

February 9, 2011

Soup Kitchen Wrap Up – Joe Conroy would like to thank Paul Butler, Dick Yerxa, Bill York, John Thibodeau, Dave Bagdasarian with Kim, Bill Phillips, John, Emily & Sue LoBosco, Chuck Redman & Mimi and Chris Newell & her Interact students who served at last night's Soup Kitchen. Because the dishwasher broke, they had to stay later helping to wash the dishes. Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, March 8.

Raffle – Tonight's raffle prize, a Jewel of India gift certificate donated by Paul Butler, was won by Evelyn Garland.

Happy Dollars – Dollars were given tonight by Marge Barker, Nancy Hawes, Frank Butterworth, Jim Rowe, Bill Phillips, Kathy Cotter, Evelyn Garland, Joe Conroy, Tom Meyers, Joan Frustaci, Dan Davidson, Bob Carson, David Lourie, Nancy Irving, Bob Danielson, Bill York and John LoBosco.

Beer & Wine Tasting and Silent Auction – Last week, the meeting at DiMillo's was canceled because of the snow. They have rescheduled it for Tuesday, March 15. Our club will be meeting on March 16 as previously scheduled, but you're more than welcome to use it as a makeup and enjoy the fellowship. The cost is \$30 in advance or \$35 at the door.

Magazines Wanted – We are still collecting old Rotarian magazines to distribute to local businesses as a way to raise Rotary awareness. Please make sure that the issues are less than 2 years old and bring them to Tony Wagner at a future meeting.

GSE Team – In April, a GSE Team from Hong Kong will be arriving in our district. John Eliassen is looking for host families for this time period. Please contact him if you can help.

World Peace & Understanding Dinner – This year's dinner, featuring RI President, Ray Klingensmith will be held on February 22 at the Wyndham Hotel in South Portland. Fellowship begins at 5:30 pm with dinner at 6:30 pm. The cost is \$43 per person and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. The deadline for registration is Saturday, February 12. If you are interested, go online to register.

District Assembly – On Saturday, April 9, the District will hold its annual Assembly at the Westbrook Middle School. Incoming club officers are urged to participate, but this is a good event for all club members. The club will pay the cost for your attendance. If interested, please see Paul Butler.

Red Claws – On February 27, the district will be having a Red Claws night as a fund-raiser for polio. Tickets are \$7, \$12 and \$23, depending on seating. The game is at 5:00 pm at the Expo. For more information, contact Bob Flynn.

End Polio Now Building Lighting & Reception – Ann Lee Hussey invites you all to join her on February 21 at the Portland Museum of Art which will be lit up at 5:00 pm with the saying "End Polio Now." There

will be a reception following at the Eastland Park Hotel.

Program – Tonight's speaker was Michael Barndollar, Development Director of The Iris Network. Michael shared with us some of the wonderful activities of The Iris Network, as well as the improvements in technology and accessibility which are helping people with severe visual impairment and blindness. For more information, please take a look at their Facebook page at www.TheIris.org. Thank you to Nancy Hawes for inviting Michael to speak to us tonight.

Upcoming Events

- February 12 – Chuck & Melissa Redman (Anniv.)
- February 13 – Nancy Irving (Birthday)
- February 16 – Bob & Michele Flynn (Anniv.)
- February 16 – Club Assembly (50th Anniv.Proj.)
- February 23 – Fireside Chat, Bob Danielson
- April 9 – District Assembly

ASSIGNMENTS

February 16

Song	York
Invocation	Garland
Raffle Gift	Butterworth
Conductor	Conroy

February 23

Song	Bagdasarian
Invocation	Hawes
Raffle Gift	Carson
Conductor	Cotter

March 2

Song	Barker
Invocation	Helstrom
Raffle Gift	Conroy
Conductor	Danielson

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