

TWO LIGHTS



Bug Light
South Portland

South Portland — Cape Elizabeth Rotary Club
On the Maine coast



Portland Head Light
Cape Elizabeth

Wednesday 6:15 p.m. at Purpoodock Club, Spurwink Avenue, Cape Elizabeth

April 6, 1994

Flynn to Introduce

Bob Flynn will introduce a distinguished guest speaker. The speaker plans to present a program of approximately 20-30 minutes and will then be available for questions. This will follow a period of approximately fifteen minutes of song, happy dollars and announcements. Prior to that we will dine on delectable delights from the Purpoodock Club dining room served by Bea Foster. Come early to share Rotary fellowship, perhaps have liquid refreshment available from Diane and to recount your highlights of the Easter weekend. Bob was a late volunteer who has graciously agreed to invite a speaker on short notice. Let's hope an invitation is accepted by Wednesday night.

The following week is now being planned by Dan Gacetta. He has confirmed Joey Gamache, the champion boxer. More details next week.

Davidson Introduced

This is a tough week for your acting bulletin editor. Not only do I not know who the speakers will be for the next two weeks, I had to leave for a meeting prior to the speaker beginning this past week. Nonetheless, I can report that he enjoyed the haddock and was a good conversationalist at the dinner table. Reed Johnson is the export manager for SD Warren. He told us of the hemlocks stacked on Commercial Street. They will be on a slow boat to China in the next few months where they will be used for building construction. This is great for woodlot owners as there is not much demand for hemlock in Maine. It is also a good reminder for all us cityfolks of the importance of the wood industry.

Be a Friend

While wandering around the room, I sought out Rotary news for the bulletin. Dan Mooers was seen in the corner and was explaining the Rotary theme for 1994-1995. Rotary President Elect Bill Huntley has chosen, "Be a Friend." This certainly fits Rotary and gives us opportunities to honor the theme during the next Rotary year.

Introduced Elsewhere

Four of our members attended the Portland Rotary Club on March 25, 1994. Steve Kremer, Felix Nadeau, Jack Roberts and the acting bulletin editor heard from Jane Sheehan, Maine's Commissioner of Human Services. She said there is a critical need for families in this area to take in foster children. If you have ever thought of this possibility, now would be a good time to call the Maine Department of Human Services

Introducing Mike Bell

In our continuing series of meet the Rotarian, this week's interviewee is Mike Bell. Mike was born in Caribou and graduated from Caribou High School. He received a BA from Husson and an MBA from Thomas College. He also took executive training courses at Ann Arbor. Mike recently left Maine's largest electric utility after 14 years and is now seeking a new career in marketing and customer service. He is married to Ann Bell and they have two children, Lindsay, aged 12 and Kirsten who is 7. Ann is a dental hygienist in South Portland. Mike enjoys Clancy and Koontz novels and liked Follett's Pillars of the Earth. He likes to ski and golf and said that Sable Oaks is becoming a better course all the time. He is the incoming Director for Club Service.

Grant

The Board approved a grant this past week in the amount of \$250 to assist with a literacy program at the Maine Youth Center.

Duties

Invoker	Song	Gift	Seller
4/6			
Roberts	Bell	Mooers	Wagner
4/13			
Russell	Butler	Murphy	Winship
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ROTARY CLUB OF SACO BAY

P.O. BOX 778, SACO, MAINE 04072
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March 26, 1994

Robert Levasseur
9 Channel View Rd.

Cape Elizabeth, Me. 04107

Dear President Levasseur,

D.C. Dick Clark has given me permission to contact Rotary Clubs in Area IV and V with regard to a project that Saco Bay has undertaken.

Last September, Saco Bay voted to contact a Rotary Club in Iowa and find out if our club could provide items to help with the rebuilding of the devastated areas. After much communication back and forth, it was decided that if our club could fill a tractor trailer truck with building materials, this would be the greatest help to them.

Once the decision was made as to the best way to help, we had to find a tractor trailer rig. After many inquiries, and with assistance from the Mt. Pleasant Iowa Rotarians, the Wal-Mart Corporation contacted me on March 24th and said they would donate the vehicle and driver to deliver the materials to Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.

Our request to your club is threefold. First, if anyone in your club would have access to building materials (lumber, sheet rock, insulation, electrical, plumbing, etc.) that could be donated for the trip to Iowa, it would be greatly appreciated.

Second, if your club feels this is a worthwhile venture, and does not have access to building materials but would like to contribute, we can take monetary contributions and buy materials at a reduced rate.

Finally, we need people to help loan the truck on the two days it will be here. The truck will be set up in the Scarborough Wal-Mart parking lot on Friday, April 15th and Saturday, April 16th. We will be accepting donations from 11:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Friday and 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. on Saturday. If any member wishes to help, please inform them of these times. We will provide refreshments for the volunteers.

"You will never 'find' time for anything. If you want time you must make it."

—Charles Buxton



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Round One

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A Place to Stay

Last week we heard from Joe Foley on plans for the Ronald McDonald House on Brackett Street in Portland. Over two million dollars needs to be raised for construction and for an endowment. Contributions may be sent to the Stand By Me Foundation, Inc. P. O. Box 3298, Portland, ME 04104.

Recognition Awards

Please send any nominations for the Club's Service Above Self Awards to Bob Lindsay.

Returnees

It was good to see Tom Hennessy, Bill Kourakos, and Wayne Goodrich back after extended absences. Thank you to Tony Wagner and Bill York for constructing a ramp outside Tom's house.

Mark Your Calendars

Bill Smith is organizing a teacher appreciation luncheon for May 27, 1994, at South Portland High School. We will be sponsoring Fiddler on the Roof on June 16, 1994. Family Fun Day is June 18th and the District Conference is June 24-25 in Portsmouth. Also being planned is Project graduation and a special end of the season activity.

We Heard the Bell

One needs to admire any Rotarian who gets up to lead the singing. Mike Bell was quite understanding of some considerable razzing. Someone does need a program some week of an individual who can give all of us vocal lessons.

Sam Said It

Look for an upcoming profile of Sam Giftos. Sam was once the District Treasurer for 9 consecutive years. Upon leaving office he thanked the District indicating that he who serves most, profits best. He also said, "You will never know how much owe to Rotary."

Archie Griffin Said

Another story from Sam relates to Archie Griffin, the Heisman Trophy winner who once told Sam and other attendees at a Rotary Zone Institute of a ride with his wife in their car. He asked her how many important people she thought that there were in the world. She responded, "One less than you think."

Search and Rescue

President Bob announced that the Club had donated \$100 towards a project being organized by the Brunswick Rotary Club to install a searchlight on a search and rescue helicopter to be stationed at the Brunswick Naval Air Station.

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5/18

Stanton Flynn Schmidt Bell

Check the Backside

Look at the reverse side of this bulletin for important information on the Group Study Exchange team that is to visit us from India. Nancy Hawes is in charge in our Club. The dates listed are the responsibility of our Club and Portland.

Invocations Available

Thanks to Dan Davidson, sample invocations are now available from the Club Secretary. If you arrive and have forgotten that it was your turn or you wish a prepared invocation, see Bob Carson.



"Look Beyond Yourself" and serve—
as a Rotary Volunteer!



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GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE VISIT FROM INDIA
Sat., May 28 - Thurs., June 2, 1994

TEAM INFORMATION & VOLUNTEER FORM

All team members speak English, some better than others; most are vegetarians to some extent, do not use alcohol, and all enjoy tea several times a day. Interested in discussions of ideas-small businesses, job generation, community development, etc. Leisure time: movies, sports, public TV, etc. (May not be much interest in shopping).

Mr Vimal Raj Singhvi-Team leader: Managing Director, Chemical and Mineral Industries, Rotarian for 26 years, has traveled extensively worldwide, including 2 years in Ohio where he received a Master's degree in Industrial Engineering.

Dr (Mrs) Sunita Kumbhat-35: College associate professor in chemistry, graduate and post-graduate level. Has produced educational films for TV. Would like to visit USM dept of chemistry.

Mr Deepak Singh Gehlot-37: Marketing consultant, auto industry. Would like to associate with executive level business people involved in (a)international trade, and (b)advertising. Also interested in information about community development projects.

Miss Veenu Paliwal-23: MBA. Economics teacher. Would like to visit secondary schools and colleges to study teaching techniques. Also is interested in export businesses, quality control, marketing and advertising.

Mr Deepak Sanchety-29: B.E.-Civil Engineering, now in MBA course. Government tax official. Interested in financial institutions and law firms. Plays tennis.

I would be willing to host _____ in my home for the five nights of the visit.

I would be willing to host _____ in his/her field of interest for the (morning) (afternoon) of (Tues-May 31) (Wed-June 1) (Thurs AM-June 2).

I would be willing to escort a team member to their activity for the (morning) (afternoon) of (Mon-May 30) (Tues-May 31) (Wed-June 1).

I would be willing to go with the team to (a Memorial Day parade) (Sight-seeing). _____

I would be willing to take one of the team members to lunch. _____

I would be willing to help transfer the team to Norway, ME, Thursday afternoon. _____

Please call me if you need someone to fill in somewhere. _____

NAME: _____ PHONE: _____

Please give this form to Bill Judkins or call 767-1800. Thanks.



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Gacetta Introduces Gamache

Dan Gacetta had his customary fine annual program with the former lightweight champion Joey Gamache of Lewiston/Monmouth. Joey Gamache explained to us that he is just a regular guy although his demeanor and his presentation made that clear as well. He answered questions for an extended period and was happy to sign autographs until he ran out of photographs.

Upcoming Programs and Activities

On April 20, 1994, Laurenz Schmidt will give a classification talk. Laurenz is the managing director of National Semiconductor in South Portland.

On April 27, 1994, Sam Giftos will introduce Greg Dove, a member of the Casco Bay Rotary Club who is the business manager of Vessel Services.

The Board of Directors will meet at Purpoodock on April 27, 1994.

On May 10th, we will have our first opportunity to help at the Soup Kitchen. Signup is this coming week.

Jim Russell

Jim Russell did not actually state that sign up will be next week. The exact quote, " I will be passing out next week for those who can help us." Jim also recently spoke at South Portland High School representing the Club. He must have been more eloquent. He also received an award from Basketball Commissioner Dan Davidson for being the "most improved player."

Agnes Winship

Agnes announced that she will be seeking a new career opportunity as a result of the restructuring at Fleet Bank. Fleet is drastically reducing its staff in order to improve profitability. Ironically, Thursday's paper announced a 25% increase in profits for the bank. It seems to this acting bulletin editor that the bank should not be forgetting those who made the profit.

Meet the Rotarian

This week's profile is of Sam Giftos Sarando was born in Pittsfield, Massachusetts, graduated from Portland High School, and received a BA in Accounting from BU and a Masters in Education from BU. He served in both World War 2 and in the Korean Conflict. Reaching the rank of Navy Captain, Sam was a communications liaison officer in major campaigns in Europe. His recall during the Korean period included service in New York City. Sam began teaching at Portland High School in 1947, returned in 1952, and retired in 1972 when he took up accountancy full-time. He and Helene recently purchased a condo in Lido Key, Sarasota, Florida. Sam and Helene's son Michael is Senior VEEP and General Counsel of CSX Corporation, a major railroad. Their daughter Mary teaches at Pond Cove School.

Sam has attended the last ten RI Conventions but will miss Taipei due to grandkid's graduations. He served as District Governor of 779 in 1984-1985, has led convention discussions, served as Chairman of the District Foundation Committee, was District Treasurer for 9 years and has served as a mentor to countless District officers. He has had perfect attendance for 22 of 26 years. Sam personifies "Service Above Self."

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Congratulations to Nancy Hawes, Steve Kremer, Mark Ayres and Sam Giftos for reaching April 15th.

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AYERS	MARK	19	MAPLE LANE	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7675500	7755701	CINDY
BAGDASARIAN	DAVID	55	STONEGATE ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7997832	7975834	FRAN
BELL	MICHAEL	175	SETTLER ROAD	SOUTH PORT 04106	7724280		ANN
BUTLER	PAUL	116	OAKHURST ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7991550	7735683	JANET
CARSON	ROBERT	36	TRUNDY ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7998029	7745541	PENNY
CONROY	JOSEPH	83	HIGHLAND ROAD	SOUTH PORT 04106	7995990	7992221	IBBY
DAVIDSON	DAN	26	OCEAN VIEW ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7674682	8926766	EDIE
DUBE	PHILIP	20	PENNSYLVANIA AVE	SOUTH PORT 04106	7730108	7673366	CLAUDETTE
DUMFEY	KAREN	23	COLUMBUS ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7995105	7995000	ROY
FLYNN	ROBERT	19	HUNTS POINT RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7997814	7677388	MICHELE
GACETTA	DANIEL	3	DELANO PARK	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7994555	7994555	
GEMME	FRANK	96	STONYBROOK RD.	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7672802	8835161	LYMNE
GIFTOS	SARANDO	38	STONYBROOK RD.	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7993164	7993164	HELENE
GOODRICH	WAYNE	21	ASHBOURNE CT.	SOUTH PORT 04106	7994941	7996192	ELLIE
HANSEN	BRIAN	30	FOREST ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7672134	7733831	HEIDI
HAWES	NANCY	23	ASHBOURNE CT.	SOUTH PORT 04106	7999011	8792100	
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HOBBS	JEFF	3	SHUGGLERS COVE RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7998868	7994472	SUE
HOLDEN	RICHARD	16	ANCHORAGE PLACE	SOUTH PORT 04106	7997948	7998132	MAUREEN
JANSON	FRED	46	HUNTS POINT RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7674101	7992221	BEV
KANE	MICHAEL	311	OCEAN ST	SOUTH PORT 04106	7673757		KITTY
KILROY	DICK	1115	SHORE ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7996153	7996153	MARY
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KOURAKOS	WILLIAM	72	STONYBROOK RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7991755	7991755	SOPIE
KREMER	STEVEN	71	STONYBROOK RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7996884	8782100	MADELAINE
LAMBERTH	GARY	11	HAMPTON ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7998817	8787777	DONNA
LAUGHLIN	BONNIE	17	LAKE AVENUE	GRAY MAINE 04039		7730800	
LECLAIR	JOANNE	15	BLUFF CIRCLE	GRAY MAINE 04039	6574176	7670444	
LEVASSEUR	ROBERT	9	CHANNEL VIEW RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7991879	7619535	AMY
LINDSEY	ROBERT	387	MITCHELL RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7674918	7992909	KATHY
LIVINGSTON	ALEC	1080	BROADWAY	SOUTH PORT 04106	8833516	7735661	
MAHER	MICHAEL	197	FOWLER ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7675346	7758391	LIZ
MCGOVERN	MICHAEL	37	HIGH VIEW RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7673191	7995251	
MOOERS	DANIEL	39	OCEAN ROAD	SOUTH PORT 04106	7997290	7757444	SHIRLEY
MURPHY	ADRIENNE		BOX 2392	SOUTH PORT 04106	7673852	7995000	STEVEN
NADEAU	FELIX	14	MEADOW CROSSING	GORHAM ME 04038	8392565	8227000	MONIQUE
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RUSSELL	JIM	6	PIERCE AVENUE	PORTLAND 04102	7736695	7978240	VICKIE
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SCHNAUCK	DIETER	4	LONGVIEW ST	CUMB CNTR 04021	8285962	4433958	
SIMPSON	WARREN	5	LINWOOD ST	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7990227	7996191	VELMA
SMITH	DAVID	44	PARROTT ST	SOUTH PORT 04106	7996878	8740355	
SMITH	WILLIAM	74	GOUDY STREET	SOUTH PORT 04106	7991925	7755678	JOAN
STANTON	WILLIAM	145	WYTHBURN RD	SOUTH PORT 04106	7611836	7611836	LUCY
STEWART	DOUGLAS	15	MOUNTAIN VIEW RD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7672351	7672351	PAMELA
THOMPSON	TIMOTHY	6	PINE RIDGE ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7996669	7734190	NANCY
WAGNER	ANTON	11	TODD ROAD	CAPE ELIZA 04107	7997997	7998541	SALLY
WINSHIP	AGNES	40	BEECH RIDGE ROAD	SCARBORO 04074	8832743	8792720	
YERXA	RICHARD	622	ISLAND AVENUE	PEAKS ISLD 04108	7665741	7813140	PRISCILLA
YORK	WILLIAM	15	WOODLAND ROAD	SOUTH PORT 04106	7670883	7290921	DIANE





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Schmidt Speaks

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Club Members Mugged

Thank you also to Laurenz for providing each member present a National Semiconductor coffee mug.

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June 10-16- RI Convention

India to 7780

For those whose knowledge of India is limited to what you have seen in "The Jewel in the Crown" and "Gandhi," this year's Group Study Exchange offers a wonderful opportunity to broaden your horizons. You can participate in varying levels of commitment, from escorting a visitor to his/her appointment to offering a bed for the five nights they will be in the Portland area. (Sat, May 28-Wed, June 1.)

They will be arriving on Saturday afternoon and since it is Memorial Day Weekend, there will be no official visits until Tuesday. Please consider ways in which you could include a guest to our country in your Memorial Day plans. For those of you with youngsters, this is an excellent chance to enrich their knowledge of the world. If you would like to volunteer or have suggestions for activities for the team, please contact Bill Judkins (767-1800) or Nancy Hawes (879-2100 days or 799-9011 evenings)

Speaking of India

President Elect Frank encourages all members to bring books to the next meeting to be taken to the District Assembly for shipment to India. You may also call any Director or officer planning to attend the Assembly.

April 15th Redux

Last week the acting bulletin editor blew it and forgot to congratulate Dave Smith when the other accountants in the club were congratulated for reaching April 15th. It was good to see most of the accountants including Dave back on April 20th.

District Conference

District Governor Dick Clark is extending invitations to all Rotarians to attend the District Conference in Portsmouth on June 23, 24, 25 and 26.

The first plenary session is on Friday the 24th at 9:00 a.m. The GSE Team will visit on Saturday afternoon with many sessions in between and until Sunday noon. The awards banquet is Friday night and the Governor's banquet is Saturday evening. Registration information is available from Bob Carson or Bob Levasseur.

Service Above Self Awards

Last reminder to send in your Service Above Self Award nominees to Bob Lindsay or Bill Smith no later than April 27, 1994

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Last Appearance

Nancy Hawes returns in two weeks as the bulletin editor with more pertinent prose and perhaps some poetry. If you have announcements that you would like to have in the bulletin, please put them in writing. It is not fair to Nancy to have to write every note at the meeting. Please also let Nancy know in advance who your guest speaker is going to be.

Lobster Rolls Available?????

Three Games, 2 Lobster Rolls
Thanks to Wayne Goodrich, 3
Sodas to Unknown Customers



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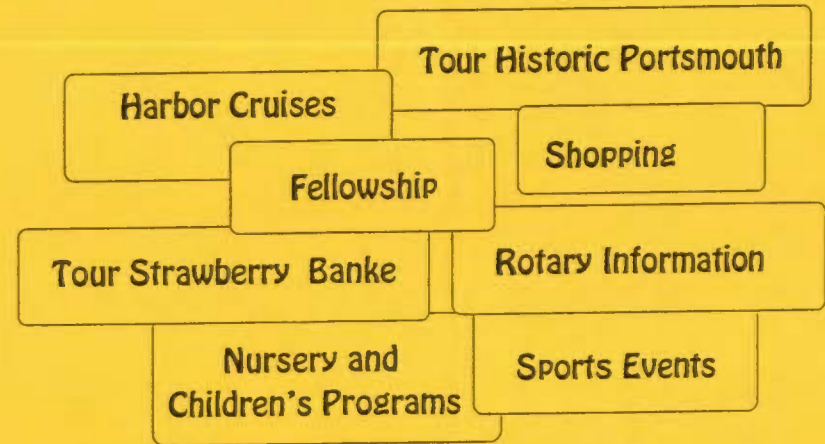
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Paul Harris Fellow

Our newest Paul Harris Fellow was introduced on April 27, 1994. President-Elect Frank Gemme was recognized for his support of the Rotary Foundation. Twenty one active members of the club now how this designation. Paul Harris was the founder and organizer of the first Rotary Club and was the first President of RI.

President Bob read a list of the many programs that are supported through our contributions to the Rotary Foundation. If you are able to assist, please consider doing so. Our President-Elect is a good example for all of us.

A Past President Leads Us in Song

Joe Conroy filled the chambers with song. He was not perfectly clear, but no one was heard to hiss. It would be an un-American activity to kick around Joe or to play again a tape of his performance, but we know from an unimpeachable source that he was not high enough to break any China. He did have an assist from a stately Greek who was wearing a cloth coat and who could be heard as far away as Caracas. It was obvious that Joe was not a quitter and he deserves a pat on the back for leading us.

The Program

Sam Giftos introduced Greg Dove who is a member of the Casco Bay Sunrise Club and is associated with Vessel Services, Inc. Vessel Services is located at the fish pier and provides provisions and fuel to the fishing industry and to the boating public. He showed slides of some of the activities at the firm and indicated what an important part of the local economy is sustained by one of Maine's oldest industries. Some Club members remember the old ice house at Clarks' Pond and the hey day of the ice industry throughout the area back when we had iceboxes and not refrigerators. Remember when your parents or grandparents used to refer to the refrigerator as the icebox?

Upcoming Programs and Activities

May 4, 1994- Wayne Goodrich will introduce Sue Weatherbie, CE Director of Community Services.

May 11, 1994- Nancy Hawes has invited Tex Ranger, leader of the Group Study Exchange Team to India

May 18, 1994- Club Assembly

On May 10th, we will have our first opportunity to help at the Soup Kitchen. So far the signup has been less than full. The work requires a set aside of four hours from 4 P.M. to 8:P.M.

On June 16th, the Portland Players will perform Fiddler on the Roof at the Phyllis Thaxter Theater. This special evening is sponsored by our Club. Mike Bell has four tickets for each member and 150 unallocated tickets. If you need additional tickets, please contact Mike as soon as possible.

On June 18th, Family Fun Day will occur at Fort Williams Park under the leadership of Fred Janson. Fred is looking for individuals with thespian skills to participate in a talent show. Our Club itself will once agin be selling fried dough with the chairman of the event for the Club to be named in a future bulletin.

June 10-16- RI Convention- Dan Mooers and Mike McGovern will be attending this event in Taipei, Taiwan.

District Conference

District Governor Dick Clark is extending invitations to all Rotarians to attend the District Conference in Portsmouth on June 23,24, 25 and 26.

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Invoker	Song	Gift	Seller
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Maine Rotarian and wife leave nearly \$2 million to Rotary Foundation

Nearly 24 years after his death, a Maine Rotarian's close relationship with Rotary lives on. Ned Cutting, who died in 1970 at the age of 67, was an active member of the Rotary Club of Rockland, Maine. His wife, Grace, also was involved with Rotary, and after her husband died she continued her enthusiastic support of Rotary projects. With Grace's death at 89 in March 1993, The Rotary Foundation became the recipient of nearly \$2 million, including a bequest from Grace and a charitable remainder trust left by her husband.

The Foundation recently received the third installment of the Cuttings' gift. The entire gift will be used, as the donors directed, "for the purposes of said Foundation, including scholarships for the exchange of students on an international basis." The couple had no children, but scholarship programs were a high priority for them, both graduates of the University of Maine. Memorial contributions in Grace's name went toward the Rockland club's own scholarship fund.

"What impressed me most about this gift," said RI Director-elect Daniel Mooers, "is Grace's vivid memory of her husband's experience in the Rotary Club of Rockland. Her strong impressions so many years later of his involvement with Rotary in the community speak very highly of the club." Mooers is a member of the Rotary Club of South Portland-Cape Elizabeth in neighboring District 7780.

Ned Cutting was a pioneer in Christmas tree cultivation, and he and his wife jointly operated one of Maine's leading blueberry production and wholesaling businesses.

"When I learned of the Cuttings' gift," said Mooers, "I thought of the old adage, 'What goes around comes around.' Our club used to buy Christmas trees from the Cutting farm for an annual fund-raiser," he explained. "Now some of those profits have come back to benefit The Rotary Foundation. It's simply amazing."



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MAY 11, 1994 ROTARY CLUB OF SOUTH PORTLAND-CAPE ELIZABETH

The first piece of news is that **Mike McGovern** has been relieved - and I'm sure "relieved" describes Mike - of his interim bulletin editor duties and I (NH) am back at the typewriter. If any of you are eagerly waiting for me to quit so that you can have a turn at writing the bulletin, please let me or Mike Bell know and we will be glad to accommodate you. If there are no offers (what are the odds?) I will continue to write the bulletin but will need someone to fill in next Feb. - Apr. 15 and also when I am on vacation July 27 and Aug. 3. Please let us know if you are interested in these less permanent opportunities.

Getting back to Mike, he filled in not only for me but for **Wayne & Ellie** also (xeroxing, folding, labelling, mailing), which is a big job. Thanks from all of us for your service above self, Mike!

DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

On April 30 seven club members attended the district assembly at UNE (**Carson, Gemme, Goodrich, Hawes, King, Levasseur & Mooers**). Although not physically present **Sam Giftos** was also there in spirit and several folks asked after him and **Helene**. The assembly consists of a combination of breakout sessions and addresses to the group as a whole, and is presided over by the incoming District Governor (**George Cashman**). There isn't much actual business conducted but one item voted on was the 1995 District Conference - it was decided to hold it May 25-28 at **The Balsams**. Mark your calendars now!

Speaking of Calendars...

I attended a session for bulletin editors but the most useful tip I picked up came from our President-elect Frank who suggested a calendar for the plethora of upcoming events (see back side).

Some notes on some of these events:

May 11 - We also learned at the assembly that next year's RI theme is "Be a Friend." In keeping with that theme, let's all make our **student visitors** on May 11 feel at home.

Softball - **Jack Roberts** has made arrangements for softball - games will be played at Kaler School on Kelsey St. in So. Portland.

June 16, Theater Night - See **Mike Bell** if you have not yet received your 4 tickets to be sold at \$15 each. Let him know if you need more tickets, can't sell all your tickets, or have ideas on how to push the remaining 150 tickets.

Last Piece of Business - The Casco Bay Sunrise Club is getting out of the fried dough business and has sold us their fryolator. We can take their place selling dough at the **Spring Point Festival** if we want to - please let Frank know if you have thoughts on whether we should do this.

MAY 4 PROGRAM

Our speaker, brought to us by **Wayne & Ellie Goodrich**, was **Sue Weatherbie**, Director of Cape Elizabeth Community Services. Sue reported that 60% of the residents of Cape Elizabeth make use of their programs. She went over the wide variety of programs, which are more extensive than those offered by other towns of comparable size (but at no more cost to the town). Thank you, Wayne, Ellie & Sue for this most interesting presentation!

A DOLLAR JUST DOESN'T GO AS FAR ANYMORE...

In the past a happy dollar bought you a chance to have the floor and to get your name in the bulletin. Now it will only get you fleeting fame unless you have something really newsworthy to share. This week **Bob Carson, Phil, Bob Flynn & Bonnie** did not qualify but **Warren Simpson** (returning from Holland) and **Mike Bell** did. Mike will be taking a position at Pioneer Plastics - Congratulations!


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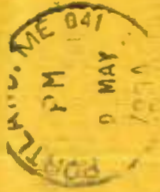
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COCKTAILS WITH THE MAHARAJAH

Tex Ranger, leader of the GSE out-bound exchange team to India, spoke on May 11 of his visit in terms of the great contrasts he observed there. His own trip was one of contrast, starting with a miserable mishap-filled trip on the journey over there, and ending with a tour of the Taj Mahal which he described as "breathtaking." He observed filth and ugliness in the streets, and beauty and splendor in the maharajah's palace (site of the cocktails).

Tex reported that the Rotary clubs in India are very community-minded and noted that they did not have to look far to find worthwhile projects.

Tex spoke very highly of the inbound GSE team members whom he met and we look forward to their visit to our club on June 1.

Tex gave us a fascinating glimpse at another culture and we appreciate his sharing his adventure with us.

HONORED GUESTS

Tex also reported that the Indian hosts were very gracious, believing that "a guest in your house does you honor." Bringing honor to our club on May 11 were **Dick Lamb & Tom Thomas** of the Sanford/Springvale club and two students from SPSHS. **Leslie Shinay** spoke about the Key Club, in which she is actively involved, and **Bill O'Brien** spoke about resurrecting the school paper. We wish them both much success in college.

THE LUCK OF THE DRAW

If the raffle is usually won by a Stonybrook Roder, Mick Maher or Brian Hansen, that must mean some people never win. One of those people is **Joanne Leclair** who finally won her first raffle prize, an Irish cream liqueur provided by **Dan Gacetta**. Never having won before, she had to be instructed in raffle-winning etiquette (the obligatory happy dollar).

SOUP'S ON!

Jim Russell reported that the soup kitchen was successful and a very gratifying experience. Jim expresses his thanks to the following, who helped serve 217 people: **Bob & Penny Carson, Frank Bathe, Bob Levasseur, Alec Livingston & Sharon's daughter Erin, Paul Butler, Len King & Adrienne Murphy**. Since this test run went so well, we will be doing it the 2nd Tuesday of every month - the next opportunity to participate is on June 14.

A NEW JOB FOR MIKE

Now that he's not writing the bulletin anymore, **Mike McGovern** must have felt that he had too much time on his hands. Mike has agreed to serve on the District's Foundation Committee. Congratulations, Mike!

PUT ON YOUR THINKING CAPS

Between Bob & Frank, we've been asked to do a lot of thinking - specifically on:

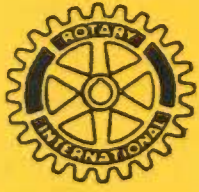
1. Do we know of anyone who would be interested in studying abroad as an Ambassadorial scholar - the application deadline is coming up soon if you know of any good candidates.
2. Do we know of anyone who should be nominated for District Governor?
3. What would we like to see the club do next year? (Frank will be passing out a survey next week.)
4. In what way would each of us like to serve the club?

BATTER UP!

Jack Roberts is lining up teams for us to play (maybe **Steve Kremer's** father's team?). Practice session **May 22** at Kaler School on Kelsey St. in South Portland.

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5/25	Stewart	Gacetta	Schnauck	Butler
6/1	Thompson	Gemme	Simpson	Carson



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MAY 25, 1994

This week's bulletin is devoted to various items of business: reminders of upcoming events, items discussed at the club assembly and items discussed at the Board of Directors' meeting. Please read at least the first six items.

A. Membership Survey - Please fill out the enclosed self-explanatory survey and return it to Frank.

B. Theater Night - The membership committee is still working on the details of the suggested membership proposal process - one that will minimize potential embarrassment on all sides. The Board suggests that Theater Night may be an excellent way to introduce a prospective member to our club before going through the formal proposal process. Also, Mike has flyers to publicize the show if you want to hang one up at work or elsewhere.

C. Teacher Appreciation Lunch - A sign-up sheet has not yet been circulated but this event is fast approaching (this Friday). If you know you can help out, **Bill Smith** or **Alec Livingston** would appreciate a call from you.

D. Group Study Exchange - If you would be willing to take part in or host any holiday activities for the GSE team from India (boating, fishing, tennis, sightseeing, etc.) please let me (NH, 799-9011) or Bill Judkins (767-1800) know. On a related theme, **Laurenz Schmidt** will be offering a tour of National Semiconductor for the GSE team on the morning of Wed, June 1. If you would like to join in the tour, please contact Laurenz or me.

E. District Conference - Registrations are due soon so please contact **Bob Levasseur** or **Frank Gemme** as soon as possible if you're interested in going. You can attend all or any part of the conference and you don't have to be a Board member to enjoy it. In fact I especially recommend it if you are not a Board member because it gives you an added perspective on the big picture of Rotary and our own club's place in it.

F. Courtesy - Most speakers appreciate an attentive audience and the club was reminded to show respect to our speakers. (This does not apply, however, to happy dollar speeches about New York sports teams.) Also it has been suggested that all raffle ticket sales take place before the meeting actually begins (e.g. during dessert).

G. Ambassadorial Scholarships - Applications have to be returned to our club by June 15 so if you know of any potential candidates, let Bob Levasseur know immediately.

H. Birthday Girl - I have committed a huge faux pas and left my directory in the office so I don't know how to spell her name, but **Bob Flynn's daughter B** celebrated her 8th birthday with us and we were delighted to be at her party.

I. Bug Light - As you may or may not be aware, this year's budget had an item in it for improvements at Bug Light. Our club has helped to restore this attractive and historic lighthouse but nobody sees it. Our plan was to clean up the area and put in a path, benches, shrubbery and signs, in conjunction with the city of South Portland. Despite **Jim Russell's** persistence, bureaucratic difficulties prevented us from moving ahead on this project until last week when the necessary permission was finally received. Therefore a work day has tentatively been scheduled for June 11.

J. Spouses Night - More to come on this later, but the Board is asking everyone to mark this day on your calendar and plan to attend.

J. Funding Requests - The Board approved spending \$100 to help 2 Cub Scouts attend camp and \$100 to help a child attend a special camp for diabetics.

K. Fried Dough - I don't have all the dates available yet but we'll be selling at Family Fun Day on June 18, Deering Oaks, possibly Art in the Park, and possibly Spring Point.

DUTIES

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May 25	Stewart	Gacetta	Schnauck	Butler
June 1	Thompson	Gemme	Simpson	Carson
June 8	Wagner	Giftos	D. Smith	Conroy
June 22	Winship	Goodrich	W. Smith	Davidson

May 1994

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29 DAVE & MARY ELLEN NISBET ANNIVERSARY	30 GARY LAMBERTH TURNS 45 <small>MEMORIAL DAY</small>	31 TIM THOMPSON BIRTHDAY	1 GSE TEAM — R. Woodbury	2	3	4

June 1994

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JUNE 1, 1994

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bob Flynn's 8-year-old daughter's name is **Brean**.

JUST WHAT IS THIS QUEBEC EXCHANGE PROGRAM ALL ABOUT ANYWAY?

Since being bulletin editor was such a great excuse to insinuate myself into the trip to House Island for the Quebec exchange program, I guess I better ecrite about it.

Phil Dube ordered up spectacular weather for our visitors (ask him to do the same for you next time you book a trip). We went over to the island on two bateaux, one filled with 12 CE students and a dozen eleves from the small town of Beauceville, and the other with a dozen each from SP and the larger Quebec town of St. Georges-de-Beauce. (These towns are on the road to Quebec about halfway between Jackman and Quebec.) Accompanying the students were teachers from each school, the president of the Beauceville Rotary Club (which has about 40 members), our president Bob, and Phil & Claudette.

On arrival we were led to the far side of the island to a fort, built to defend us from the Canadians. These particular Canadians didn't seem to pose much of a threat, although the sea gulls and eiders may have had a different opinion as we tramped through their nesting grounds. Our burgers, etc. were ready and waiting for us in the parade ground inside the fort where we picnicked under the cloudless ciel. After dejeuner we were escorted, with the help of lanterns and flashlights, through a pitch noir tunnel into the fort. The teens shrieked as they squished through the mud or reached out to touch a slimy wall. It was great fun and a bon temps was had by all. The rest of their weekend in Maine was filled with attending ecole with their American hosts on Friday, going to the mall, a potluck dinner, and participating in the host family's activities. The agenda was similar when our students went up to Quebec for a weekend in March. In place of the boat trip here, the

Canadian Rotarians took our students to a maple-sugaring farm.

On the surface, the purpose of the exchange is for each group of students to get to practice speaking the language of the other country. However one of the local teachers observed that the students benefitted even more from the exposure to another culture. For instance, she found the Canadian students to have a more relaxed attitude to life and they didn't seem to worry so much about the small stuff as her own students did.

Thanks go to Phil for overseeing this project for 4 years now, and of course for the weather. P.S. You don't really have to have an excuse to participate in this event, so consider going along next year.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Congratulations go to:
Paul Butler's daughter **Gail**, who graduated from the Univ. of Vt.
Frank Gemme's son **Brad**, also a college graduate.
Mick Maher, who has had two papers accepted for publication.
Joe Conroy, on the end of his full-time teaching career.
Doug Stewart for 9 years of perfect attendance.
Bill Stanton - 11 years.
Paul Butler - 16 years.
Dick Kilroy - 32 years, achieved by making up in 14 different countries and at over 75 different clubs!

HELP!

Alec Livingston needs a co-chair for **Family Fun Day** (June 18).

TOM HENNESSY

I have just received the very sad news of Tom's death. Visiting hours will be Wed, June 1 from 2-4 and 7-9 at Hobbs Funeral Home. Funeral on Thurs, June 2 at noon, Redeemer Lutheran Church.

JUNE 1 DUTIES

Invocation: **Thompson**
Songleader: **Gemme**
Raffle Gift: **Simpson**
Raffle Conductor: **Carson**



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A TALE OF TWO ROTARIANS

Thanks to Alec Livingston's collaboration, this bulletin spotlights two of our club members who are the embodiment of Rotary's goals of service and fellowship.

A TRIBUTE TO OUR FRIEND TOM

We are all experiencing our loss based primarily on how we have known Tom and his family. In Rotary for over 8 years, those that have known him know what an excellent husband, father and provider he was to Rita, Matt and Emily, and what an unselfish, hard-working contributor he was to Rotary. He was always there when you needed him and, when he couldn't be, he always demonstrated concern for our efforts. Even when hampered by his illness, Tom still rolled up his sleeves and pitched in; for instance selling hot dogs at Art in the Park.

Tom worked with numerous committees and worked on untold numbers of events for our club. He became a Paul Harris Fellow in 1990. His quiet nobility through his illness and his faithfulness to Rotary to the end are an inspiration to us all. We will miss him.

A SALUTE TO BILL

Mixed with our sadness at seeing Tom's worsening condition over the past two years was our admiration for the selfless friendship offered to him by Bill York. Bill is also an ever-present volunteer who takes a genuine interest in the club. (He goes to Board meetings even though he doesn't have to!) His most recent service was hosting one of the GSE team members from India, giving her her first experience of American hospitality. We're proud to be in the same club as you, Bill!

NADEAU RESIGNS

Unfortunately job responsibilities and extensive traveling have forced Felix Nadeau to resign from the club. We have enjoyed his company while he was with us and wish him all the best.

GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE VISIT

A group study exchange (GSE) team of visitors from northwestern India visited our area this past week. Assisting in welcoming them to the U.S. were Laurenz, Barbara, Antonia & Sandy Schmidt, Bill, Diane & Joanna York, and Nancy Hawes, who opened up their homes to them, as well as Tony Wagner, Mick Maher, Mike McGovern & Edie Davidson. A highlight of their stay in the Portland area was a fascinating tour of National Semiconductor arranged by Laurenz.

It was a pleasure having them here and I personally learned a lot about their culture, most surprising of which was that most of their marriages are arranged. Their Sunday paper contains several pages of classified ads advertising for suitable matches, such as the following looking for a groom:

"EQUIVALENT SERVICE CLASS HANDSOME MATCH FOR LIC CLASS ONE OFFICER. CHAMAR GIRL FROM STATUS FAMILY FAIR SLIM SHARP FEATURES ONE WHITE PATCH APPEARED SUDDENLY ON LEFT NECK NOT DISEASE LOOKS YOUNGER EXCEPTIONALLY BEAUTIFUL. CASTE NO BAR."

TEACHER APPRECIATION LUNCH

Bill Smith pulled off another successful lunch to express our appreciation for South Portland educators. He expressed his own appreciation for his helpers: Wagner, Stanton, Russell, Roberts, Livingston, Levasseur, Hansen, Goodrich, Gemme, Flynn & Dube.

Congratulations to Mike McGovern for 6 years of perfect attendance and Warren Simpson for 32 years!

June 11 - Bug Light clean-up - scheduled for 8-12, possibly followed by barbecue? Bring the whole family.

June 11 - Project Graduation - Bob Flynn will need 8 people to help from 11 - 1:30.

June 18 - Family Fun Day - Mike Kane has agreed to help chair fried dough sales.

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	INVOCATION	SONGLEADER	RAFFLE GIFT	CONDUCTOR
June 8	Wagner	Giftos	D. Smith	Conroy
June 22	Winship	Goodrich	W. Smith	Davidson
June 29	Yerxa	Hansen	Stanton	Dube
July 6	York	Hawes	Stewart	Dunfey

June 1994

5 SOFTBALL 3-5	6	7	8 Jeff Hobbs brings us ? ? ? ?	9	10 RI CONVENTION	11 ^{Bob Flynn} PROJECT GRADUATION BUG LIGHT
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PRESIDENT BOB

Although its literary quality might
be in dispute,
This poem is written just to pay
tribute
To our outgoing president, Mr.
Levasseur.
Was he a good president? - We'd all
say "Yes, sir!"
Bob has presided at his meeting next
to last;
Can it be that he's happy his year's
almost past?
When Bob took office humor was in
his plan:
He told us he looks like the world's
sexiest man!
Perhaps if someone waved a magic
wand
We'd see the likeness to Agent James
Bond.
Seemingly the resemblance lies in
the hair,
Or more accurately in the fact
there's a little less there.
I don't remember now who it was
that's to blame,
But it seems that once they confused
Amy's name.
Luckily she didn't throw him out of
the house
But remained a supportive presiden-
tial spouse.
Bob blew in to most meetings from
out on the road;
Between Rotary and business, he
bore quite a load.
After serving his term, Bob takes a
new step
Serving our district as this area's
rep.
So Bob, for the past, we give a big
hand
And for the future, we hope every-
thing goes just grand!

JUNE 8 PROGRAM - LONGLEY

Jeff Hobbs brought us Jim Longley, Jr. who is running for Congress as a Republican. Longley explained how he came to decide to run for political office and talked fervently about his main campaign issue - payroll taxes and the burden they place on business.

JUNE 15 - Remember there will be no meeting. This also means no bulletin next week.

JUNE 22 PROGRAM - CAROL BARBER

Dick Holden will be bringing us Ms. Barber, who went to Nicaragua as a visiting nurse through Rotary.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Sam Giftos for 22 years of perfect attendance (and on making it to Florida)!

Alexis Livingston, married on June 10!

THANKS TO:

Dan Davidson for an excellent article on the club in the Cape Courier!

The **callers** on the emergency call list which was recently put into service successfully.

WANTED:

Large coolers for Family Fun Day - contact Alec Livingston if you have one to lend.

Recipe for orangeade for the same event - call Wayne Goodrich.

A SHAMEFUL STORY

You have heard Jack Roberts at meeting after meeting encouraging everyone to turn out for softball. Why? So he'd be sure to have enough Rotarians so he could pull out the best ones and have them join him and his friends in defeating the Rotarians. So sly was he that not only did he pick off good ball players, but he also included someone who could count (Steve K) to remind the Rotarians that they lost 29-1. This was undoubtedly a dark moment in our club's history and we look forward with trepidation to June 26.

DUTIES

June 22:

Invocation - Winship
Songleader - Goodrich
Raffle Gift - W. Smith
Raffle Conductor - Davidson

June 29:

Invocation - Yerxa
Songleader - Hansen
Raffle Gift - Stanton
Raffle Conductor - Dube



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From our Community Service Director

On Saturday, June 11, 1994, a crew of Rotarians met at Bug Light to begin the project that will ultimately allow easy access to the house. Brush was cut away and the brick building on the way to the lighthouse was cleaned up. Many thanks to Phil Dube, Bob Levasseur, Jack Roberts, Len King, Agnes Winship, Frank Gemme, Bill Stanton, Wayne Goodrich and Dave Smith, who participated.

On Tuesday, June 14, 1994 a group of Rotarians were in attendance at the West Side Soup Kitchen to prepare and serve the meal. Bill Stanton, Bill Smith, Joan Smith, Agnes Winship, Sam Giftos, Dan & Edie Davidson, Len King, Dick Holden, Bob Levasseur, Brian Hansen, Joann Leclair and Phil Dube all helped out. Our next date at the kitchen is July 12th.

And from our Vice-President:

The fried dough sale at Cape Family Fun Day was a huge success, netting over \$1900. Thanks to everyone who made it possible, but special mention goes to co-chairs Mike Kane, Brian Hansen and Joann Leclair, and to Bill Stanton who put in a long double shift. Thanks also to the following individuals for their incredible offer of free product and services:

Brad Rucker at Coffee Pause, 101 John Roberts Road, SP, phone 1-800-456-5009. They donated all the equipment, coffee and condiments!

Greg Dove at Vessel Services, Inc.,; 1 Portland Fish Pier, Portland, phone 772-5718. They donated all our ice!

Deanna Swan at Dead River Company, P.O. Box 467, Scarborough, phone 883-9515. They donated the LP tank, fuel and our burner service for the event!

From our Golf Coordinator:

The Casco Bay Sunrise club will be holding its annual Golf Classic on Thursday, Aug. 25. The tournament will benefit Portland Trails as well as other Sunrise club projects. Registration fee of \$60 includes greens fee, cart and chicken barbecue dinner. See Bill Kourakos for registration information.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mike Bell reports that Theatre Night was a success financially as well as critically, making an estimated \$2800. Thanks to everyone for their role, extra acclaim goes to Warren Simpson, Tim Thompson, Tony Wagner, Bob Levasseur & Wayne Goodrich.

Dan Gacetta has tickets for Maine Day at Fenway on July 9; \$14 apiece.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

The annual presentation of Service Above Self awards was made on June 22. This year's recipients were:

Louise Sullivan, head of the reading program at the Maine Youth Center, and

Deputy Fire Chief Jim Murray. In a demonstration of why he won this award, Jim babysat the fireworks overnight at Ft. Wms on Cape FF Day.

Congratulations and thanks to these individuals for making our communities a better place to live.

REMEMBERING TOM

Many of you may not be aware that Tom had requested that his friends who wish to make a memorial contribution make them to his church or to Rotary. Our club has received \$195 so far in his honor. Those who wish to do so may forward memorial contributions to Bob Carson.

Congratulations, CEHS grad Kim Stewart!

A POEM FOR SAM

Sam Giftos has waited patiently all year
 For me to write a poem and lead off a cheer
 For the object of his fan club, the source of much pride,
 RI Director Elect, i.e. RIDE;
 It's obvious by now which one among us:
 Dan Mooers is the focus of all of this fuss.
 And next week in recognition of all that he did
 He drops off an "E" and becomes a RID (?)!
 So what's the big deal on this fellow Dan Mooers
 Whose classification is the profession of "suers?"
 He's never at meetings; are you sure he belongs here?
 Yet he makes up at clubs from quite far and near.
 Where is it this month our traveler has gone?
 Oh yes, he went off to the convention in Taiwan.
 As director he'll serve on two different committees
 And travel around to many many cities.
 One duty will be to put on a Zone Institute
 Another: review the budget to make sure we're not destitute.
 Most onerous of all, he'll receive lots of mail
 Begging his aid so projects will not fail.
 From all of these duties Dan is no shirker
 But can he become a miracle worker?
 To do more than Dan, you'd have to get up early
 And have the assistance of a helper like Shirley.
 So why do we honor him - what's the point of this story?
 That we his fellow members get to bask in his glory!
 We're riding on your coattails so make us all proud
 Lest we turn into an unruly crowd.
 All kidding aside and without gushing to excess,
 Hearty congratulations; you deserve your success!



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