

June 11, 2008

Secretary's Corner - Did you know: That in less than 4 months, we have taken in 5 new members; **namely Tak Suppasettawat, Janel Voelker, Sean O'Hare, Sybil Riemensnider and Sondra SeungJa Doe.** Have you personally introduced yourself to these new members? They need to be felt welcome by all of us, and they need to be included in as many of our activities and committees as possible as we go forward. I also understand that **Keith Wells** is returning to active attendance, and he needs to be included in all of the above. Keith joined us 9 months ago.

Raffle Gift - Tonight's raffle prize, cannoli shells donated by Dan Gacetta, were won by John Hewitt.

Happy Dollars - Dollars were given tonight by Kathy Cotter, Nancy Hawes, Joan Frustaci, Janet McLaughlin, Fawn Dunphy, Marc Mutty, John LoBosco, Eleanor Brainin, Steve Wilcox, Cindy Doucette, Tak Sappasettawat, Bob Flynn, Joe Conroy, Marge Barker, Paul McKenney, Phil Dube, Bill Daviero and Wayne Goodrich.

"Project Jack" Wrap Up - Jack Roberts would like to thank Bob Flynn, Marge Barker, Paul Butler, Joe Conroy, Kathy Cotter, Dan Davidson, Phil Dube, Joan Frustaci, Frank Gemme, Wayne Goodrich, John & Rose Kennealy, Janet McLaughlin, Marc Mutty, Kathy Ray, Tony Wagner and Dick Yerxa who helped with the project. On behalf of these members, Jack donated \$340 to the Rotary Foundation.

Changeover Night - On June 25, we will be having our annual Changeover Night at DiMillo's. You need to contact Phil Dube even if you are not attending, so that we can get an accurate head count. Cost per person is \$28.

New Member - We inducted our newest member tonight; Curtis Hamilton. Curtis is a Project Manager with Goodwill Industries and is a resident of South Portland. He was proposed by John LoBosco.

Public Works Luncheon - This year's luncheon will be on Tuesday, June 24 from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. If you would like to participate, please contact Fawn Dunphy.

Soup Kitchen Wrap Up - Joe Conroy thanked Steve Wilcox, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Paul Butler, Dick Yerxa, Dave Bagdasarian, Marge Barker, John LoBosco's family and the Vaughn family for serving tonight. The next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, July 8.

To Eat or Not To Eat - Janet McLaughlin passed around a questionnaire relating to the possible move from the Purpoodock Club during construction. Please complete these forms and give them to Janet, Nancy Hawes or Bob Danielson. If you did not receive a form, please contact Janet and verbalize your concerns.

Help Wanted - Joan Frustaci is looking for a Chairperson for this year's PSO Concert on Thursday, July 3. If you can help out, please let her know.

Sea Scouts - Our Sea Scout troop is doing a yard sale collection. If you have items you'd like to donate, please contact Dan Davidson or Tony Wagner for pick up.

Honduras Water Project - Anyone interested in going to Honduras from September 13-20 as part of the monitoring project of our biosand filters, please contact Dick Hall of the Portland Rotary Club at **dickhall@maine.rr.com.**

Program - Tonight's speaker was our own Paul McKenney speaking about the Greater Portland Council of Governments (GPCOG). The 28 members of this group are involved in such things as sustainability development and thinking about long-term solutions to our local problems. A good example is the development of a regional crime lab that all members can use. Particularly interesting is the issue of resource depletion. Thank you, Paul, for speaking to us tonight.

Upcoming Events

- June 14 - Family Fun Day
- June 18 - Regular Meeting
- June 24 - Public Works Luncheon
- June 25 - Changeover Night
- July 3 - PSO Concert
- July 8 - Soup Kitchen

ASSIGNMENTS

June 18

Song	P. Cotter
Invocation	LoBosco
Raffle Gift	Gemme
Conductor	Dunphy

June 25

Song	Danielson
Invocation	Lourie
Raffle Gift	Goodrich
Conductor	Eliassen

July 2

Song	Daviero
Invocation	McKenney
Raffle Gift	Hamilton
Conductor	Flynn

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