

March 9, 2011

From The Secretary's Corner – Did You Know –

That our club visioning session has been planned for Monday, May 16th. A sign up sheet has been circulated, although there will be plenty more opportunities to sign up. This 4-hour, intensive workshop, beginning at 5:00 pm, will focus on goals and objectives for our club over the next five years. It will be led by facilitators in the District who have been trained for this type of project. Please make an effort to free up this time as it will be very important to all of us.

Raffle – Tonight's raffle prize, a Scratch Baking Company gift certificate donated by Kathy Cotter, was won by Kathy Cotter.

Happy Dollars – Dollars were given tonight by Marge Barker, Frank Butterworth, Tom Kinley, Kathy Cotter, Joe Conroy, Jim Rowe, Bill York, Dan Davidson, Joan Frustaci, Evelyn Garland, Tony Wagner, Bob Flynn, Tom Meyers, Bob Danielson, David Lourie, Paul Butler 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.

Soup Kitchen Wrap Up – Last night was our monthly Soup Kitchen service date. In attendance were Bill York, Tony Wagner, Jim Rowe, John LoBosco, Bill Phillips, David Lourie, Paul Butler, Adrienne Murphy, Dick Yerxa, John Thibodeau and Phil & Matt Dube, as well as Kelsey, Tori, Kathryn and Matthew from the CE Interact Club. Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, April 12.

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.

50th Anniversary Steering Committee - Tony Wagner reports that the Steering Committee has tallied the votes and has come up with the following results. Of our 50 members, 44 voted for the SP/Millcreek Project and in CE 23 voted for the Children's Garden design and 19 voted for the Fire Barn restoration. Now that the Committee has determined which projects the club has an interest in, it has dissolved and turned back to the Board the responsibility of moving forward. Thank you to Tony and the Steering Committee members for all your work.

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 speaker was Matt Mower, District Executive of the Pine Tree Council for the Boy Scouts of America. The Pine Tree Council is divided into 5 districts, of which Matt is responsible for the Casco Bay District, which includes Ship 12, the Sea Scout troop our club sponsors. Matt's job is to provide leadership, organize units, train volunteers and promote camp activities. Scouting includes Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Venturing and Exploring Troops, all up to age 20. Youth that go through the scouting experience generally have a stronger sense of ethics and character, Matt suggested, and he left some research to back that up. Thank you to Tony Wagner for inviting Matt to speak to us tonight.

Upcoming Events

- March 11 – Dan Mooers (Birthday)
- March 12 – Kathy Ray (Birthday)
- March 16 – Color of Community (Chuck Redman, Program Chair)
- March 23 – Four Way Test Speaking Contest (John LoBosco, Program Chair)

ASSIGNMENTS

March 16

Song	Butterworth
Invocation	N. Irving
Raffle Gift	Danielson
Conductor	Daviero

March 23

Song	Carson
Invocation	S. Irving
Raffle Gift	Davidson
Conductor	Dobson

March 30

Song	Conroy
Invocation	Kennealy
Raffle Gift	Daviero
Conductor	Doucette

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