

July 13, 2011

From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know

That – I need to know by the end of Monday if your plans have changed for attending the Wednesday, July 20 Lobster Bake. If you've committed to a meal, even if you can't make it, you are committed to pay the cost for your meal if you don't let me know by that time.

Raffle – Tonight's raffle prize, a Nonesuch Books gift certificate donated by David Lourie, was won by John Eliassen.

Happy Dollars – Dollars were given tonight by Megan O'Brien, Frank Butterworth, John Thibodeau, Tom Meyers, Kathy Cotter, Tak Suppasettawat, Ellie Speh, Cindy Doucette, Nancy Irving, Tony Wagner, Dan Mooers, Jack Roberts, David Lourie, Kathy Ray, Mike McGovern, Visiting District Governor-Elect Mary Peak Helman, Scott Irving and Marge Barker.

Lobster Bake – On July 20, we will be holding our annual Lobster Bake. Anne says that if you have signed up for set up, meet at the picnic shelter at 4:00 pm to get organized. If you are one of the cooks/servers, please arrive around 5:00 pm. Dinner will be served starting between 5:20 pm – 5:30 pm. If you have any questions, please call her at 767-5754. She asks that you pray for good weather.

Foundation Minute – Frank Butterworth gave some statistics about polio. The current number of cases world-wide is 253. This compares to 501 at this time last year and 1,349 total cases in 2010. Frank also encouraged all members to become a part of EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year). It doesn't matter how much you give and there are 3 easy ways to do so: (1) write a check and give it to Bob Carson or Frank Butterworth; (2) donated online at www.rotary.org, or (3) put money in the blue bag and check off your name as you sign in each week.

Potluck at Jack & Shari Roberts' – The Roberts have invited club members to help them “christen” their deck on August 3. Please sign up online or let Jack know if you plan to attend.

District Directory – Marge Barker brought back District directories from last month's District Changeover Dinner. See Paul Butler if you would like one.

Soup Kitchen Wrap Up – There were 228 customers at last night's Soup Kitchen. Joe Conroy would like to thank Chuck Redman, John Thibodeau, Dave Bagdasarian, Dick Yerxa, Paul Butler, John LoBosco, David Lourie and Phil Dube. Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, August 9.

Program Chair - Chuck Redman is stepping down as Program Chair to assume the responsibilities of Vice President. Nancy Irving is taking over this

responsibility. She is looking for suggestions from club members for interesting speakers for the upcoming year. As you know, varied and interesting programs are a key ingredient to a successful Rotary meeting.

Program – Tonight Scott Irving walked us through various features of the club website. I was so engrossed in the program that I forgot to take notes. It was a very helpful program and we should all become more familiar with the website. Scott is webmaster not only for our club but for the District and is doing an amazing job. Thanks, Scott.

Editor's Note – Thanks to Nancy Hawes for taking notes at tonight's meeting.

Upcoming Events

- July 19 – Mike Neff (Birthday)
- July 20 – Lobster Bake
- July 21 – Wayne & Ellie Goodrich (Anniv.)
- July 27 – Amber Mooney, Jesuit Volunteer Corp in Nicaragua (Marge Barker, P.C.)
- August 3 – Cookout at Jack Roberts
- August 17 – DG Gary Speers, Official Visit

ASSIGNMENTS

July 20

Song	Kinley
Invocation	Rowe
Raffle Gift	McGovern
Conductor	Mooers

July 27

Song	Knight
Invocation	Russell
Raffle Gift	Meyers
Conductor	Murphy

August 3

Song	LoBosco
Invocation	Speh
Raffle Gift	Mooers
Conductor	Mutty

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