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Events

September 20th
Plymouth Weekly Club Meeting

September 27th
Plymouth Weekly Club Meeting

October 4th
Plymouth Weekly Club Meeting

October 11th
Plymouth Weekly Club Meeting

Club Leaders



[James Gietzen](#)
President



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Club Executive Secretary



President **James Gietzen** led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. **Chuck Lang's** Meditation gave thanks for food, life and opportunity. We didn't have any guests to welcome today.

BBQ QUICK REPORT:

- **Eric Joy** reports that though we didn't sell out all our chicken dinners, we were able to donate the surplus to multiple charities around town. More barbeque details to follow.
- **Doug Willett** told about a desperate fellow that he gave a free dinner ticket to back at the 2023 barbeque who came back this year, said he was doing lots better, and donated a \$250 check.
- One of the things that the Barbeques let us do is renovate the baseball field for our local Miracle League kids. President **James** showed a photo of the new field.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- At our September 20, 2024, meeting we'll learn about saving lives with Automatic External Defibrillators, those red boxes nowadays mounted up on the walls in lots of public buildings.
- There is a fund-raiser dinner to benefit The Rotary Foundation in Southgate on September 21, 2024.
- At our September 27, 2024, meeting, Rotary Memorial Scholarship beneficiary and Wayne State University medical student Anne Patterson will discuss the Street Medicine Detroit project, which benefits the city's homeless people. Anne would appreciate us bringing hygiene items and gently used clothing to donate.
- **Chuck Lang's** friends at the American Red Cross are holding a blood drive at the Cultural Center 9:00 am to 3:00 pm on September 26. You can go to www.redcrossblood.org ahead of time to speed registration.
- Our October 4, 2024, meeting features a presentation about Plymouth's Old

- Village, where many improvements are underway.
- October 11, 2024, meeting: Henry Ford Health presentation.

MEMBER MOMENT:

Kirk and Debbie Sivic told us about their lives and their new business, a Steri-Clean franchise. **Kirk** was raised in Michigan and spent many years in the US Army before getting married to **Debbie** (an Eastpointe person who had worked in her family business). They have four kids in their blended family. In January 2024 they opened their Steri-Clean business, where they undertake tough cleanup jobs in situations such as crime scenes, suicides, unattended death, hoarding and severe odor. They currently are working in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky. Kirk and Debbie found it easier to start their business here in Plymouth than in nearby municipalities (ha!) and were steered to our club by a Rotarian named **Don Gilmartin**, who's with the Steri-Clean organization in Cucamonga, California.

FIFTY-FIFTY:

Lucky **Kirk Kohn** won \$52. Too bad for the absent **Liz Orbits**, who missed getting the Second Chance prize.

We closed by reciting the FOUR-WAY TEST. President **James Gietzen** led us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Lunch ordering- Advance sign up is IMPORTANT!

Respond to the weekly email or Email Marie.morrow@pcuw.org or Call Marie - 734- 453-6879 X 4

Salad options available:

Maurice Salad

Ceasar with or without chicken

Greek with or without chicken

Spinach with or without chicken

Mediterranean