From The Secretary's Corner - Did You Know? That a doctor examined a woman, took the husband aside, and said, "I don't like the looks of your wife at all." "Me neither, doc," said the husband, "but she's a great cook and really good with the kids."

A blonde calls Delta Airlines and asks, "Can you tell me how long it'll take to fly from San Francisco to NYC?" The agent replies, "Just a minute..." "Thank you," the blond says and hangs up.

<u>Raffle Prize</u> - Tonight's raffle prize, a gift certificate to Parker's Restaurant donated by Dave Bagdasarian, was won by Tak Suppasettawat.

Happy Dollars - Dollars were given tonight by Janet McLaughlin, Eleanor Brainin, Jack Roberts, Joe Conroy, Bob Danielson, Wayne Schaab, Wayne Goodrich, Paul McKenney, Thurston Holt, Kathy Cotter, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Nancy Hawes, Frank Butterworth, Joan Frustaci, Tak Suppasettawat, Bill Daviero, Paul Butler and Warren Simpson (Who wanted everyone to know that although February 23 is the 103rd anniversary of Rotary, he was not at the first meeting.)

<u>Nominating Committee</u> - Tonight the club voted in the following slate of 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

<u>New Member</u> - Tonight we inducted our newest member, Tak Suppasettawat. She lives in CE with her husband, Fred and daughter, Nina. She is a broker for Merrill Lynch. Please take the time to introduce yourself. Welcome Tak!

World Peace & Understanding Dinner - The Board of Directors has voted to lower the cost to \$35 for members who sign up by February 15 for the dinner at Sable Oaks. If you are planning on attending, please contact Paul Butler ASAP.

<u>Food Pantry</u> - Joe Conroy has asked club members to bring a can of baked beans or hash to our next meeting. If you forgot to bring your ham tonight, he will still accept it next week.

<u>Wine Tasting</u> - 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 coopec@mmc.org for more info.

National Honor Society Fund-Raiser Wrap Up - Marge Barker thanked several members of the club who showed up Sunday to support the effort. Unfortunately, because of the format of having to have a coupon, only \$80 was raised. However, Marge does report that the high school students raised \$2200 at their semi-formal Saturday night.

Program - Tonight's speaker was Craig LePine with Cultivating Community. This organization is a garden-based learning project for schools and youth organizations. They currently provide 50 households and 15 elderly families with 100% of their vegetable needs throughout the 20 weeks of summer. The group relies on 500-600 volunteers to help with their projects. Thank you to Bill Daviero for inviting Craig to speak to us tonight.

Upcoming Events

- -February 6 Jim Ortiz, SMCC
- -February 12 Soup Kitchen
- -February 13 Club Assembly
- -February 20 Dr. Robert McAfee (Paul Butler, PC)
- -February 27-Charles Colgan, Community Planning & Development (Rick Dobson, Program Chair)

ASSIGNMENTS

February 6

Song Ray
Invocation Danielson
Raffle Gift Barker
Conductor Simpson

February 13

Song Roberts
Invocation Davidson
Raffle Gift Brainin
Conductor Swift-Kayatta

February 20

Song Russell
Invocation Daviero
Raffle Gift Bugbee
Conductor Wells

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Rotary Club of Trenton, Ontario, Canada

RI DIRECTOR & VICE PRESIDENT 2007-08 Michael K. McGovern

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