

November 11, 2009

From The Secretary's Corner - Did You Know?

That a former member of our club writes, "Months have passed and my appreciation for seeing you all presenting and sharing a reel together remains. I thank you for that opportunity to show you what I do - making films. It was a pleasure to show you 'Life In A Minute,' which is still airing on MPBN. My most recent documentary is now in the hands of a 'big' network - I'll let you know what develops. A great joy to see you all! I send you my very best wishes. You are a wonderful group of people and a top notch club! Will see you again, hopefully, in the very near future." Handshakes & hugs, Sharyn (Paul Brusie).

Raffle - Tonight's raffle prize, a Meat House gift certificate donated by Jim Russell, was won by visiting Rotarian, Ron, who donated it to the SP Food Pantry.

Happy Dollars - Dollars were given tonight by Joan Frustaci, David Lourie, John Eliassen, Paul McKenney, Frank Butterworth, Rick Dobson, Dick Yerxa, Bill York, Jack Kennealy, Dan Mooers, Marc Mutty, Dan Davidson, Bob Carson, Tony Wagner, Jack Roberts, Jim Russell, Nancy Hawes and John LoBosco.

Tree Sale - On November 15 at 8:00 am, we need volunteers to meet at the fire barn to rebuild and reconfigure the corral. In addition, on Saturday, November 21 at 8:00 am, we will be setting up the lot. We will be meeting at 7:15 am at the Fire Barn to load the truck with items to take to the lot. John LoBosco passed around the sign up sheet for tree shifts at tonight's meeting, as well as for the first tree unloading. John is looking for a refreshment chair at the lot, if you are interested. Just a reminder, everyone is expected to sign up for four shifts. More details to follow.

Soup Kitchen Wrap Up - Joe Conroy would like to thank the stellar crew that came to help out at the Soup Kitchen. Setting up was Anne Swift-Kayatta and Steve Wilcox. Serving were Tony Wagner, Paul Butler, Dave Bagdasarian & friends, John LoBosco and family, Jim & Tori Russell, Dick Yerxa, Carol Vaughn & family/friends. Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, December 8.

Warren Simpson and Dan Gacetta Updates - Warren continues to recover at Pine Point Nursing Home. The club will be holding a special meeting at 4:00 pm on Monday, November 16 at the nursing home if you are interested in attending. Dan is doing OK, but would appreciate a few more visitors at the Scarborough Veterans Home. These are two of our charter members, both are now in their 90s and we should show some support for these elder gentlemen.

Club Vouchers - Once again, the club will be reimbursing any member who sees a need in the community for up to \$50. Please see Nancy Hawes to turn in your vouchers for reimbursement.

School Supplies Needed - Paul McKenney asked to the club tonight if we would collect surplus school supplies, such as pens, pencils, glue sticks, backpacks, etc., to send over to Iraq for his son to distribute at one of the two schools in his administrative area. We will be doing this over the next four weeks, so please bring any donations to a meeting.

Bug Light Work Detail Wrap Up - Bill York would like to thank Dave Bagdasarian, John LoBosco, Wayne Schaab, Joan Frustaci, Dick Yerxa, Jack Roberts, Bob Flynn and Aaron Milberger and his wife who helped out with cutting and hauling away 8-10 pickup truckloads of debris from Bug Light. The lighthouse area looks much better now.

Program - Tonight's meeting was a Club Assembly, featuring topics such as the Foundation, the tree sale and membership. Because of time constraints, the Avenue of Service directors were not able to speak tonight, so we will be hearing from them at future meetings.

Upcoming Events

- November 12-Adrienne & Steve Murphy (Anniversary)
- November 15 - Work detail at the fire barn
- November 18 - Tamara Lee Pinard, SP Long Creek
- November 19 - Foundation Seminar, 6-8 pm, Bath
- November 21 - Tree lot set up
- November 25 - No meeting
- November 27 - First Tree Unloading
- December 2 - Frank Butterworth, Rotary Foundation

ASSIGNMENTS

November 18

Song	Redman
Invocation	Butterworth
Raffle Gift	Schaab
Conductor	Russell

December 2

Song	Riemensnider
Invocation	Carson
Raffle Gift	Speh
Conductor	Schaab

December 9

Song	Roberts
Invocation	Conroy
Raffle Gift	Suppasettawat
Conductor	Speh

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