

TWO LIGHTS

**Rotary Club of South Portland – Cape Elizabeth
September 6, 2023**



Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.

Upcoming Dates:

September 9, 8:30 – 3:30 – Open Lighthouse Day – see online signup

September 13 – “Classification Talk” from Hannah Olshansky

September 20 – Liana Popkin, SP School District Community School Director

September 21, 8-4 – Building Recovery Ready Communities Conference, Italian Heritage Center – more info & registration on the District 7780 website.

September 13 Duties

Opening Words – McGreehan
Raffle Gift – Fran Bagdasarian

September 20 Duties

Opening Words – Meyers
Raffle Gift – Bennett

Ordinarily there would be no bulletin this week because we didn't meet, but I won't have a chance to do the bulletin after next week's meeting and three weeks seemed like a long time between bulletins - so here's an abbreviated one!

What's New With Our Members

Happy Birthday to:

- 🍰 DeeDee Wacksman (September 2)
- 🍰 Scott Irving (September 9)
- 🍰 Sari Greene (September 11)

Happy Anniversary to

- 🎂 John & Sue LoBosco - August 31 (yesterday)
- 🎂 Rick & Diane Dobson - September 6
- 🎂 Bob & Alicia Danielson - September 10

Calling all Cornhole Lovers – This announcement actually came to us by way of the South Portland Food Cupboard because the Falmouth Rotarians volunteer with their Food Rescue program. Falmouth Rotary is having a cornhole tournament on Saturday from 11-5 at the Throttle Car Club on 10 Dynamic Drive, Scarborough. There are cash prizes, silent auction, food trucks, music and more! See their club webpage to register to play.

Bug Light – Thank you to the following for cleaning up Bug Light – inside and out – in preparation for the tours yesterday and this Saturday. And it looks really spiffy! Helping out were;

- ❖ Tony Wagner
- ❖ Mike Tranfaglia
- ❖ Bob Knupp
- ❖ Phil Dube
- ❖ Sam Wilkens-O'Brien

(I'm going from what Tony told me on Wednesday – I hope I didn't leave anyone out!)

Thanks also to everyone who served as docents on Wednesday for the Car Show and everyone who will be helping out tomorrow (it's not too late to sign up!).



Sue memorizing her lines before showtime



Tony connecting power to the fan - whew!

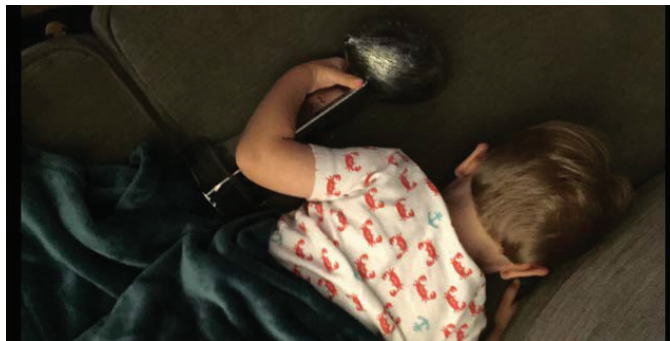


Another Automotive Trivia Question – Whose car was on display at the Bug Light Car Show????



From the Commish – Chuck encourages anyone who has not already signed up for the football pool to go ahead and do so. He says that “not a pot of gold, but a gorgeous gold jacket instead, awaits the winner at the end of the season.” If you haven’t signed up yet, instructions for signing in are pasted at the bottom of this bulletin.

*Note that you have to play starting this week if you want a shot at the gold jacket, but if you miss out this week and decide to play later, you won’t get a gold jacket but you WILL get a chance to take home the Yorkie trophy each week. Don’t deny yourself or a member of your family a chance to sleep with the Yorkie!!



And speaking of the Commish, what do his weekly quizzes about US presidents before he announces the pool winner have to do with football? Absolutely NOTHING! So I don’t know if he’ll continue that trend this year or if he’ll pursue a different whim, but here is some filler he gave me from last year’s theme:

1. Which first lady told her husband that if he became president she would “neither keep house nor make butter?”

2. Which first lady saved a French noblewoman's life?

Who said this:

3. "If you want to make enemies, try to change something."
4. "If one morning I walked on top of the water across the Potomac River, the headline that afternoon would read, "President Can't Swim."
5. "I don't think my name is likely to be worth much in the bear business, but you're welcome to use it."

1. Sarah Polk. Polk did the unthinkable for most women of her era – she voiced her opinions. She became an unofficial adviser to her husband James, reading his speeches and discussing matters of state.
2. Elizabeth Monroe. Monroe was in France while her husband James served as U.S. minister there just after the Revolution. When James learned that the family of the Marquis de Lafayette was imprisoned for their supposed loyalty to the King, he felt helpless. The Marquis had aided Washington's army during the Revolutionary War but as an American diplomat, Monroe felt he could not interfere. Instead he asked Elizabeth to go visit Madame de Lafayette, who had received a death sentence. News of Elizabeth's visit spread throughout Paris, and the noble woman was spared execution and soon released.
3. Woodrow Wilson
4. Lyndon Johnson
5. Teddy Roosevelt

PoolHost Instructions

****If you're already a league member** go to <http://www.poolhost.com> and choose "LOG IN." If you've forgotten your password choose the "**click here**" link under the login to recover your password. Failing that, let me know and I will coordinate resetting your password.**

New Players -- Follow these easy steps

1. Go to <http://www.poolhost.com> and click "**SIGN UP**" to create a free account - then enter **your info** (and write down your password in a safe place for when you forget it ;-)
2. Click '**Pool Tools**' menu and choose '**Join a Private Pool.**'
3. **To Join the SP-CE Rotary pool**, you need to enter our Pool ID and Pool Password.
 - For the SP-CE Rotary Pool ID # = **84139**

- For the Pool Password = **SPCE2022**

4. Click '**Confirm**' to join our pool -- SP-CE Rotary Pick'Em Pool.

That's it! The next time you log in <http://www.poolhost.com> you can get back to our pool by going to '**Pool Tools**' then '**My Pools**' where you'll see the Club's pool **SP-CE Rotary Pick'Em Pool**. That's where you make your picks and track your weekly stats.

NOTE

We're only picking Sunday and Monday Night games and weekly picks are due Sunday mornings by 10 AM.

The first game day is this Sunday, September 10.

If you don't want to use the online pool, you can email Jim your weekly game picks instead.