nd Thursdays.... By ZOOM for now -5:30
Board meetings 2nd Mondays of the month – next one Sept. 14 - by ZOOM - 5:30

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ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES:

Jane 8/5/09

BIRTHDAYS:

Gay 8/28

Do you have a suggestion for a speaker, off-site meeting, or service project? Contact Jane for referral to the correct committee chair.

The Four Way Test of the Things We Think, Say and Do:

Is It The Truth?

Is It Fair To All Concerned?

Will It Build Good Will and Better Friendships?

Will It Be Beneficial to All Concerned?