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TWO LIGHTS

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

July 2, 1997

New President Jim Russell kicked off the new Rotary year with very well attended meeting

The biggest question of the evening was; "What is a "tootsie wootsie", and is that term gender specific?"

Warren Simpson conducted his annual quiz on the new Rotary International President. Despite the fact that **Bill Daviero** gave away half of the answer, Warren still collected a grand sum of \$19.00. As we all are now aware, our new Rotary president is Glen Kinross and he hails from Queensland, Brisbane, Australia. Thanks, Warren for keeping us on our toes.

Mike McGovern updated us on the progress of the District Governor campaign for Rotary year 99-00 (Mike was nominated by our club for consideration). It seems that there is presently only one candidate being considered for this post..... Good luck, **Mike**, we are behind you all the way!

A Notable Happy Dollar:

Dan Davidson shared a comment on the proposed team from our club to the Three on Three Basketball Tournament this summer.

Jeff Hobbs has offered to have Hobbs Funeral Home sponsor the team. It was suggested that instead of a threesome, a foursome consisting of **Dan Davidson, Joe Conroy, Warren Simpson and Bill Stanton** be our club entry to the tournament, to which **Bill** replied, "Sounds like the best team ever for a funeral home sponsorship". Do we have room for any cheerleaders?

There was no official program. **President Jim Russell** outlined his vision of this new Rotary year for us. Jim sees Glen Kinross's motto of "Show Rotary Cares" bringing our club "back

to the basics". While the worldwide effect of Rotary's presence is great, Rotary's real foundation lies the strength of the individual clubs, and the important work that is done on that level. Jim set several priorities for the club to focus on next year; illiteracy and hunger.

President Jim's top goal-

Get Everyone Involved. There are many, many projects, tasks, events we participate in as a club- there is a place for everyone to pitch in at some level, not just a core group to get things done. "Many hands make light work". Also, fellowship is a big part of what we enjoy in Rotary- project work is where you really get to acquainted with the others in our club.

President Jim stated that another important goal is adding to our membership. While the overall membership Rotary is level, individual enrollment at the Club level is down. The strength of our club rests on a stable membership. At some point, someone thought enough of you the ask you to join Rotary- isn't there someone you know who would be an asset to our club (and would enjoy the rewards membership has to offer?) Think about it.

Jim challenged us to think, "What if?"

- What if we raised our membership to 60 members?
- What if we raised our attendance level by 10% this year?
- What if every member of our club donated \$50 to the Rotary Foundation this year?
- What if every member submitted 1 member proposal card this year?
- What if every single member worked at the Soup Kitchen at least once this year?
- What if?

Let's all say, What if? And make this a productive, fun Rotary year. Thanks, Jim for an excellent kickoff.

Meeting July 9 will be a Club Assembly

Happy Anniversary to Joe and Ibbey Conroy
July 7

Upcoming Duties

	<u>7/9/97</u>	<u>7/16/97</u>	<u>7/23/97</u>
Songleader	Gemme	Giftos	Goodrich
Invocation	Daviero	Day	Dobson
Raffle Gift	Brainin	Butler	Cantlin
Conductor	Gacetta	Gemme	Giftos

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MAKING PLANS

At the club assembly on July 9, new President **Jim Russell** invited his Board of Directors to describe their plans for the club for the upcoming year.

Bob Danielson (*Vocational Service*) outlined plans to have classification talks from club members (let him know if you are willing to volunteer for this opportunity); tours of businesses (e.g. Direct Mail of Maine, Fairchild, Gabriel Electronics, etc. - let Bob know if your business lends itself to a tour); and Service above Self awards (think of deserving community leaders). He also proposed to focus on Ethics in Business during the year.

Bob Packer (*Community Service*) suggested an immediate need to clean up the fire barn at Fort Williams (where we store our food trailer rent-free). In addition to our "usual" community service activities (soup kitchen, senior citizens Christmas party), he suggested a focus on literacy (he needs a committee chair to coordinate with the Literacy Volunteers of Portland) and smoke detectors for the elderly.

Kathy Ray (*Club Service*) reminded everyone of the lobsterbake on July 30, to which we have invited the Casco Bay Sunrise club again. We will also be having another Greek Night on August 27, which **Bill Kourakos** has agreed to chair. In January we will have a special celebration of our club's anniversary (probably at McKernan Center). She needs volunteers to help **Dan Davidson** in his role as public relations coordinator. **Eleanor Brainin** is the new program chair - remember to let her know as soon as you line up a speaker when your turn comes around.

Karen Dunfey (*International Service*) described our incoming exchange student, a girl from Japan who will be living in Portland and attending Portland High School. She will be visiting our club frequently, and club members are encouraged to invite her to participate in your family activities. We are also participating in a Matching Grant project with a club from India, and hope to identify

another matching grant opportunity by the end of the year.

Paul Butler (*Secretary*) reminded members of the new attendance rules (we have 2 weeks before and 2 weeks after a meeting to make up) and of the opportunity to pay for meals quarterly if you wish (your account is credited for any meetings you miss).

Don Day (*Vice-President*) described the fundraising projects we will be involved in for the coming year:

- August - Spring Point Festival
- September - 5k Road Race and car raffle to celebrate Bridge opening
- May - Bowl-a-thon; proceeds dedicated to literacy
- June - Cape Family Fun Day

Nancy Hawes (*President-Elect*) proposed an outrageous exit fee to prevent members from leaving the club. In case that doesn't work, we should all be thinking about a friend or colleague who would enjoy Rotary as much as we do. See Paul for membership proposal cards.

Frank Gemme (*Treasurer*) was not able to attend; Jim reviewed the highlights of the budget for the coming year. See Jim or Frank if you have not yet received a copy of the 97-98 budget.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS/EVENTS

- July 16 - Representative from U.S. Marshal's office
- July 23 - John Leonard, MEMIC
Board meeting afterwards
- July 30 - Lobsterbake - guests invited (remember to sign up so Kathy will know how many steaks & lobsters to buy)
- Aug 2&3 - 3-on-3 basketball. See Dan Davidson if you're interested in playing on a team sponsored by Jeff Hobbs.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

Wayne & Ellie Goodrich (7/21)

Phil & Claudette Dube (7/22)
25 Years!

SERVING SOUP:

Bill Stanton
 Dan & Edie Davidson
 Dick Yerxa
 Paul Butler
 Rick & Diane Dobson
 Phil & Maria Dube
 Joe & Ibbly Conroy
 Jim Russell

Congratulations to Karen Dunfey who won the raffle prize - a Cl... Dayspa gift certificate. What is Rotary coming to! Thanks to Eleanor Brainin for this thoughtful gift.

**WELCOME BACK,
 DIETER!**

DUTIES

	7/16/97	7/23/97	7/30/97
Songleader	Giftos	Goodrich	Knight
Invocation	Day	Dobson	Davidson
Raffle Gift	Butler	Cantlin	Carson
Conductor	Gemme	Giftos	Goodrich

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Greek Songleaders

We had the pleasure of singing the Greek version of "I've Been Working On The Railroad", lead by stand-ins **Bill Kourakos and Greek -by-Marriage Bob Carson**. The feeling was that it would take two Greeks to replace to spirit (not to mention volume) of the designated song-leader-in absentia, **Sam Giftos**.

Being in the Coast Guard and obviously being aware of fulfilling one's duties at any cost, recently temporarily relocated **Jeff Gabrielson** returned with an interesting program, as well as an interesting guest. Jeff's guest was his daughter Frin, who has just recently returned from a year long exchange program in Uruguay. Jeff's guest to present a very interesting program was **Larry Gilbert** who is with the **U.S. Marshal's Office**.

Mr. Gilbert has been in law enforcement for 24 years prior to being nominated as a potential U.S. Marshal in 1994 by Sen. George Mitchell (Larry's last post was as the Chief of Police in Lewiston). The U.S. Marshals are the oldest federal law enforcement agency in the country. They have many responsibilities, including Judicial Security (protecting our courts as well as potential witnesses), Witness Protection Program, Prisoner Transport (a very involved system of moving

prisoners all over the country for trial and for incarceration-about 1300 per day). The Fugitive Investigation Division obtains 75% of all federal arrests in this country. The Asset Forfeiture Division manages and distributes the forfeited money and property to different agencies. The U.S. Marshal Service provides help with terrorists, national disasters, high profile trials.....is there anything these guys don't do? Thank you to Larry Gilbert, and Jeff Gabrielson for bringing us such an interesting program.

Tony Wagner has moved to Connecticut, but is still very much interested in keeping his Rotary ties intact here. Tony's address is

169 Standish Road
Coventry, CT 06238
Home # 1-860-742-5226
Work # 1-203-238-2700 x 210
FAX: 203-686-0209
Sally's work # 860-928-2626
E-Mail: svlc@neca.com

Tony is planning on joining the Coventry Rotary Club (which also meets Wednesday evening) Our loss is their gain!

Upcoming Programs/Events

July 23- John Leonard- MEMIC
(Board Meeting Afterward)

July 30- Ft Williams Lobsterbake-
Please get in touch with Kathy Ray if you have not already responded!!!!

Aug 2 & 3- On 3 Basketball- Please
let Dan Davidson know **ASAP** if you can play- Team sponsored by Jeff Hobbs



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Happy, Happy, Happy

There were a lot of happy people at the Purpoodock Club on Wednesday:

Karen Dunfey was especially happy- she won the raffle gift for the second time in three weeks...raffle gift was a gift certificate to Lucas Tree and Nurseries (wonder who that was donated by?)

Karen related how her tardiness in Quebec at the Group Study Exchange Program was rewarded by an accidental meeting with Mr and Mrs. Glen Kinross (you may remember from **Warren Simpson's** quiz a few weeks back as the President of Rotary International)

Kathy Ray relayed how she, **Nancy Hawes** and **Wayne Goodrich** were having lunch. Kathy and Nancy each ordered a veggie roll-up sandwich, then Wayne ordered one, too. The waitress replied, "You do not look like the veggie roll-up type to me".....What does a veggie roll-up type look like? Obviously not like Wayne!

Next week's meeting is our annual Lobsterbake at Fort Williams with spouses and the Casco Bay Sunrise Club
Come at 5:30 for fellowship
We will begin serving at 6:00
We will be serving hamburgers for the children for a cost of \$5.00 (unless they want the adult meal)
Should be a great time!

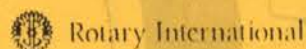


Happy Birthday Bob Carson (July 29)

Dave and Fran Bagdasarian will celebrate 21 years of marriage on July 31



Show Rotary Cares



Tony Payne from Maine Employers Mutual Company brought us a very interesting update on the state of the Workmen's Compensation Program in the State of Maine. As most of us are aware, in 1991 then Gov. John McKernan shut down the State Government for 3 weeks to force the legislature to look at Workmen's Comp Reform, since ours was one of the worst states in the country in this area. In 1993 Me. Employers Mutual formed the self-insured company that now insures 58% of employers in this state. The effort has been on improving the safety culture in the workplace and reducing needless and expensive litigation. The bottom line-it is working. Statistics from 1993 show 19,800 cases of weeks lost from work due to an injury vs. 13,000 in 1996. That savings affects everyone with the saved revenues being channelled into more positive things in our economy. Thank you to **Bill Daviero** for such an interesting program to the club.



District Beacon

Our Club Attendance for month of June ranked 28th in the District out of 38 clubs
 Our percentage of attendance was 69.5%
 Highest percentage- 89%

(Damariscotta-Newcastle-41 members)

Making up is a great way to expand your horizons!

Upcoming Duties

	<u>7 /30/97</u>	<u>8/6/97</u>	<u>8/13/97</u>
Songleader	Knight	Hawes	Hobbs
Invocation	Davidson	Daviero	Day
Raffle Gift	Carson	Conroy	Danielson
Conductor	Goodrich	Hawes	Hobbs

(These "lineups" have changed a bit- sorry
 The new editor is still learning....bear with me!!!)

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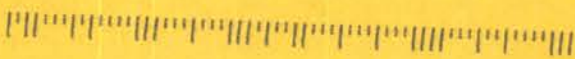
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Meeting Information

ROTARY CLAMBAKE

The annual clambake at Fort Williams was another smashing success! We broke bread (and lobsters) with the Casco Bay Club on a picture perfect summer evening at the Shelter. The food was superbly prepared, served on time (early even) and the event was well attended with spouses and kids. Some of the highlights included:

Captain Lloyd and **Ellen Knight** leading us in a rousing medley of Broadway Tunes including "Smile", "Hello Dolly" and the Clambake song.

Farmington Rotarian **Fred Smith** and "Northern Maine Rotarian" **Sam Giftos** leading us in a not-so rousing version of "Allouette". Fred apparently mistakenly believed Sam was from Northern Maine and wanted to make him feel "at home".

Mark Belanger, a new recruit from **David Smith's** office, serving clams with **Bob Flynn** (Bob knows how to whip new recruits into shape).

Bill Kourakos's multi-color pants. According to Bill "They match everything so I don't have to decide what shirt to wear".

HAPPY \$\$\$\$

Jimmy Russell for insisting that everyone introduce their spouse and forgetting his own;

Raffle winner **Mary Jo Cross** of the Casco Bay Club;

Grace Day thanking **David Bagdasarian** for curing Don of his snoring;

Dee Corton for getting a chance to meet **Bill Daviero** (who didn't return her phone calls quickly enough);

Dave Smith thanking us for hosting Casco Bay.

Thanks to **Kathy Ray** and the following helpers:

Alec and Sharon Livingston, Jack Roberts and Paul Butler, Mike Cantlin, Bob Danielson, Bob Flynn, Wayne Goodrich (in a supervising role only), Bob Carson, President Jim Russell, Joe Conroy, Phil and Claudette Dube, Keith McAlary, Warren Simpson, Bill Stanton, Don and Grace Day, Bob Howe, Dick Holden, Eleanor Brainin, Nancy Hawes and Dick and Priscilla Yerxa.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. Greek Night on August 27, 1997 at the Community Center
2. Casco Bay Sunrise Golf Tourney on August 13, 1997. See Bob Danielson for details.

Upcoming Programs

- August 6** Rick Dobson has invited Gail Merrill to speak on consumer education in Maine
- August 13** Speaker Patrick McGinnis will share his experience in Buenos Aires as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar
- August 20** Speaker Peter Johnson of the Yarmouth Rotary Club-"The Drinking Habits of the Europeans"- slides from our district's most recent Group Study Exchange to Poland and Sweden
- August 27** **GREEK NIGHT!!!** Also Bob Flynn will update us on the substance abuse program

Be sure to wish Nick Pappas a Happy Birthday next week (Wednesday, August 6)

Upcoming Duties

	<u>8/6/97</u>	<u>8/13/97</u>	<u>8/20/97</u>
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Invocation	Daviero	Day	Dobson
Raffle Gift	Conroy	Danielson	Davidson
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The "official" bulletin editor wants to thank Nancy Hawes and Bob Danielson for their pitching in to do the bulletin when I have been out of town- appreciate it!

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Christmas in August

Nancy Hawes reminded us as our songleader (White Christmas was her musical selection) that the Tree Sale is not that far off. Nancy checked out the tree farm this past weekend and said they look great. It won't be long now!

We were honored with a visit from Past President of Rotary International, **Chuck Keller** who is vacationing here in Maine. Chuck has worked with **Dan Mooers** and wanted to make up at Dan's home club.

Gail Merrill from Consumer Credit Counseling of Maine spoke to us about the educational services available. Personal bankruptcies are on the rise, the average consumer in this country possesses 11 credit cards and employees who are in financial trouble cost companies billion of dollars every year in lost time and lower productivity. Obviously prevention is the best solution to these problems, and prevention is best done through education. Consumer Credit Counseling offers a myriad number of seminars geared to varied groups; school children from kindergarten through high school, elderly people, potential divorcees and everyone in between. Gail arranges seminars for large companies as a service to their employees (246 seminars have been given to date this year). This is an excellent resource; thank you Rick Dobson for bringing such an interesting program.

Important Upcoming Events

8/12 Soup Kitchen- cookies, no nuts

8/16 Spring Point Festival- see Bob Lavasseur or Bob Howe, co-chairs. SMTC Campus; great fundraiser (lots of fun, too!)

8/13 Patrick McGinnis will speak at our meeting on his experiences as an ambassadorial scholar in Buenos Aires

8/20 Peter Johnson of the Yarmouth Club will tell our club all about his trip to Poland and Sweden as part of the GSE

8/27 GREEK NIGHT!!!! To be held at the Cape Elizabeth Community Center, 1226 Shore Road.

9/3 District Governor Marie Williams will visit our club

9/7 Our club will serve breakfast at Camp Sunshine (camp for seriously ill children)-this is a district event and serving breakfast is our contribution

Casco Bay Bridge Raffle

As most of you are aware our club is participating with the Portland Club in a raffle of a Ford Taurus. The winner of the raffle will also be the first driver over the new Casco Bay Bridge on August 30. Ticket envelopes are available at all Shop n Save locations (thanks to **Rick Dobson** for delivering them to all locations!) Rick also has additional envelopes for distribution We do not have to sell tickets, but obviously the more \$5.00 tickets that are sold, the more money we raise, so please help distribute tickets! \$5.00 for a chance to win a new \$20,000 car should sell themselves!! Special thanks to **Rick Dobson, Bob Packer, Wayne Goodrich, Kathy Ray and Keith McAlary** for all their hard work on this project. Even though the membership has not been deeply involved in this fundraiser that optimistically could generate \$5,000, much work has been done by these members.

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Songleader	Hobbs	Holden	Giftos
Invocation	Day	Dobson	Kourakas
Raffle Gift	Danielson	Davidson	Daviero
Conductor	Hobbs	Holden	Howe

**Congratulations to Paul and Jan Butler as well as Dick and Priscilla Yerxa
whose wedding anniversaries all fall on August 11
(same day, different years!)**

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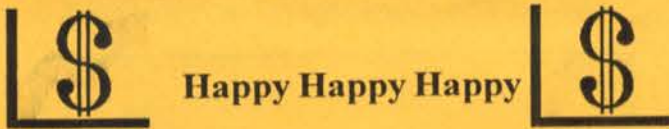
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Sam Giftos has a meeting with the District Nominating Committee on Saturday morning....hopefully our club will have some good news soon

Rick Dobson participated in the Casco Bay Golf Tournament... his illustrious team included aces **Bob Carson** and **Bill Daviero**. At 9 under par, Tiger Woods can relax for awhile....

Warren Simpson brought memories back of Glenn Miller at the Pier in Old Orchard....along with a trivia question....First gold record ever? Chatanooga Choo Choo"

Karen Dunfey introduced us to outgoing Youth Exchange Program participant from our Club, Greg Smith. Greg is leaving Saturday for a yearlong stay in Japan. Good job, Karen for all your hard work in making this happen.

Paul Butler has a makeup from the Scarborough meeting dated July 15- anyone want to claim this, see Paul.

Calendar Of Events

8/22 Peter Johnson from the Yarmouth Club (GSE leader) on trip to Sweden and Poland

8/25 Shot in the Dark for Cerebral Palsy at Purpoodock- fun event! See Don Day

8/27 GREEK NIGHT at Cape Community Center- Please call Sam Giftos to let him know if you are coming

8/30-31 Casco Bridge Opening- Raffle and Road Race on Sunday- see Don Day about race

9/3 District Governer Marie Williams will visit our Club- please try to make a special effort to attend

9/6 Our Club is serving continental breakfast at Camp Sunshine -our district is having a big weekend there to improve facilities at this camp for seriously ill children

Our speaker was Patrick McGinnis who participated last year as an Academic Ambassadorial Scholar in Argentinas. Peter attends Geogetown University majoring in economics.

Patrick stated that the area he was living, Winositio, was a very dynamic urban area whose population were very well educated, dispelling the common conception of all of South America as a poor, uneducated people. Patrick saw many interesting things while in Argentina, perhaps the most interesting being a country rebounding from a dictatorship to the system of democracy. The signs of old times were still present with the weekly Wednesday vigils/rallies held by "The Mothers of Those That Disappeared"- mothers of young people who disagreed with, or opposed government policy between 1976-1983 who were never heard from again.

On a more uplifting note, Patrick visited many countries including Colombia, Brazil, Chile, Bolivia and Ecuador (his least favorite), as well as the lost Incan ruins in Peru. It seemed as though social unrest and guerilla warfare followed him closely, although he stated that he never felt unsafe.

Rotary is very active and visible in all of South America- Patrick said that when you came into a town the first two things you saw were a Coca-Cola sign, then the Rotary emblem. Patrick visited 11 different Rotary clubs while he was away; they typically have about 25 members, the smallest club that Patrick met with had seven members (I'll bet that they do not have to staff a Christmas tree sale there!!) Some of the questions that Patrick was asked by the folks he visited went from the very superficial, "Why are all Americans so fat?" to questions on the American position on Cuba. Partrick was a very articulate speaker and an excellent ambassador for our country

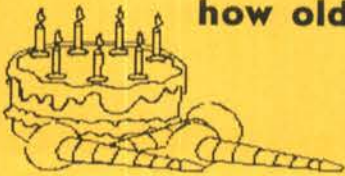
The idea behind these exchanges is to promote better world understanding and harmony by allowing exchanges of ideas and culture Over 1000 students participate annually in this program, with Rotary Inmternational funding between \$20 to \$30 million dollars for the program. From the interesting talk that Patrick gave (and what we will hear from our GSE representative next week), it works!

Reminder that there will be a Board Meeting after next week's meeting (8/22), moved from 8/27

Upcoming Birthdays

Joe Conroy 8/16
Dave Nisbet 8/17
Dick Holden 8/18

**We won't mention
 how old they are!**



Rotarian participation at the Soup Kitchen on Tuesday evening was excellent! Those participating included:

Bill Stanton (*has he ever missed?*)
Wayne Goodrich
Edie and Dan Davidson
Dan Mooers
Bob Packer
Phil Dube and daughter Maria
Adrienne Murphy and niece Lauren
Karen Dunfey and daughter Neala
Rick and Diane Dobson
Joe Conroy
President Jim Russell
 Almost 250 "customers" were served

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8/20 Sngleader **Holden**
8/27 Invocation **Dobsen**
9/3 Raffle Gift **Davidson**
9/3 Conductor **Holden**
8/27 Giftos **Howe**
9/3 Kourakas **Dube**
9/3 Daviero **Day**
9/3 Howe **Kilroy**

Anniversaries:

8/14 Bill & Lucy Stanton
8/16 Jeff and Linda Gabrielson



PLEASE REMEMBER TO SUPPORT OUR RAFFLE FOR THE NEW FORD TAURUS, AND FIRST TRIP ACROSS THE CASCO BAY BRIDGE- TICKETS ARE ONLY \$5.00 AND MUST BE IN BY 8/22/97



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Happy Happy Happy



Mike McGovern was presented to the Nominating Committee for District Governor by **Sam Giftos**, **Nancy Hawes** and **Paul Butler** for Rotary Year 1999-2000; no news yet.....but stay tuned....

Keith McAlary was definitely happy that he was offered and accepted a position with People's Heritage Bank

Eleanor Brainin was happy that chicken sandwiches are easier to cook than chicken sticks... she should know!!!

Welcome back **Dieter Schnauk** !!!!

Thanks to **Bob Howe** and **Bob Lavasseur** for co-chairing the Spring Point Festival on 8/16- turnout for the event was lighter than normal (perhaps because of the heat); we did get our fair share of those in attendance. Final figures are not in yet. Thanks to all who participated!

Dan Gacetta has Seadogs tickets for the end of next week (Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 8/28-8/30) The Seadogs are playing Trenton (Bosox team). Call Dan if you are interested

Reminder that next week's meeting (8/27) will be **Greek Night** at the Cape Community Center. If you have not been in contact with **Sam Giftos**, please do so ASAP.

Happy Anniversary!!!

Jeff and Susan Hobbs 8/22/87
Bob and Amy Lavasseur 8/22/92



Calendar Of Events

8/25 *Shot in the Dark for Cerebral Palsy at Purpoodock- fun event! See Don Day*
5:00- 10:00

8/27 *GREEK NIGHT at Cape Community Center*

8/30-31 *Casco Bridge Opening- Raffle and Road Race on Sunday- meet at VIP parking lot at 7:30 a.m.*

9/3 *District Governer Marie Williams will visit our Club- please try to make a special effort to attend*

9/6 *Our Club is serving continental breakfast at Camp Sunshine -our district is having a big weekend there to improve facilities at this camp for seriously ill children. We need about 8 people to serve 250- let's carpool- see Bob Packer*

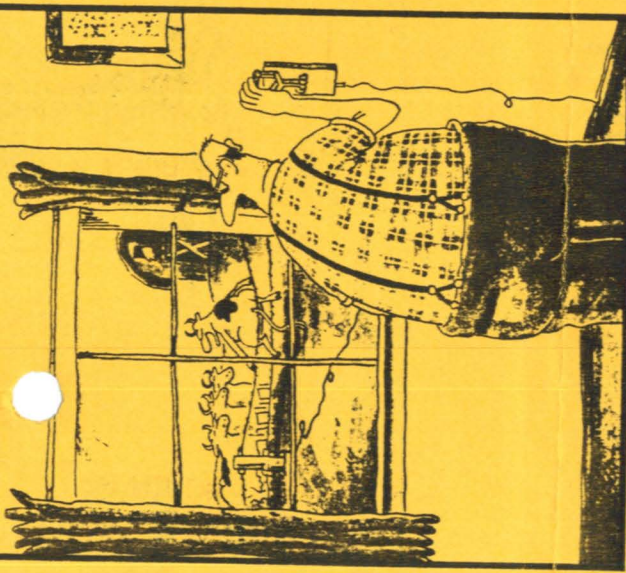
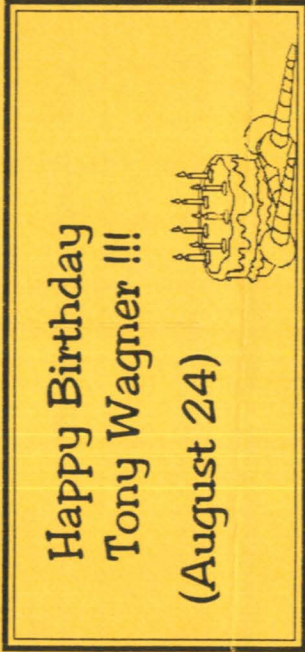
9/20 *Hands on Project at Fort Williams- painting garages*

Peter Johnson from the Yarmouth Club gave us a very animated, interesting perspective as our GSE team leader to Poland and Sweden. Poland is a beautiful country, rebuilt from the devastation of WWII. The people were generous (to a fault), and definitely showed remarkable hospitality to the team. Religion is extremely important to the Poles, and so is maintaining a sense of humor. Sweden was more austere, the people more reserved. The taxes in Sweden run 58% (and we thought our are high!), subsequently business development and expansion is non-existent.

Peter stated that these trips are "All about meeting people"....and bringing home the message of PAX (peace). Peter did an excellent job of sharing his trip with us, and giving us a better understanding of Poland and Sweden

Upcoming Duties

Songleader	8/27	9/3	9/10
Invocation	Gifts	Howe	Kilroy
Raffle Gift	Kourakos	Dube	Dunfey
Conductor	Daviero	Day	Dobson
	Howe	Kilroy	Knight



"Look, if it was electric, could I do this?"

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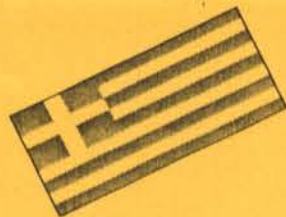
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Greek Night

Our Club was wined and dined with perfect Greek hospitality Wednesday evening at the Cape Community Center. Along with our usual patriotic introductory song, we also enjoyed the Greek National anthem, as well as The Lord's Prayer in Greek. Bill Kourakas was "officially" in charge, ably assisted on the "second team" by Sam Giftos and Bob Carson. Bill then introduced the "first team" as the real movers and shakers for the evening (not to mention gourmet chefs!); Helene Giftos, Sophie Kourakas, Penny Carson and a return engagement by Emily Cherry (Helene's sister). The food was delicious (spanikopita was fabulous!!!) Thank you so much for bringing some "culture" to our club!! Bill also had thanks for other who also contributed to the success of the evening: Kathy Ray and Wayne Goodrich for bringing supplies to the center, Jack Roberts for use of his truck and grill, Bob Lavasseur for delivering beverages and Dave Lourie, without whose canopy we may not have been able to grill outside. Thank you for such an enjoyable evening!



Happy Anniversary!

President Jim and Vicke Russell 8/29/89
Bob and Penny Carson 8/29/64



Perfect Attendance Awards

- 1 Year Karen Dunfey
- 2 Years Wayne Goodrich
- 3 Years Kathy Ray
- 26 Years Sam Giftos

Congratulations!!

The Casco Bay Bridge Opening Raffle was a success!!! **Rick Dobson** announced that Gianna Floyd from Cape Elizabeth was the winner of the Ford Taurus and will have the honor of crossing the new bridge first at the opening ceremonies. Mrs. Floyd was selected from 6,000 entries (obviously we had many, many late entrants). The final tally is not in yet, but this will be a great fundraiser for our Club (with little effort from most of the membership). Rick Dobson needs help at his office (Consumer Credit at 160 Fox Street, Portland) on Tuesday evening at 5:00p.m. to finish sorting checks, cash, etc. Thank you Rick, for all of your hard work on this project!

Upcoming Duties

	9/3	9/10	9/17
Songleader	Howe	Kilroy	Knight
Invocation	Dube	Dunfey	Flynn
Raffle Gift	Day	Dobson	Dube
Conductor	Kilroy	Knight	Kourakas

Upcoming Events

9/6 Camp Sunshine - our club is responsible for serving Continental Breakfast for 250 workers- please get in touch with President Jim if you have not already signed up

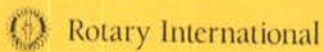
9/3 District Governor Marie Williams will be visiting our club (the first female DG for District 7780). Please make a special effort to attend

9/10 Bob Flynn will be speaking on the Drug Abuse Program

9/20 Hands on Project at Fort Williams, painting garages- dig out your painting clothes and brushes!



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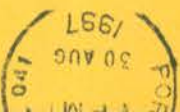
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Congratulations Mike McGovern !!

It is official!! Our own Micheal McGovern has been chosen as District Governor for Rotary District #7780 for the year 1999-2000. Current District Governor Marie Williams made the announcement at our meeting, citing Mike's continued dedication to Rotary (she also presented Mike with a 10 Year Perfect Attendance Award). We are proud of you, Mike, and look forward to your leading our District into the 22nd century!

Welcome!

A hearty welcome goes out to our newest member, Mark Boulanger. Mark is a CPA with Dawson Smith Purvis and Bassett (our recently retired Dave Smith's firm), lives in Scarborough with his wife Julie. We are glad to have you, Mark, despite Alec Livingston's improper spelling of your name. (Alec did pay a fine!)

Kudos

To **Don Day** for organizing the successful road race laset weekend. With 1500 runners this was the largest race ever in Maine (participant **B.J. Nicholson** declared it was one of the best organized and fun races he has been in). It was also a great fund-raiser for us, too (final number are not in yet, but it looks like our portion will be around \$4600.00) Thanks also to **Alec Livingston** who originally brought this idea to the Board months ago.

To **Rick Dobson** for all of his hard work on the Casco Bay Bridge Raffle. There were close to 6000 entrants (great considering one week before the drawing we had only 600!) This was a good fundraiser (not final tally, but around \$2500.00 to our club). Rick also stated that he felt our club was very well represented in the division of workload with the Portland Club. Rick recognized **Alec Livingston** for being the initial point person on this event, and **Wayne Goodrich, Jim Russell, Don Day, Bob Packer** and, of course, **Rick's wife Dianne** for helping to make this so successful.

District Governor Marie Williams and her husband Bruce visited our Club on Wednesday and shared her view of this Rotary Year. Marie believes that Glen Kinross' motto of "Show Rotary Cares" can best be facilitated by striking at the roots of our world's problems; illiteracy and numeracy (lack of mathematical skills). Poverty, violence, domestic violence, etc stem from not having the skills to succeed in today's world. By removing the stigma of these problems, we will be better able to eradicate them. Marie challenged us to come up with new, creative ways to address these issues.

Our district has a goal of contributing \$105,000 to the Rotary Foundation this year (which can be done if every Rotarian in the district donated 12 cents a day) Without the Foundation, many of our worthwhile efforts would not be available (GSE exchanges, Ambassadorial Scholarships, matching project grants) Think about what you can do...start small...consider donating to the Foundation in lieu of other charities...

Membership development is key to the success of Rotary; new members bring fresh blood, new ideas. (Look at our newer members and all they have contributed to our Club- **Bob Howe, Keith McAlary and Rick Dobson** to name a few) Think about who you can bring to our Club (obviously someone thought enough of you to bring you in)

The hardest challenge Marie gave us was to **HAVE FUN WHILE WORKING**. Smile every day. If you are not enjoying yourself in what you do every day, change it. Laughter is good for the body and soul, do it often. Marie has added bonus points toward the President's Citation Award for photos showing Rotarians at work on projects and having fun doing it

As Jackie Robinson put it "One's life is not important except the impact it has on other lives"

Show Rotary Cares

Thank you Marie and Bruce for coming and sharing your vision with us.

Upcoming Duties

Songleader	9/10	9/17	9/24
Invocation	Kilroy	Knight	Kourakas
Raffle Gift	Dunfey	Flynn	Gacetta
Conductor	Dobson	Dube	Dunfey
	Boulanger*	Kilroy	Knight

* note change in schedule



Anniversaries:

9/6/69 Rick and Dianne Dobson
9/10/83 Bob and Alicia Danielson

REMEMBER TO SET ASIDE SAYTURDAY, 9/20 FOR A HANDS ON PROJECT AT FT. WILLIAMS PARK- WE WILL BE PAINTING GARAGES

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Camp Sunshine

Three hundred Rotarians worked at Camp Sunshine this past weekend. The activity center, which is 23,000 sq. ft. of space was completely shingled and stained by the end of the weekend. Our club was responsible for serving breakfast on Saturday morning. Bob Packer had things so well organized that **President Jim** said everyone else could socialize. Those participating from our club (beside Bob and Jim) were: **Don Day, Mike Mc Govern, Paul and Jan Butler, Edie and Dan Davidson, Nancy Hawes and Phil Dube.** Karen Dunfey was also on hand (along with 12 energetic exchange students!) Thanks also to **Bob Carson** for being hospitable to the exchange team (and Karen) by allowing them to "camp out" at his cottage. This was a very worthy project; Camp Sunshine is a place where terminally ill children and their families can go for a much needed family vacation.

WELCOME

We welcomed our newest member on Wednesday evening (ending **Mark Boulanger's** short tenure as newest member). She is **Cynthia Mowles**, the Superintendent of Cape Elizabeth Schools. Cynthia lives in the Saco area, earned her Master's degree from BU, and is a former member of the Saco Bay Rotary Club where she held the position of program chair and club secretary. With all this experience, we are lucky to have Cynthia-welcome!!!!

SOUP KITCHEN

Bill Stanton, Bob Packer, Dan Davidson and Dave & Matt Lourie worked at the Soup Kitchen this past Tuesday. Bob Packer reported that Rotarian staffing was very sparse. This is a very worthwhile project that our Club has committed to participate with. Given the size of our Club, each of us should only have to work once or twice a year. Think about it, and let's get a broader participation in the Club. It makes you feel very fortunate for what you have; spouses and children are certainly welcome, too

HELP!!!

Karen Dunfey has asked us to bring in "American" promotional items to be collected for exchange student gifts (mugs, T-shirts, pens, etc.) These are the most popular items for these students. Karen will bring in a box to collect these items every week.

Substance Abuse

Our own **Bob Flynn** was our speaker Wednesday evening. The subject of Bob's talk was the Substance Abuse Program which Bob has been working on for our Club. Some history; Bob was the Community Services Director for two years prior to this Rotary year. During the interview process to select candidates for the Ryla Program, Bob was struck by the discussions he had with the students regarding substance abuse; all of the kids said that there was a problem in their schools with these things, all of the students said that alcohol and marijuana were the most prevalent. It was clear that these kids felt that existing drug programs were ineffective; "kids do not want to listen to what adults have to say". Working on this premise, Bob had the idea to put together a program created by kids, to present to other kids. Bob came to the Board of Directors of our club for help (\$\$) to get this going, which was granted. This will be a multi-media program (audio, visual, graphically interesting) to get the kids attention. It will be interactive, not just a presentation. Bob sees this as students doing the filming, interviewing, etc. and they will get school credit for participating. The students will also do presentations to large companies for financial backing. (with a Rotarian).


Ultimately, Bob is hoping to put together a system where different groups or clubs could take it and customize it to suit their area. To do this, we are going to need to raise money from other clubs (our club has paid to get the prototype going). Bob may be asking for some help in visiting other clubs and doing presentations (he has already met with the Bridgton and Fryeburg Clubs with good results). If we can get this program up and running, it could have far reaching consequences. Bob has put much time and effort into this program- let's give him our support, and any help he needs in continuing. Thank you Bob for such an interesting meeting!

Upcoming Duties
 9/17 9/24 10/1

Songleader	Knight	Kourakas	Levasseur
Invocation	Flynn	Gacetta	Gemme
Raffle Gift	Dube	Dunfey	Flynn
Conductor	Mowles*	Kilroy	Knight

* note change in schedule

President **Jim Russell** has
 much to celebrate
 his birthday on **September 15**
 &
 His and **Vicke's TENTH** anniversary
 on **September 29**
Congratulations



These are classifications that are currently open in our Club:
 Actuary Services
 Advertising
 Air Conditioning
 Amusements
 Antiques

Do you know anyone in these fields who would be an asset to our Club?



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Fort Williams painting project has been postponed until October



President Jim Russell had a sad dollar for Alec Livingston's needing to have a second angioplasty this week. The good news is that Alec is doing very well, and should be up and at 'em soon. Get well, soon, Alec (and make this the last trip to Maine Medical Center!!!)

Karen Dunfey is very happy that, thanks to a District Carl Miller Discovery Grant, she will be joining a group from our District going to Romania. Karen will be in Romania from November 1 through November 11. Karen urged everyone to please bring in any "American" brand items for giveaways in Romania (the youth in Europe want anything American.) Congratulations, Karen!

Nancy Hawes will be happy if she can find someone to guide her in having new signs made for our Xmas Tree Sale. If you have any information, please let Nancy know (December is right around the corner....)

Karen Dunfey introduced our speaker Wednesday evening, John Walker. John is a South Portland native and currently resides in Cape Elizabeth. He has a broad background including having held the position of Executive Director of the Council of Governments. John is also a faithful patron of our annual Tree Sale (and even fell prey to the salesmanship of Adrienne Murphy on the many and varied features of the tree stands).

John is currently the Director of the Maine Association of Non-Profits. This organization benefits various volunteer and non-profit organizations (there are 1300 of these groups in Maine alone!) Some of what Maine Association of Non-Profits does for these groups is:

- ** Assistance with Training and Leadership
- ** Helps the groups realize efficiencies-group insurance, volume purchasing, etc.
- ** Advocacy- helping them conform to the checks and balance systems the government has in place for these groups
- ** Organizational Development- Providing a leadership network

The face of non-profit organizations has changed in the last few years; there is increasing skepticism from the public on fund-raising tactics. Considering non-profits comprise 10% of the total workforce in this country, it appears that the Maine Association of Non-Profits is providing a very valuable service. Thank you John for enlightening us on a topic many of us knew little about.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 9/24 Surprise Program (don't know what it is yet!)
- 10/1 Phil Dube will bring us Mason Philip Smith (Discussion on Russia)
- 10/8 Wayne Goodrich brings us Paul Violette from Maine Turnpike Authority
- 10/15 Don Day brings us Julia Lipez and Rachel White- CEHS- Whitewater
- 10/25 Rotary District Foundation Meeting at University of New England in Biddeford-meeting is from 9:00 to Noon. Great opportunity to learn more about the many important functions of the Foundation

Special Congratulations!

Dan and Edie Davidson celebrated
35 year anniversary September 15
Daughter Meridan is getting married
Saturday, September 20

Upcoming Duties

**Songleader
Invocation
Raffle Gift
Conductor**

**9/24
Kourakas
Gacetta
Dunfey
Kilroy**

**10/1
Levasseur
Gemme
Flynn
Knight**

**10/5
Livingston
Giftos
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**Happy Birthday Tom
Moulton
(September 20)**

Happy Anniversary!

**September 27
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Open Classifications

These are classifications that are currently open in our Club. Do you know anyone from these professions who would make a good addition to our group?

Asphalt	Artist
Automobile Sales	Aviation
Baking	Barber

Eleanor Brainin introduced Jane Sheehan, the Vice President of Administration of the Foundation for Blood Research; her assistant, Harriet Dawson also assisted. The Foundation is a non-profit organization started 30 years ago; they do tests for all the pre-natal screening in Maine.

“Science Works” is another program of the Foundation to help school science teachers. The program helps supplement high school science programs with needed supplies and knowledge, to help ensure a scientifically literate public. They also assist in re-distributing overstocked or unused science supplies to high schools. This is an excellent opportunity for companies to donate used equipment; the Foundation refurbishes and services the equipment and distributes it. To date, over \$1,000,000 worth of equipment has been distributed among more than 100 schools, and over 180 teachers have attended workshops.

The Foundation is affiliated with the University of Southern Maine (Program of Endocrinology); this department actually conducts classes at the Foundation.

Thank you to Eleanor for bringing such an interesting program!



Alec Livingston was happy and sad-happy obviously to have his second angioplasty behind him, sads for the passing of Sharon's stepfather on Monday. Our Club offers Sharon our condolences and welcome back Alec!

Bob Carson was happy that Penny has been honored as the Portland Economic Developer for 1997.

Dan Davidson was happy about the festivities of his daughter Meridan's wedding last Saturday.

Mike Cantlin is riding a 5 mile ride on an Apaloosa to benefit Spurwink Therapeutic Riding Program-sponsors, anyone?

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Happy Birthday!

Bill Stanton (October 1)



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Gacetta
Kourakas**

**10/15
Lourie
Goodrich
Gemme
Levasseur**

Happy Anniversary !
September 27
Bob and Kathy Howe

Painting at Fort Williams has been moved to Saturday, October 26 Bob Packer is looking for 2 co-chairs- one for painting, one for cooking- Please see Bob if you can help!

Our attendance for the month of July was 73.7 %, placing us 18th out of the 31 clubs reporting- an increase of 7% would put us in the top 8 in the Distnct. We miss you when you are not here (and makeups are a great opportunity to meet new people!)

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