From The Interact Corner-Did You Know?

That between the South Portland and Cape Elizabeth High School Interact Clubs, we now have over 150 students signed up. At SP, on November 6 at 2:00 pm, the club is having an Interact Birthday Party at the SPHS which all are invited to. On November 9 at the SPHS Cafeteria, between 1-5pm, the Club is holding a blood drive in which all are encouraged to The faculty advisor for SP is participate. Jennifer Major and she can be reached at majorje@spsd.org. The CE Interact Club is holding a teen clothing drive from November 1-19 for the Preble Street Teen Center. They are looking for coats, hats, sweatshirts and boots, as well as travel size shampoo and soap. We will be collecting items at our meetings for the next three weeks. On Saturday, November 6, the CEHS Interact Club will be holding a food drive from 8:45 am to 12:00 noon. They may need adult drivers with cars or pickup trucks to assist them. Please contact faculty Christine Newell Cnewell@capeelizabethschools.org if you can help out.

<u>Raffle Prize</u> – Tonight's raffle prize, a gift certificate Standard Baking Co. donated by Tak Suppasettawat, was won by Mike Tranfaglia.

<u>Happy Dollars</u> - Dollars were given tonight by Marge Barker, Adrienne Murphy, Paul Butler, John Eliassen, Scott Irving, Marc Mutty, Dan Davidson, Jim Rowe, Tom Meyers, Bill Phillips, Bob Danielson, Bill York, Nancy Hawes, Jim Russell, Mike Tranfaglia, Rick Dobson, David Lourie, Sybil Riemensnider, Jack Kennealy, Tony Wagner, Mike McGovern, Tom Kinley, Paul Jennings and John LoBosco.

<u>New Member</u> – Tonight we inducted our newest member, Bill Phillips. Bill is the District Manager for the Dead River Company. He and his wife, Colleen, are long-time residents of CE. Welcome aboard, Bill.

<u>Crutches For Africa Wrap Up</u> – David Lourie thanked the many people who helped sort the over 700 crutches that have been gathered so far. He'll need help in the future transporting them.

Harvest On The Harbor Wrap Up – Sybil thanked the many members who came down on Saturday evening and helped load the leftover food from Harvest On The Harbor. She also mentioned that she has a family that she is going to give her voucher towards that desperately needs the money. She urges any member who has not already used their voucher to consider donating it towards this family in need.

<u>Christmas Tree Sale</u> – With November right around the corner, it's time to shift our attention towards selling trees. The sign up sheet for working at this year's sale went around at tonight's meeting, but you can go on the club website and sign up as well. Marge reminds everyone that as a member of the club you are obligated to sign up for 4 shifts. If you cannot make a shift that you have signed up for, it is your responsibility to get a substitute. November 13, Tony Wagner will be in charge of setting up the trailer, corral and signage. Marc Mutty is taking over the corral installation this year and we're looking for 4-5 members to assist Marc and Tony that morning. On November 20, we will be setting up the racks at 8:00 am and meeting at the Fire Barn at 7:00 am to load up the truck. We typically need about 12 people for 2-3 hours for this. Please mark your calendars.

Program – Tonight's program was a Club Assembly. Tony Wagner presented the club with a proposal to hold a club visioning event in the future. After describing the event, Tony excused himself and the club debated the merits of this proposal, finally deciding to proceed sometime after the first of the year. Thank you to Tony for all the hard work you've done on club visioning.

Upcoming Events

- -October 28 Phil Dube (Birthday)
- -November 3 David Cyr, Portland Pipeline (Frank Butterworth, Program Chair)
- -November 9 Soup Kitchen
- -November 10 Katie West, Finding Your Spark
- (Dave Bagdasarian, Program Chair)
- -November 17 Betsy Biemann, Maine Techonology Institute (Chris Speh, Program Chair)
- -November 24 No Meeting

ASSIGNMENTS

November 3

Song Roberts
Invocation Conroy
Raffle Gift Suppasettawat
Conductor Thibodeau

November 10

Song Rowe
Invocation Cotter
Raffle Gift Swift-Kayatta
Conductor Tranfaglia

November 17

Song Russell
Invocation Danielson
Raffle Gift Thibodeau
Conductor Wagner

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