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## The Waterbury Kiwanian

Kiwanis Club of Waterbury  
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**LAST MEETING:** James O'Rourke who is the Executive Director of the Greater Waterbury YMCA, and former Rotarian, spoke on his background and some of the programs of the Greater Waterbury Y. He has worked in the Y's in Southington, Cheshire, and Augusta, ME before becoming the Operations Director in Waterbury. One program provides free membership for spouses and children of deployed military.

They also have a program to aid the unemployed maintain or improve physical health. There are 187 children in their preschool program. Upgrades have been made at Camp Mattacha in Watertown and Okosha in Southbury where they partner with Southbury Training School. Jim said the Y has partnered with the Mattatuck Museum to help reduce the parking problem they both share.

- Lee Flanagan reported that at the Bicycle Rodeo, Sat, May 15th over fifty (50) children attended the activities. He expressed appreciation to Waterbury PAL for the bikes that were raffled. Lee also reported that this was the 18th year for the Reading is Fundamental program. Over 200 preschool children participated this year. Lee said photos are being developed.
- John Damico reported for the Scholarship Committee that the awardees have been selected and are being notified. They will be announced and presented on June 23rd. at Amalfi's Restaurant.
- John also reported for the Nominating Committee. The following were nominated and elected for the 2010 -2011 year after no nominations from the floor were presented: President: Michael Blumenthal,

- President Elect: Paul Czarzasty, Vice President: Robert Cizauskas, Past President: John Damico, Secretary/Treasurer: Robert Ashley, Assistant Treasurer: Billy Cotner, Director for three (3) years: Robert Crean and Byron Waterman, for two (2) years: Jay Anthony and Lee Flanagan, and for one (1) year: William Campion and Richard Shaker.

**THIS MEETING:** Bonnie Orintas Chair of the Litter Control and Beautification Commission City of Waterbury

Those who have not returned the Club Excellence Survey's, Please do so as soon as possible so we can tally and analyze the answers.

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*One of the objectives of Kiwanis International*  
To provide, through Kiwanis Clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.

*"A people that values its privileges above its principles soon loses both."*

Dwight D. Eisenhower Jan 20, 1953

Birthdays - Jun 16 - Sue Houlihan

### Future dates

Jun 12 - Kiwanis Club of Meriden 80th Anniversary  
Jun 14 - Flag Day  
Jun 20 - Father's Day  
Jun 23 - Scholarship Luncheon 12:15 Amalfi's Restaurant  
Jun 23 - 26, International Convention Las Vegas, NV  
Jul 04 - Independence Day  
Jul 09 - Board Meeting Amalfi's Restaurant  
Jul 14 - BiWeekly Meeting Amalfi's Restaurant