

# TWO LIGHTS

Rotary Club of South Portland – Cape Elizabeth  
April 9, 2014

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

**April 16** – Arboretum Staff, Children’s Garden update

**April 23** – Ellsworth Rundlet, “No Greater Gift than a Child”

**April 30** – Arla Patch, State Child Welfare Truth & Reconciliation Commission

## ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>April 16</u>	<u>April 23</u>	<u>April 30</u>
Song	Talty	Tipton	Tranfaglia
Invocation	Danois	Davidson	Daviero
Raffle Gift	Russell	Santos	Schauf
Conductor	Seymour	R. Smith	Sturtevant

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

**April 30** – Public Works Luncheon at SP Community Center, 11-1. Dave Bagdasarian needs 4 or 5 volunteers – please contact him if you can help out.

**May 3 (Saturday)** – Children’s Garden work detail at Fort Williams

**May 16 – 18** – District Conference at the Westin Harborview Hotel (fka Eastland) – see District 7780 website for more information. It promises to be lots of fun and we will hear many people sharing their Rotary stories.

**May 21** – VA “Walk and Roll” to benefit homeless veterans

**July 27** – Save the Date – this will be our second annual Spring Point 5k.

## *What’s New With Our Members*

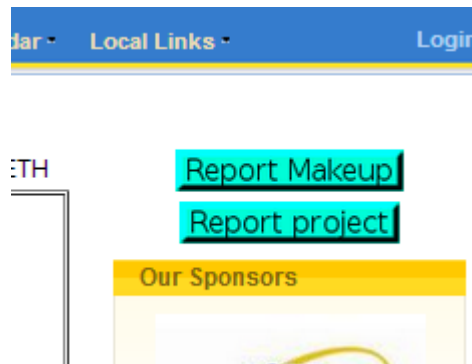
*Happy Birthday to John LoBosco (April 21)*

*Welcome back, Jack Roberts - it’s good to see you again!*

*Thanks once again to Jim Russell for taking notes.*

**Foundation – Mission #1 Accomplished:** Frank announced that we had surpassed our club goal of \$11,000 – thanks so much to everyone who has contributed!! And thanks to Frank for encouraging us to meet this goal. However we have not met our EREY (Every Rotarian Every Year) goal yet so if you have not donated during this fiscal year, please consider donating to the Foundation, no matter how small a gift. It's as easy as putting money in the blue bag or handing Frank a check.

**Make-Ups are Even Easier Than Ever!** - On the homepage two buttons have been added to make it easier to report makeups and projects. The reports are sent to the Secretary.



The "Report Makeup" button opens a form for use when you have done a make-up activity. For example, attending another club, a committee meeting, driving for pick-ups for Sybil, etc.

The "Report Project" button opens a form for reporting multi-person projects. The intent is for the leader of a project to report all make-ups in one report. Example of usage would be the leader of a project like Bug Light, Partners for World Health, etc. reporting all of the people who worked that day. It could also be used to report everyone who attended a committee meeting.

The reports include a spot to put in hours worked. This is just an estimate of time spent, you don't need to time yourself. It will help us get an idea of how much time is spent and on what types of activities. It may also be useful in the future for our PR committee.

**Raffle** – A gift certificate to The Good Table donated by Jack Roberts was won by Phil Dube.

**ShelterBox Says Thanks** - Tony Wagner reported that he received a very nice thank you call from Shelter Box for our donation of two boxes. For several years these boxes have been our club's way of responding to disasters throughout the world; the boxes provide shelter, bedding, cooking supplies, etc. for survivors of these disasters.

**Cape Elizabeth Land Trust** – Tonight's speaker was Chris Franklin, executive director of the Cape Elizabeth Land Trust or CELT. Founded in 1985 when local land conservation was a new concept, CELT now has over 1,100 acres of the 9,000 acres in Cape Elizabeth under

conservation. CELT is one of ninety land trusts in Maine that have preserved 1.5 million acres. CELT's three primary goals are land acquisition, stewardship, and education. An example of the education component is their work with the fourth grade team at the Pond Cove Elementary School in which they provide a tour of Robinson Woods and instruct the students in identification of trees and knowledge of the local forest. The land trust's big fundraiser is an art auction which is scheduled for July 13th this year. Last year's auction raised over \$57,000.

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