

Springfield Rotary Club BOARD Meeting
October 6, 2026 – 11 AM - Noon
Springfield Area Parent Child Training Development Center
DRAFT Minutes

MEMBERS PRESENT: Jeff, Sue, Marty, Emma, John, Deb, Michelle

MEMBERS ABSENT: Ed G., Alan,

September Minutes: Motion by Marty, seconded by Emma to accept the September minutes. PASSED

Treasurer's Report: See attached.

Old Business:

- Joint meeting with Charlestown Rotary at Fort #4: The event was a success. Jeff will explore opportunities to collaborate with other area Rotary Club.
- Chester and Springfield Book Project: Books have been ordered. Hoping to deliver end of October or beginning of November.
- Council on Legislation Resolutions: Motion by Marty, seconded by Emma to authorize Club Secretary to cast vote.
- Programs: October 6- Jon Megas-Russell and Josh Davis, Southeastern Vermont Community Action (SEVCA); October 13- Club Assembly on Penny Sale; October 20-Eunice Rapando, Sunrise School, October 27 – No regular club meeting
- Trex Plastics Challenge: Bench #17 has been donated to Springfield VFW. Bench #18 has been ordered for Elm Hill School. In the month of August, 315 pounds of plastic film were collected. In September, we collected 268 pounds of plastic film. We will be ordering bench #18 which will be given to the Elm Street School this month. To date, 16,356 pounds of plastic film (over 8 tons or the equivalent of 12 dairy cows) have been removed from the waste stream since this project started in February of 2023, delivered to Shaw's Supermarket, and heading to Trex Company for recycling.
- Chester Rotary signs: Ed will investigate the third sign. Jeff will check into whether new Rotary signs for Springfield can be posted. TABLED.
- Chester Rotary trailer: Karen has been asked to supply new signage. The interior needs to be cleaned. Michelle will send check to DMV for registration renewal.
- Membership: Potential new members: Logan Garrow (Claremont Savings Bank). Sue will ask Kit from Mascoma Bank, as well as Michaela Merrill from Southern Vermont Correctional Facility.
- Fundraising / Credit card Software – Michelle is hoping to implement in January, 2027.
- Butterfly Sales: Netted about \$435.
- Penny Sale: Booster Club will be in charge of food. Prize listing taking place on 10/7. October 13 Club Meeting will go over last-minute details.
- District Golf Tournament: Team (Rod, Emma, Carol, and Ed B.) finished in the top 9
- Donation requests:
 1. Nepal Disaster: Motion by Marty, seconded by Emma to donate \$1,000 to Shelter Box USA. PASSED
 2. Project Action: Motion by Marty, seconded by Emma to donate \$250. PASSED
 3. SEVCA: Motion by Marty, seconded by Sue to donate \$250. PASSED.
- NEW BUSINESS
 1. November Food Drive: Jeff will check with Ed about November 21
 2. Holiday Party: Emma will bring ideas to the November meeting.
- NEXT MEETING: November 3 at 11 AM.

Motion by Marty, seconded by Emma to adjourn. PASSED

Springfield Rotary Club
Financial Report 2026-2027

Revenue:			Expenses		
	BUDGET	ACTUAL		BUDGET	ACTUAL
Dues	5,600.00	6,150.00	Dues		
Events			District	1,022.00	1,022.00
Changing of the Gavel	1,200.00	847.00	RI	3,400.00	1,745.14
Butterfly	1,500.00	980.00	Events		
Penny Sale	\$ 30,000.00	6,234.00	Changing of the Gavel	1,200.00	1,654.00
Holiday Party	1,000.00		Butterfly	500.00	543.40
Gov Lunch	1,500.00		Penny Sale	\$ 15,000.00	3,193.56
Club			Holiday Party	1,500.00	
Chester Music	1,000.00	4,769.96	Gov Lunch	2,000.00	
Happy Events	500.00	210.00	Program		
Raffle	500.00	220.00	Scholarship	6,000.00	3,000.00
Birthday	100.00	10.00	Food Drive	100.00	
Interest		0.26	Literacy	500.00	
Special			Trex Grant	2,000.00	803.48
District Grant	1,000.00	1,000.00	YMCA Meals	750.00	800.00
Web Sponsors		700.00	Donations	4,900.00	
Total Revenues	\$ 43,900.00	\$ 20,421.22	Chester Music	1,000.00	
Net 26-27 Activity	Budget	Expense	EREY	700.00	
	28.00	\$ 7,074.12	Trex Operating	600.00	32.97
			Administrative		
Bank Account Balances as of October 5,2026			PO Box	300.00	
			Clubrunner		
8170 Operating	7,747.55		Raffle Winner	350.00	
Chester Music Series	8,477.90		Room	1,000.00	275.00
International	1,674.80		Meals	500.00	51.45
CD			PELS	250.00	
			Misc. Supplies	300.00	226.10
Total	\$ 17,900.25		Total Expenses	\$ 43,872.00	\$ 13,347.10
Note: Donations were made to Edgar May Dam Run (\$250), District Golf Tournament (\$600), and Ukraine Project (\$250)					