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THE NEWSLETTER OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF DOVER, NH SINCE  
1924

MEETS WEDNESDAYS AT 12:15 PM  
GOSS BUILDING 121 BROADWAY, DOVER, NH

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**Aug. 29, 2018.**

**Submitted by** Melissa L.

**Pledge:** John S. **Invocation:** Dick C. **4-Way Test:** Nick P.

**Guests:** Yulia Rothenberg

**Visiting Rotarians:** No one this week

**50/50 Winner:** Cindy I (did not pick the Ace)

## **Announcements:**

- Thank you note received from Jackie Tromba for the Rotary Club's assistance with the LEAP program at Woodman Park School
- Thank you note from the Dover Library for the Rotary Club's assistance with the Summer Reading program for the kids
- Thank you note from the Dover Children's Home for the Rotary Club's assistance with their Mission trip to New Orleans also known as the St. Bernard Project to rebuild destroyed homes by Hurricane Katrina
- Thank you to Jessica C, Stacy K, Phil R, and Betsy P for coordinating the Back to School program
- Letting members know that going forward, the Board of Director Meeting Minutes and By Laws will be sent to our membership with a membership presentation from Malcolm M on September 19<sup>th</sup> for discussion and a vote
- Letting us know of the Brunswick Coastal Club inviting us to the Global Grant meeting on September 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm
- Invitation to the Riverside Rest Home presentation of thanks for the renovation of the Gazebo on Wednesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> from 2pm-3pm
- Bingo Committee report from chairman, Jerry D
  - Committee includes Noreen B, Gregg D, Sheila T, Tom D, and Ron R
  - Addressing the issues of responsibility
  - Aim to continue to enhance the experience of our Bingo players
  - Training and retraining of our members (ie: Ticket Sellers)
  - Assigning job duties per night of our members on each team
  - Will be creating and updating the spreadsheet of the teams and their assigned members and job assignments and times
- Giving us the word "Responsibility" and quotes to share with our membership from Winston Churchill, Arnold Palmer, and JF Kennedy

- BING Writers needed for October, November and December – Melissa L will reach out to the membership. Thank you to everyone that has and will volunteer
- Bingo July profit - \$16,573. Great job Rotary Clubs of Dover & Durham. Note last year Bingo brought in \$160,000.

## **Program: Classification of John Storer, Director of the Dover Public Works & Community Services**

Welcome to our Rotary Club. John Storer presented his classification to bring information about himself, his family and his role as the Director of the Dover Public Works & Community Services.

- Two better halves including wife, Karen and daughter, Maddy
- Engineer
- Has a number of homes including a home on Route 1 in Warren, ME that is a 10<sup>th</sup> generation rural farm with an original barn and had no running water until he started the renovations for his daughter to enjoy now and in the future
- He was born out West
- Graduated from the University of Maine with an Engineering degree “go Black Bears”
- Has been with the City of Dover for about 1 year
- Built a home in Lewiston, ME and believes he had lost 1 year of his life while there with his dog
- Life changed as he came to NH and met his wife in his 40’s when he got married to Karen at the Mount Washington Hotel and not long after had his daughter, Maddy
- He was part of the Lewiston/Auburn Rotary Club and was Past President of it’s Breakfast Club – memories of selling Christmas trees and always hearing about the Rotary Club of Dover bringing in millions of dollars with their Bingo program
- Came to the Rochester area when moving to NH and was known for his Apple Pie, which he won 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Chamber/Main Street Harvest Festival and now competes with his wife to determine who is the best
- Has had homes in Dover, Lewiston, Rochester and Warren – a dream client for our Rotary Realtors!
- His wife is a teacher with the Hussey School and teaches 2<sup>nd</sup> grade
- With this daughter, it is always mom vs dad and guess who always wins?
- Loves working for the City of Dover and loves the community as he oversees the sidewalks, cemetery’s, water treatment plant, waste water management, roadways and bridges and 7 divisions and 15 budgets totaling over \$22,500,000
- Goals are “Restore Trust in Citizens” and “Regaining People’s Trust”

**Birthdays:**

Bob Lapointe          Sep 30

**Anniversaries:**

Dan Shaheen          34 years  
Noreen Biehl          30 years

**Upcoming Programs:**

Sept. 5 - Author Dan Szczesny - The White Mountain  
Sept. 12 - Lori Waltz Gagnon Haven  
Sept. 19 - Club Assembly  
Sept. 26 - District 7780 Club Protection Officer Gregg Dowty  
Oct. 3: Lori Hults Classification  
Oct. 10: Gary Bannon Waterfront update

**Events:**

Sept. 18 - Thirsty Tuesday - Ember Wood Fire Grill, 5-7 p.m.

**ROTARY'S 4-WAY TEST** of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

**THE OBJECT OF ROTARY** is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

**MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES**

**Monday:**

Exeter	Exeter Inn	12:15 PM
Rochester	Governor's Inn	12:15 PM
Wells, ME	The Bull "N Claw	7:30 AM

**Tuesday:**

Concord	Cat 'n Fiddle Restaurant	12:15 PM
Hampton	Ashworth By the Sea	7:30 AM
Kittery, ME	Kittery Estates	7:30 AM
Kittery After Hours	Weathervane	5:00 PM

**Wednesday:**

Biddeford-Saco, ME	Captain's Gallery Rest.	12:15 PM
Durham Great Bay	Flag Hill Winery, Lee	7:30 AM
Ogunquit, ME	The Old Village Inn	12 noon

**Thursday:**

Kennebunk, ME	Boat Yard Restaurant	12:15 PM
Seacoast Rotary	Portsmouth Gas Light	7:30 AM
Portsmouth	Portsmouth Country Club	12:15 PM
Sanford-		
Springvale, ME	Town Club@Fleet Bank	7:30 AM
South Berwick/ Eliot, ME	SB Community Center	7:15 AM

**Friday:**

Bow	Trinity Tavern	7:30 AM
Portland, ME	Portland Club	7:15 AM
York, ME	York Harbor Inn	7:30 AM

**Make-up on the web: [www.roti.org](http://www.roti.org) or [www.rotaryclubone.org](http://www.rotaryclubone.org)**