# Milford Rotary Chat April 3, 2025







Meeting Minutes: 3/27/25 SBC Restaurant 12:15PM

#### Welcome:

Paul Mangles led the Pledge of Allegiance Evelyn led the Prayer, in French, and there was something about 'croissants'? Carrie Reed did The Four-Way-Test, flawlessly!

### **Guests:**

We had a guest Kathy Bradley

## Do Good:

- Win Smith got flocked last night! And some of the girls were asking how they could get flocked! I won't mention who. More on that later!
- Dick P said he attended the Bethel fundraiser at bin 100 last night! they had 92 guests and raised \$5000 for Bethel! Awesome!
- I, Dan German, took the notes today so I asked people to speak slowly and clearly! nobody listened, except for Dick!

Kathy Bradley is also doing a fundraiser for her Boston Marathon run! Go Kathy!

Phill Ucci talked to 100 seniors about finances so they are now set up properly to live prosperously!

Don Wetmore welcomed Kathy Bradley district Rotarian

- Carrie Reed said something about the grandkids and how they are excited about Carrie getting married and starting a new family with kids, again!
- Deb Ryan was excited about her new solar system installed on her house

Kathy Bradley said something about her age 76 or 77, it's all a blur?

Lorna talked about getting arrested and handcuffed?

Gina is traveling this week to the greatest place on earth... Disney!

Win Smith is excited that baseball is starting

Phil talked about his agenda, see his email!

Deb Ryan suggested everybody go to MilfordRotaryCT on Facebook and share what's going on especially if you got flocked! Meaning somehow your lawn gets flooded with lobsters, overnight, to promote the Milford Rotary Lobster Bake!!

Paul Mangles inducted our New Member Deb Ryan to Milford Rotary! Deb will be heading up our social media, hopefully, which is in dire needs! Paul did a great job as always with inducting new members with the History of Rotary, 1.4 million Rotarians now and how working with the Rotarians is much better than working on your own in regards to giving back to the community and helping people in need!

#### **Announcements:**

- 4/8 Lobster Bake Meeting
- 4/16 Installation Meeting
- 4/25 is the Norm Parcells Awards Luncheon. It is being held at the Milford Yacht club and the cost is \$60 each.
- 5/5 is a golf fund raiser to benefit the Purple Pantry. Being held at Grassy Hill Golf Club. Foursomes are being formed.
- 5/17 (Saturday) is the Rotary Day of Service. We will be stationed at Stop and Shop on East Town Rd from 10-2
- 5/30-6/1 is the Rotary District Conference in Massachusetts.
- 6/8 is the Race in the Park fund raiser. It is a 5K race in Eisenhauer Park. Sponsors and participants are needed. See Dan

6/17 is the proposed date for the instillation dinner.

8/2 is the Lobster Bake (along with all the activity leading up to it. All hands on deck)

Dan German

Board Meeting the Second Thursday, 5:30 PM social, 6 PM meeting every month unless noted otherwise

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#### Who's Who for the July 1, 2024- June 30, 2025 Rotary Year

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# April is the kindest month. April gets you out of your head and out working in the garden.

-Marty Rubin