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Meeting Notice for October 11, 2023



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Greetings from Glendale! Today, we began what looks to be another outstanding year of Service and Fellowship. Werner and Hans Lehner opened up the big room at *Zum Stammtisch* for us to celebrate our **Installation of Officers**. And fill the room we did! Immediate Past President Bruce Kramer, smiling like he just sold a boat, performed his final opening of the meeting by asking for the Pledge of Allegiance, our Patriotic Song, and an Invocation by DPP Richie Huber.

**Today's Guests:** Inter-Clubbers from the Kiwanis Clubs of Queens Blvd, Howard Beach, Ozone Park- Woodhaven and Richmond Hill-Kew Gardens; Pat Maher (DPP Big Bill); Gloria (Vin Arcuri); Joan Miceli (PP Paul); Marilyn Jonke (Rudy); Barbara Schwille (George).

Our first meeting of the service year is always a special event. The Queens West Division Lt Governor is on hand to perform the ceremony, present the club officers with their pins, and give everyone a preview of their upcoming year. We usually have a number of clubs join us for an Interclub, and everyone is excited about our incoming President. Lt Gov Janice Bar was here to welcome everyone to another great year of service, and with the assistance of Secretary Kerrie Hansen, pinned and installed our **Club Officers** and explained their duties to the audience.

Immediate Past President	Bruce Kramer
Club President	Ingrid Huber
Club Secretary	DPLG Kerrie Hansen
Treasurer (Administration)	DPP Steve Hansen
Treasurer (Community Service)	DPP Teresa Donahue
Treasurer (Foundation)	SDPLG Bob Kueber

LtG Janice also made a special presentation to Bob, a pin for his role of Club Bulletin Editor (I didn't know they made one). She also asked the nine **Board of Directors** members to stand and be acknowledged for volunteering a year to determine the policies and activities of the club, elect and discipline members, approve the budget, approve all bills, counsel committees, and provide general management of the club.

**One Year Board**

DPP Fred Haller  
DPP Anthony Sauro  
Kathleen O'Hara

**Two Year Board**

DPLG Debbie Kueber  
DPP David Fitzgerald  
DPP Bill Maher

**Three Year Board**

Richie Adams  
Karen Kramer  
Gjorgi Kukuvikov



Finally, Janice presented some gifts to our officers: three pocket calculators to our treasurers, a voice recorder to our secretary, and a flipping coin to our President to help her make the really tough decisions. Nice touch.

Our new President Ingrid Huber took the microphone and thanked all the Interclubbers for joining us today, and said she is looking forward to an amazing year. She announced that, similar to PP Bruce's weekly *'Inspirational Quotes'*, she would have a weekly *'Did You Know?'*, and she started with some facts about herself.

*Did You Know..*

- *Ingrid is a Glendalian, born and raised.*
- *Ingrid is Lutheran. Husband DPP Richie is Catholic. Their daughter Claudia is conflicted.*
- *Ingrid attended St John's Lutheran School, Martin Luther High School and St John's University.*
- *Ingrid likes to ski. She met Richie through the Edelweiss Ski Club. She had two skiing accidents: a broken toe and a broken collarbone, both Richie's fault, so she says.*
- *This summer, she and several girlfriends took an 85 mile hike through Portugal.*

Our 71<sup>st</sup> President announced that her major emphasis will be our Scholarship Program and fundraising to build and continue the great work our club has done. To kick off her year, she said she would like to establish a scholarship given to a student pursuing an education in an accredited trade school. She started the effort with a \$1000 check from an anonymous donor, and presented it to Mike Porcelli, a 40 year member of Glendale Kiwanis and a strong advocate of trade school education. Ingrid appears to be ready to deliver another great year of leadership. We passed the microphone, and many Happy\$\$ were raised for our club, its incoming Board, and our new President.



**Club News:** During the introductions of guests at the beginning of the meeting, PP Paul Miceli mentioned that his wife Joan was recovering from surgery and that during her recovery, he had to do the laundry, something he is apparently clueless about. Apparently, he has a lot of company. What ensued was a *long* discussion about this household chore. Men can fly space shuttles, but cannot sort whites from colors. There was talk of making our club's new symbol a high capacity front loader from Amana. It is amazing how many Happy \$\$ we can raise talking about absolutely nothing.



Next week, we will be celebrating Italian history and cuisine at our annual **Italian Day** meeting. Fran Cottone has arranged for a feast at Barosa's Restaurant in Rego Park. There will be raffles offered, and food that can't be beat. Lunch is \$40.

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<b>Sheriff:</b>	Fran Cottone for Flo Rose
<b>Invocation:</b>	DPP Richie Huber
<b>7-11 Pot Passer:</b>	George Schwill
<b>7/11 Winners:</b>	Fran Cottone, Irene Kofler, DPP Steve Hansen and Vin Arcuri
<b>W-L Finder:</b>	DPP Steve Hansen
<b>Losers:</b>	Pat Maher, DPP Fred Haller, DPLG Debbie Kueber and DPP Richie Huber
<b>Winner:</b>	PP Paul Miceli
<b>Pig Walker:</b>	Richie Adams
<b>Happy \$:</b>	675
<b>Pig:</b>	60

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**Calendar of Events:**

<b>October 12</b>	Italian Day	@ Barosa's Restaurant	12:30pm
<b>October 16</b>	Queens West Division Meeting	@ Lenny's Clam Bar	7:00pm
<b>October 19</b>	Birthday & Business	@ Züm Stammtisch	12:30pm
<b>October 24</b>	Board of Directors Meeting	@ Yerman's Pub	7:00pm

**October 26**

German Day

@ Züm Stammtisch

12:30pm

**October 31**

Halloween Parade

@ Myrtle Ave & 70 St.

7:00pm

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We meet every Thursday, 12:30pm at Züm Stammtisch, located at 69-46 Myrtle Ave, Glendale, NY 11385 (unless otherwise specified)

