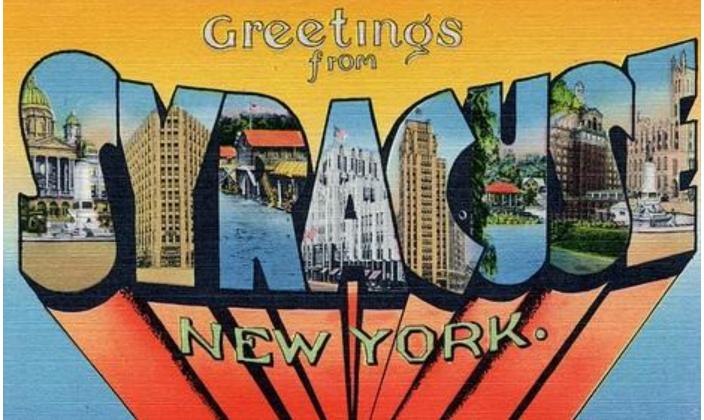
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General Membership Meeting August 7, 2018

A. Call to Order & Welcome

B. Reports

- 1. President
- 2. Secretary minutes of July meeting
- Treasurer
- 4. Introduce new members and/or guests
- 5. Programs
 - a. Arts & Crafts BBQ review
- 6. Membership
 - a. Sunshine
 - b. Outings
- 7. Special Events
 - a. Upcoming Events
- 8. Public Relations
- 9. Vice President
- C. Unfinished Business
- **D. New Business**
- **E.** Membership Announcements
- **F.** 50/50 drawings
- G. Adjournment

Volunteer Opportunities

Dunkin' Run ARC Race

Saturday, September 8th at Long Branch Park

Empire State Marathon

Sunday, October 14th at NBT Bank Stadium

Thank You USBC!

The bowlers of the United State Bowling Congress (USBC)
Open Championships may have packed up,
but they left a long-lasting impact on Syracuse!
The 107-day bowling tournament at the Oncenter brought close to 40,000 visitors and \$75 million to the region. The bowling tournament contracted with 11 local businesses, employed 115 locals and brought 60 USBC employees who relocated to Syracuse for several months during the tournament!

Thank you USBC for choosing Syracuse as a host city! We hope to see you again soon!

Minutes: General Membership Meeting of July 10, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 6:01pm by President Bill Cooper.

No corrections were noted to the June meeting minutes; a motion was made by Yvonne Russell, seconded by Dave Osborn, and the minutes were approved by the membership. Treasurer Ann Goehner reported balances as of Mayl 31st as Checking: \$ and Investment: \$. There were no guests or new members in attendance.

Under Programs, Ann updated everyone on the Arts & Crafts BBQ that will be on Friday, July 27th: supplies & food items are being gathered, items we still need to source, need to order portajohn and ice, Len Kolakowski will pick up the ice and offered to see if Costco has bulk quantities for salad, cabbage, salt potatoes. We'll use the kitchen at the Tasswood Bakery near Bill's house since it will work better logistically than the downtown church kitchen.

In Membership, no new Sunshine cards were sent this month. Meet Out/Eat Out locations are: Wednesday, July 18th at The Cook & The Chef and Tuesday, July 24th at Lock 24, both in Baldwinsville.

Special Events Director Diane Knowlton reported upcoming volunteer opportunities: Brew at the Zoo on Friday, August 3rd from 5:30 – 8pm, the Onondaga Cup & Lakefest on Saturday, July 14th at Willow Bay and the Dunkin' Run ARC Race on Saturday, September 8th, 7am – 2pm at Long Branch Park.

Break (6:24pm – 6:50pm)

There was nothing new to report under Public Relations,

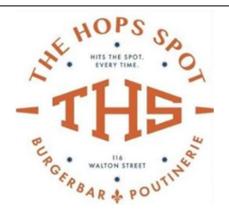
Vice President Don Goulet also had nothing to report.

Under Unfinished Business, Diane Knowlton checked out the Press Room Pub as a possible alternate meeting site. Parking is free in the lot next door for pub patrons. Under New Business, Bill Cooper reminded members that Board elections for President, Secretary, Special Events and Membership will be coming up in November. There were no Membership Announcements. There was no 50/50 drawing.

Motion to adjourn was made at 7:06pm by Don Goulet and seconded by Diane Knowlton.

Now Open: The Hops Spot

The Hops Spot celebrated its Grand Opening on Wednesday, August 1st at 116 Walton Street, the space most recently occupied by Aster Pantry & Parlor. The new spot, which first opened in Sackets Harbor, offers 42 taps of craft beer, plus a variety of burgers and poutine. The bar and restaurant plans to add a second bar and indoor gamer room by this fall.





Another successful Arts & Crafts BBQ was enjoyed by 100+ craft vendors

Thanks go out to Diane, Len, Marty, Tom, Yvonne, Dave, Ann plus family & friends!

| August | | | 1 | 2 | 3 Happy Hour- The Nest Tavern Rt.80, Tully | 4 |
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| 5 | 6 | General Membership Meeting San Miguel's 6pm | 8 | 9 Meet Out/ Eat Out | 10 Happy Hour- | 11 |
| 12 City Market | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 Happy Hour- ? Meet Out/ Eat Out | 18 |
| 19 | 20 Walk & Talk | 21 <u>No</u> Board Meeting | NYS Fair begins | 23 | 24 Happy Hour- | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | Meet Out/ Eat Out | 29 | 30 | 31 Happy Hour- | Sept 1st |

Meet Out / Eat Out

Waterfront Tavern

6 US Rt. 11, Central Square

Thursday, August 9th at 6pm

Larkin's Family Restaurant

67 State Street, Phoenix

Friday, August 17th at 6pm

Kelley's Restaurant

5076 Velasko Road, Syracuse

Tuesday, August 28th at 6pm

Wish for good weather so that we can eat outside!!!

Call Diane at 426-2880 for reservations by noon 2 days before

Monday, August 20, meet at 5:30 for a walk in Camillus Park,
1 Pool Road, Camillus.
Walk the trails, use the new adult outdoor exercise equipment that doesn't use weights.

Call Diane at 315-426-2880 so she can know who to look for and we can eat later if you want.

