

June 2, 2025

Meeting number 927 of the Farmington Senior Citizens was called to order at 12:01 PM on Monday, June 2, 2025, by President Gary Weidenborner. Fourteen members and two guests were present.

Then members enjoyed their sandwich lunch and desserts from Marie Sargent, Karen Stratton, and Bob Zink.

At 12:30 PM, Harvey Limbeck presented "History in our own Backyard." He described the history of the Iroquois Confederacy and the founding of Ganondagan. He has been a volunteer at Ganondagan for 40 years. To start his presentation, he showed us a hat worn by members of the Iroquois Confederacy and described how the number and placement of feathers identified the tribe of the wearer. He also showed us belts and explained the symbols on each. He explained how and why the Iroquois Confederacy was formed, the role of women in their society, and the formation of their governing structure, which is said to have had an influence on the development of the US government after the Revolutionary War. The Ganondagan Historic site in Victor has the history of the Iroquois in this area.

President Gary Weidenborner resumed the regular meeting at 1:05 PM.

Secretary's Report: The minutes from the May 19, 2025 meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: As of June 2, 2025, there is \$419.09 in the Treasury. This includes \$19 from 50/50 Raffle at May 19 meeting, including the winnings donated back to the Club by David Sargent. It also includes a payment of \$23 to Andrea Sidare in payment for tablecloths.

Birthdays: None

Anniversaries: None

Sunshine Report: John VanderWalle is now living in Chili. The Weidenborners have his address if anyone wants to send him a card.

Entertainment: Vice President Ruth Weidenborner

- At the June 16th meeting, Dan Lyons from Lifespan will talk about scams.
- At the June 16th meeting which is a dish-to-pass meeting, the Club will provide ice cream and members should bring their favorite topping.
- At the October 20th meeting, a speaker will discuss Ghost Stories, hopefully some from the Farmington.
- At one of the fall meetings there will be a presentation on Tiffany Glass.
- Ruth also has a lead on a source for programs that are no cost.

Old Business: None

New Business:

The calendar of meetings for June to December 2025 is available.

Town of Farmington update by President Gary Weidenborner: none

50/50 Raffle: Marilyn Eck won \$7.00 in the 50/50 Raffle and donated it back to the club.

There was dominos after the meeting.

President Gary Weidenborner closed the regular meeting at 1:25 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathy Wagner, Secretary