

## April 4, 1990 meeting

President-Elect Joe welcomed all members to the meeting. He gave an outstanding introduction to our only visitor, Cuddy Cohen of the Portland Club. As you all know, Cuddy is a regular visitor and we are glad to have him join us for our meeting.

Andy Mezoain led us in song this week. We sang with the Rotary spirit: the song Rotary's A Grand Old Name. It's been over 5 years since Andy has been maestro and all will agree, he did a marvelous job. Thanks, Andy.

Raffle was a 50/50 this week. Conducted by Bill Kourakos the lucky winner was Tony Wagner. It has been requested that members refer to their "schedules of duties" for your next turn for the raffle. There have been too many 50/50's. If your not sure of when your due, contact Mike McGovern.

Many happy dollars were given so we had no fines. Bryce Johnston celebrated a birthday on April 2nd. Jack Roberts is celebrating 19 years of marriage. He's so happy, he paid a dollar. Congrats, to you both.

Bill Kourakos spoke about the updated directories. Those of you who attended the meeting received your copy. If you need a booklet, let Bill know. Bill will be distributing the remainder at the upcoming meetings. See Bill for yours.

President Jack read a thank-you note from South Portland High School for our sponsoring Girl and Boy State. This year's participants are Robing Thayer and Tim Wood.

President-Elect Joe spoke on the "committee questionnaire". Anyone interested in being chairperson for a committee for 1990-1991 please complete the questionnaire or give Joe a call.

## Upcoming Events:

May 19 - District Assembly - Holiday Inn Portland. Recommended for all incoming officers and new members but all are invited to attend. See Joe Conroy.

June 14 - 17 -- District Conference at the BALSAMS. Registration forms are available with Joe Conroy. Deadline to register is May 4th. Sign up early. Last time to be held at the BALSAMS.

Dan Davidson thanked the five members for the nominations for outstanding citizen. On the Resource List, David Kane has put together a revised list which will be sent to both schools when completed.

BOARD MEETING on April 11th after the meeting.

Paul Butler introduced Nick Pappas as our speaker. He spoke on his classification. (Nick's speaker cancelled earlier that day.)

Nick kept his talk shore and "sweet". Being a stockbroker, Nick has seen many changes occur in the market. He has seen deregulation make alot of those changes. Stockbrokers are human and can make mistakes. Not their normal practice but it happens. Some clients are at the mercy of thier stockbroker; they're usually unaware of what their portfolio consist of.

Questions were asked but without giving "free Advice", Nick kept his answers on the line. Thanks, Nick.

Bob Levasseur is going to Quebec with the students from South Portland \* Cape Elizabeth High School this weekend. He's been informed 29 of the 30 students are girls. Hope you have a great time!!!!!!!



## **April 11, 1990 meeting**

### **Housekeeping Items:**

We had three guests with us this week. Gus Karlsen (Lewiston / Auburn club), Jim LaBrie (district governor), and Professor Paulo Lopo Sarvaira (member of Rotary from Brasil).

Nick Pappas led us in song; a rousing rendition of "Smile".

### **Club Announcements :**

All new members who do not have a directory call Bill Kourakos. For members who have a directory there are replacement pages and updates that can be picked up on a meeting night.

Bob Lavoisier completed his trip to Quebec with local students. 15 Cape Elizabeth students and 7 from South Portland made the trip. They had a very good time and were hosted well in Canada. The reciprocal trip will be May 17 - 19. While in Quebec the students spoke French; while here they will speak English.

Mike McGovern reported on the trip to the Wellsley club. They had a very good time. Nine members went along. Thanks were directed to Chris Newell for organizing the trip. Chris and Bob Lavoisier were the volunteer drivers.

The club received a thank you note from the W.E.T. team for our donation to their organization.

June 2 -3 will be the softball tournament for the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children. (get your arms in shape).

Warren Simpson will host next week's program. The speaker will be from the Archangel program that went to Russia.

Dan Mooers introduced District Governor Jim LaBrie who presented the club with an award from Rotary International. The 10,000% Rotary Foundation Award was presented as recognition of our club's support of the

Rotary Foundation projects. We were the only club in district 779 to receive this award.

### **Upcoming Duties:**

April 18th

Program - Warren Simpson  
Raffle - Day  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

April 25th

Program - Dan Gacetta  
Raffle - Drivas  
Sgt. at Arms - Dube

### **Student Speakers :**

Students Ethan Sanford and Kristen Bigos from Cape Elizabeth spoke to us this evening.

Ethan is active in a number of sports at Cape including swimming, indoor track, and lacrosse. He is interested in attending either The University of Massachusetts or the University of California at Berkley to major in Psychology before entering a career in business. Ethan biked across America last year for the American Lung Association. He raised nearly \$6,000 dollars himself while the trek raised over \$2,000,000. Rotary clubs across the country hosted the bikers for meals.

Kristen is an active participant in field hockey and softball at Cape. She is also co-chair of the graduation committee. Kristen will be attending Union College in the fall. This year graduation will be held outdoors. It is tentatively scheduled for 4:00 with a reception and dinner afterwards. This will be followed by a trip to the Merrymeeting Club in Brunswick. (note the traditional breakfast which we sponsor the day after graduation may be replaced by the dinner the night of graduation students have not decided the logistics as of yet)

### **Speaker :**

We were privileged to have a member of Rotary as our speaker tonight. Professor Paulo Lopo Sarvaira from Brasil was our speaker. He spoke to us in Portuguese and

the translation was one for us by Andy Chadbourne from Sanford. (Andy is from Sanford, is a member of Partners of America, and attended the University of Brasil) Professor Sarvaira is a guest for the next few years at the University of Maine and the University of Southern Maine lecturing in Political Science and Government.

The discussion this evening was on the new government in Brasil. The new president of Brasil is faced with many problems. Rotarians in Brasil are playing a large role in helping with the human conditions. The relationships between Brasil and the United States are very important and Professor Sarvaira's trip here is to help bolster relationships and understanding of the problems in Brasil. They are working very hard to resist communism in Brasil and recent events in eastern Europe have helped this cause. Communists in South and Central America have been quieted by the decline of communism in Europe. Professor Sarvaira's province in Brasil is a sister state with the State of Maine.

#### **Upcoming Events :**

April 26th Trip to the Old Town Club

May attendance competition with the South Portland Mall Club.

May 17 - 19 students from Quebec visit.

May 19th District Assembly in Portland, Maine - Inn by the Bay.

May 30th Kid's Night

June 2-3 softball tournament

June 2 Schooner Fare concert

June 11 SPHS Scholarship night

June 14 - 17 District Conference at the Balsams in New Hampshire

June 16 Family Fun Day (fried dough sale)

June - Portland Head Light restoration

June 23 - Bug Light dedication

June 24 -27 Rotary International Convention  
Portland, Oregon

## **April 18, 1990 meeting**

### **Housekeeping Items:**

We did not have any guests with us for the April 18th meeting.

Tony Wagner led us in "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" in honor of the opening up of the major league season.

Warren Simpson was presented his 28 year perfect attendance pin by Bob Carson.

### **Upcoming Birthdays :**

April 15 Bob Bogosian  
April 19 Paul Harris  
April 29 The dick Kilroys  
May 9 The Giftoses  
May 14 Bill York  
May 14 The Days  
May 20 The Gemmes  
May 24 The Smiths  
May 24 Steve Etzel  
May 31 Tim Thompson

### **Club Announcements :**

Shirley Mooers contributed the following item : "The women of Rotary will put on their annual fashion show on May 11th at 12 noon. The location will be the Sheraton Tara in South Portland. The tickets are \$14.00. Call Shirley Mooers for tickets (day number 773-2101 or evening number 799-7290). Join us for a fun lunch."

From the Director of Club Services - Since January we have witnessed a noticeable drop off in members remembering to donate raffle prizes. Every time a prize is forgotten, our Rotary Club in effect donates the prize through a 50/50 drawing. No one has spoken up at a Club Forum to suggest that we should not continue to individually donate prizes. Let's keep the donation tradition going! If your last name begins with letters "S" through "H", you have responsibility for a prize during this six month period. If you missed your turn, it is not too late to bring in a prize. Between now and July 1, members alphabetically from Drivas to Hitchcock are the designated donors. If you fall within this

group, please bring your prize early if you can so that we can stockpile a few weeks ahead. If you have concerns with the raffle donation procedure, please see any member of the Board. Thank you for your cooperation.

Late September will be the time for the District 778 Fellowship Conference. Plans are underway for Softball, a Road Race, a Bicycle Tour, Golf and a trip to the Seashore Trolley Museum. Other activities will include tennis, racquet ball, chess, backgammon, bridge, cribbage, and a boat tour of Casco Bay. Volunteers are needed by Doug Stewart to help organize various of these events. Please contact Doug Stewart at 774-5961 days and 767-2351 evenings if you have an interest in helping.

Bob Bogosian announced that the attendance competition with the South Portland Maine Mall club is all set. The clubs will be split into teams by lottery and details will be provided. Prizes for the winning teams will be announced shortly.

Sam Giftos read from a letter received from the Rotary International Secretariat. Rotary International is the first service club association to establish a club in the Soviet Union. This was done only after guarantees were obtained from the Soviet government that the Soviet clubs could meet all of the obligations of a Rotary International member club (i.e. contribute to the R.I. causes, etc.). Many other Soviet cities are interested in starting their own clubs as well. Rotary is truly "International"!!

### **Upcoming Duties:**

April 25th

Program - Russell  
Raffle - Drivas  
Sgt. at Arms - Dube

May 2nd

Program - Kane  
Raffle - Dube  
Sgt. at Arms - Kane



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May 9th

Program - Levasseur  
Raffle - Etzel  
Sgt. at Arms - Stanton

May 16th

Program - Yerxa  
Raffle - Flynn  
Sgt. at Arms - Bagdasarian

May 23rd

Program - Wagner  
Raffle - Gaceta  
Sgt. at Arms - Flynn

May 30th

Program - Kid's Night  
Raffle - Gemme  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

Speaker :



We were joined by our speaker for the evening Reverend Fred Lipp of the 1st Parish Unitarian Universalist Church of Portland. Reverend Lipp was born in Massachusetts, attended the College of Wooster in Ohio, and attended Chicago University School of Divinity. He has a son who is a sophomore at the University of Southern Maine Law School and a daughter who is a sophomore at Bowdoin.

Reverend Lipp was one of a group of people who visited Portland's city sister in the Soviet Union "Archangel". Archangel has been city closed to western foreigners for 45 years. It is a city of 400,000 located 400 miles north of Moscow on the White Sea. It is a seaport city with a long history of fishing and nautical events. Reverend Lipp wanted to represent Maine and the United States well. He chose as his gifts to the Soviet people a book called Rumphious, written by a Maine author. His most memorable story was the attending of church with the chief of police. This was

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## April 16, 1990 meeting

### Housekeeping Items:

We had two guests with us this week Dietre and Marguerite Schnauck (father and daughter) Rotarians from the Portland club.

Nick Pappas led us in song this week with the first verse from "The Battle Hymn of the Republic".

Don Day won this weeks raffle a set of Saki drinking glasses donated by Peter Drivas.

Happy dollars this week included :

- Joe Conroy - Wonderful trip to Nassau with his wife and daughter. Nice to have an eighteen year old who enjoyed being with her parents in the sun. A second dollar for the two fruit treats one from the hotel and one from our own Phil Dube.
- Dan Davidson - Happy he doesn't live in Washington D.C. anymore and happy he never lived in Houston (places he had to be on business recently).
- Dan Mooers - For the hard work Bill Kourakos is doing on the District Assembly.
- Jack Roberts for Bill Kourakos filling in at last weeks meeting.
- Bill Kourakos - Joe is back and that means we have guests once again.

### Upcoming Birthdays :

April 29 The dick Kilroys  
May 9 The Giftoses  
May 14 Bill York  
May 14 The Days  
May 20 The Gemmes  
May 24 The Smiths  
May 24 Steve Etzel  
May 31 Tim Thompson

## Club Announcements :

We are still looking for host families for an exchange student from Belgium next year. It is a 99% possibility that it will be a female student. It is optional whether you have a teenage girl in the house or not.

Jack Roberts read the announcement that our own Bob Carson has been nominated to the post of Secretary for District 778. Good luck Bob!

Please let President Jack know if you are planning to attend the Seabrook / Hampton Falls charter night activities.

Bob Bogosian announced that the attendance competition with the South Portland Maine Mall club starts next week May 2nd and runs for 5 consecutive weeks. Please attend all meetings or get your makeups in to Bob Carson as soon as possible so attendance records can be kept up to date and accurate for the contest. Teams and prizes will be announced at the May 2nd meeting.

Bob Flynn gave us specifics on the Schooner Fare concert we are sponsoring on June 2nd. Each club member will be expected to sell 10 tickets. Each ticket is currently \$10. Bob is checking on whether there will be special prices for children. Anyone with a business please take a poster to display and anyone who can sell more tickets please contact Bob. Money will be collected at the end of May. Bob is trying to get Ben and Jerry's to donate ice cream bars for the concession. We will probably sell sodas and other stuff. The concert is from 8:00 until 10:00. We have a total of 500 tickets to sell.

Fred Jansen will be heading up our delegation for Family Fun Day activities.

### Upcoming Duties:

May 2nd

Program - Kane  
Raffle - Dube  
Sgt. at Arms - Kane

May 9th



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May 16th

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Sgt. at Arms - Bagdasarian

May 23rd

Program - Wagner  
Raffle - Geceta  
Sgt. at Arms - Flynn

May 30th

Program - Kid's Night  
Raffle - Gemme  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

**Speaker :**

Our own Harry Russell handled tonight's program. Harry works for the Portland Pipeline Corporation. A twenty minute video about Portland Pipeline's operation of unloading oil in Portland and piping it to Montreal for refining proved very informative and reinforced the pipelines exemplary record in reducing the chances of oil spills and contamination in our environment.

It was interesting to see the series of eight pump stations set up enroute to Montreal to boost the pumping flow especially over the high terrain of 1900 feet above sea level in Vermont. It was also interesting to note that one of their lines is currently leased to bring natural gas back from Canada.

Ted Hendricks (Director of Operations at Portland Pipeline Corporation) assisted Harry with the presentation and taking questions afterwards.

**Upcoming Events :**

May attendance competition with the South Portland Mall Club.



## May 2nd, 1990 meeting

### Housekeeping Items:

We had six guests with us this week. Alex (from the Scarborough club), Gus (from the Auburn club), Bob (from the Portland club), and three of Tony Wagner's co-workers.

Dave Bagdasarian won this week's raffle a \$25 dollar gift certificate to L. L. Bean donated by Phil Dube.

Happy dollars this week included :

- Dan Davidson - This weeks student speakers were impressive. Especially with one planning to attend his undergraduate school in the fall and the other his post graduate school.
- Nick Pappas - great lamb dinner at Easter.
- Jackie Critchley - Had a great vacation last week.
- Alex Cote - Happy that the guest students both were very involved in music which he taught for a number of years.
- Bill York - Rangers were in the playoffs (even though dispatched quickly), Tony needs to donate \$3 for advertising when introducing his guests, Bob needs to donate \$2 for the pictures being circulated, and a dollar to "raze" the Portland club member about the wonderful lasagna and red cabbage meal he got there a few months back.
- Frank Gemme - To thank Vance Huntley for being there at Shop and Save to fill the milk rack from in back.

### Upcoming Birthdays :

May 9 The Giftoses  
May 14 Bill York  
May 14 The Days  
May 20 The Gemmes  
May 24 The Smiths  
May 24 Steve Etzel  
May 31 Tim Thompson

### Club Announcements :

**All members of the Vocational Services Committee should plan to get together briefly after the May 9th meeting. Nominees for the citizen awards will be selected. Let Dan Davidson know if you can not attend.**

We are still looking for host families for an exchange student from Belgium next year. This will be starting in August of 1990 and continuing through the school year June 1991.

Harry Russell - Still need some help for the District Assembly coming up on May 19th in Portland. Need people to help at registration and a variety of other tasks.

Bill Kourakos - Reiterated Harry's thoughts. Over 200 people signed up so far for the assembly. Four or five people are needed to help out.

Mike McGovern - Tonight is the first night of the attendance contest. Make sure you get to all the meetings in May or make them up. Teams have not been assigned yet but should be available soon. Also, the program for kid's night on May 30th will be a member of the fire department to speak on safety in the home - a truck will be available for the kids to see and examine as well.

Schooner Fare concert tickets were distributed at the registration table tonight. Make sure you pick yours up to sell. They are \$10 each and will benefit the Special Olympics program.

Chris Newell - The Old Town trip was interesting and fun (we were referred to as the outlaws from the south). Glad we do happy dollars and not fines, one Old Town member was fined \$31 for it being his 31st wedding anniversary.

Deadline for signing up for the Balsams meeting was May 4th.

Dan Davidson - Suggested that those playing softball this year ought to start loosening arms before any games

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Sgt. at Arms - Stanton

May 16th

Program - Yerxa  
Raffle - Flynn  
Sgt. at Arms - Bagdasarian

May 23rd

Program - Wegner  
Raffle - Gecetta  
Sgt. at Arms - Flynn

May 30th

Program - Kid's Night  
Raffle - Gemme  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

Student Guests :

Alec introduced Kelly Merrill from South Portland High School. Kelly still goes to South Portland even though her family recently moved to Gray. Kelly is Vice President of SADD in her school, plays on the varsity soccer team, was 12th in the state in this year's national Spanish exams, is an accomplished musician.

Kelly plans to attend American University in Washington D.C. in the fall and study international relations and music. She feels South Portland High School has been very good for her and her development both in music and as an individual.

Frank introduced Vance Huntley a senior at South Portland who will be attending Cornell University in the fall studying mechanical engineering. Vance is a trumpet player, is involved with SADD, is Vice President of National Honor Society, winner of the Maine citizenship and scholarship award, and ranks 7th in his class.

## May 9th, 1990 meeting

### Housekeeping Items:

We had one guest with us this week Alex Cote from the Scarborough club.

Mick Maher conducted this week's raffle. It was won by Dan Mooers. The prize was a step ladder donated by Steve Etzel.

Happy dollars this week included :

- Bob Bogosian - He was negotiating a contract with a client from England and at the conclusion the client said "I did this because you were a Rotarian".

- Dan Mooers - Even the folks in Old Town couldn't get the club name right **SOUTH PORTLAND** & Cape Elizabeth Rotary club. All the Cape guys at Old Town should owe a dollar.

Mike McGovern - A dollar to defend the C.E. in S.P. & C.E. Rotary Club.

Chris Newell - Matched Mike's dollar.

Jack Roberts - Need more South Portland members. He'll give a dollar for each new one somebody brings in.

- Alex Cote - Celebrating 78th birthday next week.

- Len King (3) - 1st his boat is in the water. 2nd he was glad to see the Governor elect set the pace of sweaters for the meeting. 3rd his last child graduates from U of M on Saturday.

- Bob Flynn - Fred Jansen stopped twice to buy lemonade from his daughter's stand out front (now he can make the mortgage payment?).

- Bill Kourakos - The District Assembly on the 19th has nearly 300

people in attendance (by far the best in memory).

- Tim Thompson - Proud of Rotary group in Scotland's efforts in the Pan Am crash and subsequent actions. Shows that Rotary International is a truly fine group which lives up to its purpose.

- Bill York - Knicks beat the Celtics.

- Dan Davidson - For all the "whimps" who showed up for softball in the rain last weekend (Dan was lonesome!).

### Upcoming Birthdays :

May 20 The Gemmes

May 24 The Smiths

May 24 Steve Etzel

May 31 Tim Thompson

### Club Announcements :

Schooner Fare concert tickets need to be sold by May 23rd and money turned in to either Bob Flynn, Bryce Johnson, or Don Day by that date. Please do not return any tickets. About 50 reduced price children's tickets will be available at the door.

Bob Bogosian - Lloyd Reynolds of the South Portland Maine Mall club neglected to tell his group about the attendance contest. We will be re-scheduling it for June (Please keep your attendance up for May since our average for April was an abismal 80%).

Dan Mooers - The District Assembly registration is incredible! We need help with registration and at noon time on the 19th. Please let Bill Kourakos know if you can help. Also at the Fellowship Contest on September 29th Joan Benoit Samuelson has agreed to participate in our 10k road race. She will be honored at the Saturday night banquet.

Jack Roberts - The Pine Tree for Crippled Children softball tournament will be June 3rd. And we have another game scheduled for June 23rd to play the Portland club. There will be a



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board meeting next Wednesday at Jack's after the regular meeting.

Upcoming Duties:

May 16th

Program - Yerra -

Speaker will be Andy Cuzack from Beech Ridge Speedway

Raffle - Flynn  
Sgt. at Arms - Bagdasarian

May 23rd

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May 30th

Program - Kid's Night  
Raffle - Gemme  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

Speaker :

Bob Lavasseur introduced Claire Chase, Devis Peary, and Becky Kim who gave us a fine account of the recent trip to Quebec for local students sponsored by our club.

Claire who teaches French at South Portland High School thanked the club for the opportunity to have the high school students actively use their French. This added another dimension to the exchange programs conducted both in South Portland and Cape Elizabeth. The trips to France are limited in the number of students who can go or afford to go: while this trip to Quebec opened opportunities to a wider student audience. Claire then showed a video of parts of the trip to Quebec.

Becky was a student on the trip. She also thanked the club for the opportunity and talked about her own experiences with the kids from Canada. She felt the best part was that the Canadian kids had prepared posters with their likes and interests on them and the American kids got to choose their counterpart based on

these criteria. Becky said the e be better if kids were given some correspond with their host family time to get to know them a bit but really did not have enough time the adults of the family.

David who teaches French at C also thanked the club for the opportunity provided the students. In a follow up Devis said the students would do it again and he hopes the club consider this as an annual event. The fee for the students allowed a wide kids the opportunity to use their noted the same drawbacks that suggested three days might be with a partial day in the school student counterparts.

Everyone is preparing for the meeting by the Canadian students to meet the weekend of May 19th. It will be a Rotary weekend

Upcoming Events :

May attendance competition with Portland Mall Club.

May 19th District Assembly in Maine - Inn by the Bay.

June 2nd Schooner Fare Concert Junior High in South Portland.

June 14 - 17 District Conference Balsams in New Hampshire

June 24 - 27 Rotary International Portland, Oregon

## May 16th, 1990 meeting

### Housekeeping Items:

We had four guests this week. Bonnie Lord from the South Portland Maine Mall club, Marguerite and Dietre Schnauk from the Portland club and John Croteau from the Portland club.

Bill Stanton conducted this weeks raffle and Dick Xerxa won a power flush of his radiator plus anti-freeze donated by Don Day.

Happy dollars this week included :

- Dick Xerxa for winning the raffle
- Bob Bogosian (3) his son won two scholarships and passed his EMT test this past week
- Tim Thompson his neighbor Bob Bogosian should be a happier neighbor with all his good news
- Dick (\$9) for his 9th grandchild being born this week

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Dan Davidson needs nominations for a non-Rotarian from South Portland for the Vocational Services award. The other three categories have been filled. This needs to be done quickly so get those names to Dan as soon as possible.

Frank Gemme has the raffle on Kids Night and would like several prizes donated along

with his so that several kids can win at the raffle. Lets pitch in on this.

Letter from Robin Thayer thanking the club for our sponsorship of Boys and Girls State representatives.

Fred Jansen reminded members of Family Fun Day activities. We will be selling fried dough all day Saturday the 16th of June. Set up will be the night before after 7:00 and cleanup will be Sunday morning. See Fred for more info.

### Upcoming Duties:

May 23rd

Program - Wagner

**Speaker will be John Preston Executive Director for the AIDS Project of Portland.**

Raffle - Gacetta  
Sgt. at Arms - Flynn

May 30th

Program - Kid's Night  
Raffle - Gemme  
Sgt. at Arms - O'Neil

### Speaker :

Dick Xerxa introduced Andy Cuzack Vice President for operations at Beech Ridge Speedway.

Andy gave us a brief introduction to auto racing. Its inception was the day they built the second car and raced it against the first to compare them. Since then it has become the second most attended sport in the United States ranked second behind baseball. Last year 89.5 million people attended auto races.

Beech Ridge saw attendance reach 106,000 people last year while tracks nationally averaged 78,000. The main reason people go to the races is for entertainment. Comments from Beech Ridge spectators is that is one of



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the few family entertainment options available on Saturdays in the summer.

The demographics of the audience has changed over the years from predominantly male to 50 / 50 male and female over the last 3-5 years. Because of this shift big companies are now using it as a promotional vehicle. The largest sponsor last year was Proctor and Gamble's "Tide".

Along with entertainment auto racing has provided society with several benefits including; fire retardant clothing, helmet development, and gas efficiency improvements (among others).

Beech Ridge has done a lot of analysis of its spectators and demographics. Andy passed along these tips for businessmen 1) esthetics are everything 2) average attention span is about 45 minutes 3) being on time is important 4) you must elevate your product into the top 7 of the competitors to maintain brand awareness.

Andy concluded by giving us all a flyer about Beech Ridge and a free pass to take in a race.

**Upcoming Events :**

June 2nd Schooner Fare Concert at Mahoney Junior High in South Portland.

June 3rd Softball Tournament for Pine Tree Crippled Children.

June 16th Family Fun Day at Fort Williams.

June 14 - 17 District Conference at the Belsams in New Hampshire

June 24 -27 Rotary International Convention Portland, Oregon

## June 6th, 1990 meeting

### Housekeeping Items:

We had four guests with us this week. Charlie Bartlett and Scott Carlyle (from the Portland club), Eric Purvis (from the Biddeford club), and Tom Antonio (a friend of Bob Lavasseur's). Welcome to all!

Bob Flynn conducted this week's raffle for a \$25 gift Certificate to the Snow Squall donated by Sam Giftos. John Connell was the winner.

Joe Conroy led us in song with "Take Me Out to the Ball Game".

Happy dollars this week included :

- Bill York - Stump Merrill was made manager of the New York Yankees and Bill had a unique experience visiting Donald Trump's Taj Mahal in Atlantic City.
- Bob Flynn - Bill's beaded dress ?
- Fred Jansen - Bob Bogosian's rebel yell on the early morning radio show.
- Bob Bogosian - Story of the yell (his wife made him do it!!)
- Jack Hansen - A wonderful week in Aruba - Daughter made manager of the a Freeport Design store.
- Jack Roberts - Softball team victory.
- Tim Thompson - Super Schooner Fare concert.
- Frank Gemme - Son graduated Sunday and he helped on the pancake breakfast for the class. (He had to run all over town for the pancake mix after being led astray??? on information that stores had plenty of surplus out back - Bob is that true ??)
- Sam Giftos - Sam's grand daughter graduated and is going on to school at St. Andrews in Scotland next year.

### Upcoming Birthdays :

June 11 Bob Flynn  
June 12 the Thompsons  
June 19 the Yorks  
June 21 the Wm Kilroys  
June 30 Dan Davidson

### Club Announcements :

#### Board of Directors meeting of June 6th.

**NOTICE :** The board has proposed raising dues in the coming year to \$130 from the current \$120. This would be effective July 1, 1990. Members will be asked to ratify this proposal at the June 27th meeting. Copies of the 1990 - 1991 budget are available from Joe Conroy.

Bob Flynn mentioned that the Schooner Fare concert was a success and reminded members that any outstanding ticket money should be turned in as soon as possible so that the finances for the concert can be finished.

Jack Roberts again thanked those club members who played in the softball game and noted that we had donated \$500 to the Pine Tree Crippled Children group. Upcoming softball games will be on June 17th and 24th with the Portland club.

Fred Jansen - Please sign up to help at Family Fun Day. We need several coolers for the day to hold dough.

### Upcoming Duties:

June 13th

Program - Bagdasarian

**Martin Kadel from the Boy Scouts of America will be the speaker.**

Raffle - Hansen  
Sgt. at Arms - Kane

June 20th



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Program - Bogosian  
Raffle - Hennesey  
Sgt. at Arms - Stanton

June 27th

Program - Club Assembly  
Raffle - Hitchcock  
Sgt. at Arms - Bagdasarian

**Student Guests :**

Bill York introduced our student guests.

Chris Carlyle (son of Scott) is a senior at Cape Elizabeth High School. Chris played lacrosse and basketball for Cape. He finished 9th in the recent State Spanish Exam. Chris was on the Cape lacrosse team that won the state title this spring and was named MVP. He also was named best defenseman in the state. Chris recounted that although he went away to school to repeat his sophomore year he was really glad to come back to Cape to finish out his career. He will be graduating next week and going on to UNH where he hopes to specialize in English and nutrition.

Sally Grimald also a senior at Cape Elizabeth has played field hockey for four years, basketball for three years, and track for one. She has been actively involved in coaching little kids in sports and will be attending Leslie College in Massachusetts next year to focus on a teaching career. Sally is the third co-chair of the Cape graduation committee and reminded us that graduation is the 15th (hopefully) at the Fort, followed by a barbecue, and the "chem" free party at Merrymeeting Bay Club in Brunswick.

**Speaker :**

Dick Kilroy introduced this week's speaker Birger Johnson. Birger is a graduate of Colgate University and Union Theological Seminary. He is a Congregational Minister and most recently held the post of Chaplin (15 years) at the Maine Youth Center. Birger is a candidate for State Senate.

Birger gave an interesting discussion of the events which have challenged him and shaped



## MEETING OF JUNE 20, 1990

### MOOERS AMONG SELECT FEW

Incoming District 778 Governor Dan Mooers was awarded the Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service this past week at the District Conference. This award can only be given to one person in a given district each year, and only 25 to 50 are given worldwide.

Congratulations from all of us Dan.

### ROYER RECOGNIZED BY NORTHERN UTILITIES

Mike Royer was recently recognized for his community service for coming to the aid of Cape policeman, Nick Williams. A tip of the hat to Mike.

### COMMUNITY THEATER SUPPORTED

Joe Thomas and Kitty Root of the Portland Players Community Theater were presented a check for \$500 by President Jack on behalf of the club. Joe and Kitty expressed their sincere thanks for the on-going support demonstrated by the Rotary Club.

### PLENTY OF DOUGH FROM FRIED DOUGH

In excess of \$1,500 was earned on Family Fun Day making it the most successful yet. Kudo's to Fred Jansen and Jack Hanson who headed up the project.

Thanks to all who helped.

### PRESIDENTIAL CITATION

President Jack say's thanks to all the members of the club for their help in garnering this award at the District Conference. S.P.- C.E. was ranked as one of the top five clubs in the district. The board accepted the challenge last July and we met it.

### JUNE 27 - CLUB FORUM

Final meeting for President Jack. There will be no meeting on July 4.

Induction of Club Officers & Directors for 1990-91.

### VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Dan Davidson asks that members of the 1990-91 Vocational Service Committee meet with him briefly after the June 27 meeting. Assignments will be made and discussed. Contact Dan if you can not attend.

### WE'VE STILL GOT IT!

Portland went down to defeat at the hands of a determined bunch of ballplayers from S.P.- C.E.. Second game to be re-scheduled.

### CAPE RESCUE

Dick Grotten gave an interesting presentation on the volunteer rescue service in Cape. Presentation listed the duties, hours and training necessary. Gail Butler given high praise. Paul should be real 'happy'.

### NEW MEMBERS ARE OUR LIFEblood

We are Rotarians because someone cared and was kind enough to want to share Rotary with us. Surely you are acquainted with at least one individual with whom you would like to share Rotary-someone who will be a real asset to our club.

### 25 YEARS YOUNG

Our Foundation's Group Study Exchange Program is having its Silver Anniversary. This year, there will be about 1600 men and women and their Rotarian team leaders exchanging visits between sponsoring RI districts. District 779 has sponsored such visits with France (2), England, and India in the past.

### WORKING WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

The Boy Scouts of America has targeted 1990-91 to focus on and work with community organizations. RI has encouraged all clubs to assist where possible.



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Bogolian, A Robert "Bob"	Rozella	Pharmaceutical
Bruzgo, Daniel "Dan"	Gail	Accounting, Co
Burdet, René	Kathi	Real Estate, I
*x Butler, Paul F	*Janet	Senior Active
*x Carson, Robert N Jr "Bob"	*Penny	Senior Active
Connell, John A	Barbara	Sporting Goods
Conroy, Joseph P "Joe"	Elizabeth	Education, Sec
Critchley, Jacqueline "Jackie"	Douglas	Banking, Comm
Davidson, Dan L	Edie	Public Relatio
Day, Donald L "Don"	Grace	Radiator. Auto
Drivas, Peter	Dolores	Senior Active
Dube, Philip A "Phil"	Claudette	Senior Active
Etzel, Stephen "Steve"	Bethany	Banking, Appra
Flynn, Robert "Bob"	Michele	Computer:
S*# Gacetta, Daniel J "Dan"		Senior Active
Gemme, Frank E	Lynne	Communications
+*x Giftos, Sarando P "Sam"	*Hélène	Senior Active
Hansen, John	Sheila	Education, Adm
Hennessy, Thomas J III "Tom"	Rita	Real Estate, A
Hitchcock, David "Dave"		Real Estate, C
Hobbs, Jeffrey R "Jeff"	Sue	Funeral Direct
*x Holden, Richard B Jr "Dick"	Maureen	Senior Active
Janson, J Fred "Fred"	Bev	Add'l Active -
Johnston, Bryce R	Stacie	Banking, Savin
S* Jordan, Richard E "Dick"	Jane	Senior Active
Kane, David M "Dave"	Paula	Banking, Finan
S*x Kilroy, Richard F "Dick"	Mary	Senior Active
S*# Kilroy, William C "Bill"	Ann	Senior Active
King, Leonard "Len"	Carol	Benefit planni
x Knight, Lloyd R "Captain"	Ellen	Senior Active
* Kourakos, William "Bill"	Sophie	Senior Active
Levasseur, Robert C "Bob"		Paper, Technic
Livingston, Alec C	Susan	Insurance
Maher, Michael C "Mick"	Elizabeth	Engineering, E
McGovern, Michael K "Mike"		Government, To
Mezoian, Anthony P "Andy"	Becky	Senior Active
*x Mooers, Daniel W "Dan"	*Shirley	Law, Litigatio
Newell, Christopher C "Chris"	Chris	Medical Supply
Pappas, Nicholas "Nick"	Nickie	Senior Active
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Royer, Michael C "Mike"	Hilde	Accounting, Co
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# Smith, David E "Dave"	Naomi	Tax, Management
Stanton, William R "Bill"	Lucy	Senior Active -
*x Stewart, Douglas "Doug"	*Pamela	Public Utilitie
Thompson, Timothy "Tim"	Nancy	Insurance, Fin
* Wagner, Anton G "Tony"	*Sally	Specialty Chem
S* Yerxa, Richard J "Dick"	Priscilla	Senior Active -
*x York, William A "Bill"	Diane	Senior Active -

\* = Paul Harris Fellow    § = Paul Harris Multiple Contributor  
 x = Past President        + = Past District Governor

## **June 27th, 1990 meeting**

### **Housekeeping Items:**

We had four guests with us this week. Bill Small and Scott Carlyle (from the Portland club), Tom Antonio (a friend of Bob Lavasseur's), Andy Ellis (prospective member here with Jack Roberts. Welcome to all!

Dave Bagdasarian conducted this week's raffle a 50/50 Bob Flynn was the winner.

Mike McGovern led us in song with "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" to honor Jack Roberts as he leaves the office of president.

Happy dollars this week included :

- Paul Butler for Jack's compliment to Gail's work on the rescue team in the bulletin last week.
- Dan Davidson for the board's decision to suggest that coat and tie etiquette be waived for the summer meetings and members come casually dressed if they choose.
- Tony Wagner complimenting Jack Roberts on a very good year as President of the club.

### **Club Announcements :**

Jack Roberts introduced Debbie Manning from the Starlight Foundation of Maine. Debbie gave us feedback on the donation of \$500 dollars we made to the foundation several weeks back. The money was used for one of the terminally ill children that the foundation grants wishes to. A child in South Portland with a degenerative form of muscular dystrophy asked for a Nintendo game. The money was used to get him a television with remote control and the Nintendo. He was ecstatic! Debbie brought some pictures of the boy enjoying his game.

Jack Roberts formalized Dan's comment that the board has suggested we waive the coat and tie formality for the summer.

Jack read a letter of resignation from the club from Rene Burnett. The board accepted the letter with regrets.

Mike McGovern announced that we will man the fried dough booth at the Deering Oaks festival on July 27th and 29th (the Portland Players will have it the 28th). A sign up sheet was circulated for people to put in some time to help out.

Bob Flynn gave an informal report on the Schooner Fare concert. It cost approximately \$1900 to put the concert on and receipts to date are about \$3700 (10 members have yet to return ticket money). Bob hopes that we will be giving about \$2000 dollars to special olympics once the books are balanced.

**Joe Conroy submitted the board's budget recommendation for raising dues to \$130 for approval. Tony Wagner motioned to accept it and Dan Davidson seconded the motion. All members present approved the motion unanimously.**

**Four people have been proposed for membership in the South Portland - Cape Elizabeth Rotary club. They are :**

- **William Smith - (classification Investments Management) - William is branch manager for Legg - Mason**
- **Robert Packer - (classification Automotive Supplies - Wholesale) - Robert is owner of Arejay Automotive**
- **Joanne LeClair - (classification Pipeline - Human Resources) - Joanne is Asst. Human Resources Manager for Portland Pipeline Corporation**
- **Andy Ellis - (classification Sporting Goods - Finance) - Andy is Manager of Compensation for L.L. Bean**

**If any member has reasons why these people should not be considered for membership in the SPCE Rotary they should submit written objections to the Secretary or President of the club within the next ten days.**



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**NO MEETING ON**

**Speaker :**

Jack Roberts as his last  
the club members for the  
term of office. He also  
the committee chairmen  
hard work and commit  
event and service group  
throughout the year.

Joe Conroy as his first  
Jack Roberts with a pla  
thank Jack on behalf of  
Joe went on to reiterate  
coming year and capped  
new president's wish is  
previous year's success  
better year.

**Upcoming Events :**

July 27th and 29th Fried  
Oaks Festival.