

**January 23, 2008**

**From The Secretary's Corner - Did You Know?**

That if you are planning to attend the **World Peace & Understanding** Dinner on February 23 at the Marriott at Sable Oaks and want to beat the early bird deadline (and save \$5.00 per person), you need to sign up at next week's meeting on the 30th or let Phil Dube or Secretary Paul know before then. The cost before February 1 is \$55.00. This is a great opportunity for newer members to see what Rotary is all about on the national level. It isn't every day that the President of RI visits so close to home.

**Raffle Prize** - Tonight's raffle prize, a gift to be determined donated by Dick Yerxa, was won by Frank Gemme.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were given tonight by Janet McLaughlin, John LoBosco, David Lourie, Dave Bagdasarian, Frank Butterworth, Marge Barker, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Jack Roberts, Paul McKenney, Joan Frustaci, Phil Dube, Frank Gemme, Paul Butler, Joe Conroy, Jim Russell and John Eliassen.

**Membership Memo** - John LoBosco has more "Be My Guest" cards if you have someone in mind to invite to a Rotary meeting.

**Nominating Committee** - Tonight the club accepted the following nominations for officers for the 2008-2009.

President Elect - Joan Frustaci  
Vice President - John LoBosco  
Directors - Phil Dube, Dave Bagdasarian,  
Marge Barker and Wayne Schaab  
Treasurer - Nancy Hawes  
Secretary - Paul Butler  
Director-At-Large - Tony Wagner

**Photos Wanted** - Adrienne Murphy has asked anyone who has photos from this year's tree sale to forward them to her.

**Food Pantry** - Joe Conroy has asked the club members to bring a 1 lb canned ham to next week's meeting as part of our ongoing effort to support our local food pantry. The following week will be hash and Spam.

**Wine Tasting** - The 10th Annual Rotary Social, Beer & Wine Tasting & Silent Auction is scheduled for Wednesday, February 6 from 5:30-8:30 pm at DiMillo's. Please contact Carol from the Casco Bay Sunrise Club at copec@mmc.org for more info.

**National Honor Society Fund-Raiser** - On Sunday, January 27, Uno's Restaurant will donate 20% of your bill to the Kayanet Children's Home located in Kenya. Marge is looking for people to sign up from 11:30 am to 9:00 pm to help meet and greet people at the restaurant. You must have your coupon in order to get the discount. If you need more, please contact her.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Rachel Davis, Children's Librarian at TML. Rachel spoke to us on the program she started with Rotary funding called **The Lonely Books Club**. The club consists of 391 titles that had not been taken out in at least the last 5 years. After conducting this program, 241 of the books had been taken out at least once. The 92 club members, average age 10, gave wonderful reviews about discovering these great old books that were just sitting on the shelf. Thank you to Bob Danielson for inviting Rachel to speak to us tonight.

**Upcoming Events**

-January 30 - Craig LePine, Cultivating Community (Bill Daviero, Program Chair)  
-February 6 - Jim Ortiz, SMCC  
-February 13 - Club Assembly

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**January 30**

Song	Mutty
Invocation	P. Cotter
Raffle Gift	Bagdasarian
Conductor	Schmidt

**February 6**

Song	Ray
Invocation	Danielson
Raffle Gift	Barker
Conductor	Simpson

**February 13**

Song	Roberts
Invocation	Davidson
Raffle Gift	Brainin
Conductor	Swift-Kayatta

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