

TWO LIGHTS

Rotary Club of South Portland – Cape Elizabeth

April 11, 2018

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

April 18 – Matt Sturgis, Cape Elizabeth Town Manager

April 25 – Scott Morelli, South Portland City Manager

ASSIGNMENTS

| | <u>April 18</u> | <u>April 25</u> | <u>May 2</u> |
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| Opening Words | L Schmidt | U Schmidt | V Schmidt |
| Raffle Gift | Danois | Davidson | Daviero |
| Conductor | Geneseo | Gonzalez | Hawes |

MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

April 26, 6 – 8 p.m. – “Vision to Plan” workshop at South Portland Housing Authority, 100 Waterman Drive

April 28-29 – Bug Light clean-up & work on garden. We will be assisted by about 20 students from Waynflete.

May 4-6 – District Conference, Mount Washington Hotel

June 23-27 – Rotary International Convention, Toronto

What's New With Our Members

Happy Birthday to John LoBosco - April 21

Thank you to President Sue for making the arrangements for our meeting this week.

Bug Light Clean-up – The clean-up at Bug Light originally scheduled for April 30 (when we were expecting several students from Waynflete to join us) has been re-scheduled since the students have to do a snow day make-up on the 30th. The clean-up will be Saturday & Sunday, April 28 & 29 at 10 a.m. New members are especially encouraged to attend. Wear whatever Rotary gear you have – hat, shirt etc.

Speaker “Gifts” – For several years it has been our club’s practice to show our appreciation to speakers by donating a book in their name to our local libraries. We provide book plates signed by the speakers – and the money! – and the youth librarians select the books. Thank you to Dan Davidson for publicizing these donations. Pictured are librarians Rachel Davis, Thomas Memorial Library (on left) and Kim Campbell, South Portland Public Library.



WHO knew that there was a gem in Fort Williams that contains dozens of original works by famous artist Dahlov Ipcar!

WHAT a fantastic treat for the many Rotarians and guests who heard about Dahlov Ipcar’s life (and her artist parents Marguerite & William Zorach) from Rachel Walls, owner of Rachel Walls Fine Art and curator for the Dahlov Ipcar estate.

WHEN did Dahlov Ipcar paint? For almost 100 years! She died in 2017 at age 99 – she was still painting on the day she died!

WHERE the Wild Things Are is just one of the several children’s books illustrated by Dahlov Ipcar. A favorite of many club members was Bug City – the “bug room” upstairs contains several very clever illustrations from this book (sorry I was so focused on the illustrations that I forgot to take pictures!).

HOW can you see these works if you weren’t there this week? The gallery is open by appointment – I can’t seem to find a phone number but there is a contact form on her webpage (Rachelwallsfineart.com) that you can use to request an appointment. Rachel is also putting together an exhibit for the Bates College Museum of Art – Dahlov Ipcar: Blue Moons & Menageries, which will run from June 8 – October 26 (open Mon – Sat 10-5)





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