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International Conventions & Club Service

Club Calendar & Speaker Assignments

July 7 Bruce Bertholon
 14 Lorraine Keener
 21 Jon Jamieson - Dave Mount, Burlington Rotary member and perennial participant in Honduras "build a school project".
 28 Carol Hosford- Rep. Tony Klein -future of energy in Vt. He is chair of the Natural Resources Committee.

Editor's Note: Please inform Wini (496-6710) of the name of your speaker at least 2 weeks in advance. If you can't get a speaker for that date, please try to trade with another person on the list.

The Changeover Party at Hogan's Pub drew a lively crowd of 82 members and their wives. Entertainment was provided by the Anthony Santor Jazz Duo, the weatherman donated a cool pleasant evening, Hogan's Pub went all out with a buffet of delicious hot and cold hors d'oeuvres and the bartenders were busy serving drinks. There were so many people talking at once that they almost drowned out the music.

Both the outgoing presidents kept their speeches short and sweet.

Dave was happy to say a that our club membership increased with nine new members but was saddened that four members passed away during his watch.

He thanked the BOD for all their help and the members who ran the fundraisers last year and Jack Miner for bringing in so many of the new members and then turned over the gavel to Audrey. (Dave's entire speech is contained in his e-mail of 6/30/10).

Audrey: Many thanks to David (Dave Koepele) for his leadership of the MRVRC this past year. He exhibited smooth stewardship along with diligence to detail. Thank you Dave for handing over to me a club that is strong, growing and energetic with community service.

Goals: Most incoming presidents have goals they wish to accomplish during their term in office. My main goal is to build on the foundation that I have been given and then when it is my turn to hand the gavel to Lorraine that our club is still strong, growing and energetic with community service.

Audrey received the tiara, and Dave was given presents (a plaque with a gavel and a box containing toy trucks and tractors). Kathy Koepele got a potted plant.

Ken Friedman made a plea for all the members to help out with the Chili Challenge during and after the parade on the 4th of July.

THE FOUR WAY TEST

of the things we think, say or do:

- 1) Is it the Truth?
- 2) Is it Fair to All Concerned?
- 3) Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
- 4) Will it be Beneficial to All Concerned?

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