

March 16, 2011

From The Secretary's Corner–Did You Know – That on Saturday, April 2, David Lourie is leading a group from our District that will be shrink-wrapping the crutches and other mobility devices that we have been amassing at the SP Armory. He really needs our help, as we have many thousands of these devices that need to be packaged. Currently there are two shifts to sign up for – either 9:00am-1:00 or 1:00-5:00pm. Please make an effort to choose one of these shifts so we can get these crutches off to Africa ASAP.

Raffle – Tonight's raffle prize, a Joe's Boat House gift certificate donated by Joe Conroy, was won by Marc Mutty.

Happy Dollars – Dollars were given tonight by Bob Danielson, Jack Roberts, Bill York, Bob Carson, Rick Dobson, Jack Kennealy, Tom Meyers, Sybil Riemensnider, Ben Wilson, Dick Yerxa, John Thibodeau, Bill Phillips, Nancy Hawes, David Lourie, Nancy Irving, Jim Rowe, Dan Mooers, Adrienne Murphy, Frank Butterworth, Chuck Redman, Joan Frustaci, Kathy Cotter, Evelyn Garland and John LoBosco.

Public Works Luncheon – On Friday, March 18 from 11:00am-2:00pm at the SP Community Center, we will be hosting this year's Public Works Luncheon. Sybil is looking for volunteers to help with the set up, serving and clean up. Please get in touch with her if you can help out.

Senior Luncheon – On Saturday, May 7, at Events On Broadway, we will be hosting our annual Senior Luncheon. Sybil is looking for volunteers to help transport seniors to and from the luncheon. Please contact her if you can help.

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.

Club Vouchers – A few of you still have not used your club voucher to fill a worthwhile need. If interested, see Nancy Hawes.

Club Visioning – Please mark your calendars to attend our Club Visioning session on Monday, May 16. This four-hour session will begin at 5:00 pm at a site to-be-determined. By now, most of you should have received a survey via email which John Thibodeau has asked to have completed and return ASAP. The results of the survey will form the framework of our discussion with the facilitators.

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 Phil Dube.

Program – Tonight's program was Color of Community featuring Rosemarie DeAngelis. Color of Community is a nonprofit educational group devoted to opening peoples' hearts and minds, reducing bias and prejudice and sharing individual sacred stories. Tonight we heard two such stories from young people from Darfur and Rwanda. Both of these young individuals had to flee their homelands because of genocide and came to the United States to find refuge. In the U.S., they have found their voices again, not being fearful of speaking out and have found the opportunities inherent in a free educational system. They both have hopes and dreams of giving back to their homelands in the future. After their presentations, President John gave a \$200 to Color of Community, as well as all the Happy Dollars given tonight. Thank you to Chuck Redman for such an interesting program.

Upcoming Events

- March 17 – Nancy Hawes (Birthday)
- March 17 – Mike McGovern (Birthday)
- March 18 – Paul Butler (Birthday)
- March 23 – Marc Mutty (Birthday)
- March 23 – Four Way Test Speaking Contest (John LoBosco, Program Chair)
- March 30 – Renee Kelly, Foster Innovation Center (Scott Irving, Program Chair)
- April 6 – Peter Alexander, New England Coastal Restoration Initiative (Chuck Redman, P.C.)

ASSIGNMENTS

March 23

Song	Carson
Invocation	S. Irving
Raffle Gift	Davidson
Conductor	Dobson

March 30

Song	Conroy
Invocation	Kennealy
Raffle Gift	Daviero
Conductor	Doucette

April 6

Song	Cotter
Invocation	Kinley
Raffle Gift	Dobson
Conductor	Eliassen

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