

# TWO LIGHTS

Rotary Club of South Portland – Cape Elizabeth  
October 23, 2013

## UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

**October 30** – Game Night

**November 6** – Nancy Stojny, Chair, Portland Chapter of SCORE

## ASSIGNMENTS

|             | <u>October 30</u> | <u>November 6</u> | <u>November 13</u> |
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| Song        | Livingston        | Lourie            | Mutty              |
| Invocation  | Tipton            | Tranfaglia        | Waindle            |
| Raffle Gift | S. Irving         | Livingston        | LoBosco            |
| Conductor   | Lourie            | McGovern          | Meyers             |

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

**November 5** - Soup Kitchen

**November 6** - 5 p.m. WinterFest Committee meeting (before the regular club meeting)



Sign-ups for Christmas Tree lot set-up start this week – watch your email!

## *What's New With Our Members*

*Surprisingly, no birthdays or anniversaries (that we know of) for the week between October 30 and November 6!*

*Congratulations to PHF+1\* recipient Bill York.*

*Thanks to everyone who participated in the workday at Partners for World Health!*

*Congratulations for perfect attendance to:*

*John LoBosco - 4 years*

*Tony Wagner - 11 years*

*Thank you to Fawn Dunphy for her very generous happy dollars, given in recognition of her recent marriage.*

*Welcome back Joanie, from her trip to Italy to visit AJ, who is “studying” abroad.*

**Raffle** – As an early birthday present, Phil Dube won a gift certificate to the Local Buzz, donated by Nancy Irving.

**Lac Megantic** – See Ellie’s separate email about how the district and our club are helping the victims of the devastation in Lac Megantic this summer. There are also opportunities for us to adopt children for Christmas individually, as families, through our businesses, etc. Contact Ellie for more information.

**WinterFest 2014!** – Tony gave an update and encouragement for ad and sponsorship sales. Most businesses have already been contacted through Buy Local or the business alliance in Cape Elizabeth so they are expecting our calls. We can stress that this is a free event – the only charge is for the pancake breakfast and the chili cook-off. We have already received commitments that exceed our expenses; recent donations include a \$3,000 pledge from the Chamber of Commerce. The deadline for receiving commitments for ads and sponsorships is November 15.

**Maine Water Company** – Our speaker this evening was Judy Wallingford, President of Maine Water Company, a subsidiary of Connecticut Water, which is a publicly traded company. Judy noted that less than half the population of Maine is on a public water system. Maine Water Company has 32,000 customers scattered all over Maine. Among the many interesting things that she told us about water in Maine, she noted that the water utilities in Maine use less than .15% of Maine’s precipitation.

**\*What’s a PHF+1?** – It was noted above that Bill York received “PHF+1” recognition. For Rotary neophytes, “PHF” stands for “Paul Harris Fellow,” a recognition named after Rotary’s founder, Paul Harris (in Chicago in 1905). Someone is recognized as a Paul Harris Fellow if they donate \$1,000 to The Rotary Foundation OR if \$1,000 is donated by someone else in their name. For each additional donation of \$1,000, a plus is added to the recognition, so PHF+1 means that Bill has donated (thank you, Bill!) an additional \$1,000 to The Rotary Foundation (TRF, if you want to throw around more initials) beyond the initial \$1,000 that caused him to be a PHF. Note that in order to achieve these recognition points, the contribution does not have to be donated all at once – it’s a cumulative measurement.

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