TWO LIGHTS

Rotary Club of South Portland – Cape Elizabeth November 4, 2015

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

November 11 – Ellie Speh, Children's Garden (*Note that even though this is Veteran's Day, we WILL be meeting*) November 18 – Maine Turnpike Bridge/Infrastructure November 25 – NO MEETING (Thanksgiving)

ASSIGNMENTS

	November 11	November 18	December 2
Invocation	Redman	Riemensnider	Roberts
Raffle Gift	Carson	Conroy	Cotter
Conductor	Danielson	Danois	Davidson

A gift certificate to Nonesuch Books donated by Catherine Callahan was won by Dan McDonald.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

November 9 – District Spending Webinar

November 10 – Soup Kitchen

What's New With Our Members

Happy Anniversary to Adrienne & Steve Murphy (Nov. 12)

<u>**Crackers Wanted**</u> – In the recent inventory of the fire barn, it was discovered that many of our lobster crackers are missing. If you took them home to wash them and still have them, please let Anne Swift-Kayatta know.

<u>Committee Member Wanted</u> – the Veterans Committee currently is made up of all males, and they would love to have representation from a female point of view. If you are female and have an interest in deciding what our club can do to help homeless veterans, please let Dan Davidson know.

TREE NEWS – See separate email from Scott re sign-ups, but here is the schedule:

Thursday, November 19, 8 a.m. Trailer Setup at Mill Creek Park. This seems to be adequately staffed.

Saturday, November 20:

- 7 a.m. Fire Barn Loading need a few more people
- 8 a.m. Corral & Lot Setup at Mill Creek Park need more hands. Please bring appropriate tools.

Friday, November 27, 7:30 a.m. – Tree Unloading

Saturday, December 5, 7:30 a.m. – Tree Unloading

Friday, November 27 till whenever – sales shifts from noon – 9 p.m. weekdays and 9-9 weekends. Please sign up for 5 shifts. Any shifts you do in excess of 5 counts as makeups, as do the tree unloadings and setup activities.

- When signing up for shifts, please make sure that there is at least one experienced Rotarian on the shift, and that the shift is not predominantly people who are too short, etc. to drag trees and tie them on cars.
- When using the chain saw, please be very cautious and make sure customers stand well back.
- Please be careful with utility knives and limit students' use of them (we are getting some safety utility knives that they should use instead).
- Here's a tip courtesy of Bill Daviero to be sure you make a straight cut on tree trunks, follow the dotted lines on the bark.
- And another tip from Jon Talty regarding tying trees on cars if you can't tie a knot, tie a lot!

<u>QUIZ TIME!!</u> Our program next week will be about the Children's Garden at Fort Williams. Our club has a long history of supporting – and meeting at – Fort Williams. How much do you know about Fort Williams?

1. What color are the doors on the fire barn?

- a. Black
- b. White
- c. Red
- d. Green

- 2. Fort Williams was named after
 - a. Serena Williams
 - b. Robin Williams
 - c. Brevet Major General Seth Williams
 - d. Brian Williams

3.In 1989 UNUM donated \$10,000 which was used to create the

- a. Museum
- b. Rest rooms
- c. Children's Garden
- d. Picnic Shelter

4. The town of Cape Elizabeth bought Fort Williams from the U.S. Government in 1964 for

- a. \$1
- b. \$30,000
- c. \$200,000
- d. \$2,000,000

5. The Goddard Mansion looks the way it does because

- a. They ran out of funds to complete construction
- b. The CE Fire Department burned it in 1981
- c. It was part of an open concept architecture that was in vogue at the time
- d. Vandals destroyed the roof and contents of the building

6.Fort Williams was officially named in _____ and was de-activated in _____

- a. 1872, 1963
- b. 1775, 1964
- c. 1917, 1945
- d. 1899, 1962

7. The two members of our club serving on the Fort Williams Foundation Board (not including ex-officio member Mike McGovern) are

- a. Ellie Speh & Chuck Redman
- b. John LoBosco & Joan Frustaci
- c. Anne Swift-Kayatta & Bob Danielson
- d. Tom Meyers & Kathy Ray

8.Not directly related to Fort Williams, but interesting nevertheless, the Ft. Williams namesake (question #2) was a classmate at West Point with Abner Doubleday, who invented

- a. Fireworks
- b. The Swiss Army knife
- c. Baseball
- d. Monopoly

9. Which of these was not built or improved with funds from our club?

- a. Bleachers
- b. Picnic Shelter

- c. Museum
- d. Lily pond

10. The tower at the top of the fire station was used for

- a. Spotting fires
- b. Practicing leaping out of buildings
- c. Drying hoses
- d. Preventing Santa's reindeer from landing on the roof

11.Counting the most recent donation to the Children's Garden approved by the Board, our club has contributed how much to projects at Fort Williams?

- a. \$20,000
- b. \$32,000
- c. \$48,750
- d. \$63,500

Answers: 1d, 2c, 3a, 4c, 5b, 6d, 7a, 8c, 9a, 10c, 11d

Imagine... You may say I'm a dreamer, but I thought I saw John Lennon at the Dress Up to Drive Out Human Trafficking Event last weekend.



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