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THE NEWSLETTER OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF DOVER,
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.MEETS WEDNESDAYS AT 12:15 PM
GOSS BUILDING 121 BROADWAY, DOVER, NH

June 17, 2020 - Rotary Club Zoom Meeting

Submitted by Jim V.

Pledge: Club

Rotary Moment: Nancy B. – from Rotary International Statement on Diversity, Equity & Inclusion.

4-Way Test +1: Club

Visiting Rotarian: Deb DeColfmacher

Guests: Dover Rotary Scholarship recipients

Program: 2020 Dover Rotary Scholarship Recipients

Filling in for Chairman Norm H., Noreen B. introduced recipients of this year's scholarships:

- Emily Fraser is the \$10,000 DeColfmacher Scholarship Winner: Went to Guatemala, a long list of DHS accomplishments. Her Remarks: Lots of clubs and sports, will be attending Bentley College as Marketing major and Communications Design minor. Will be part of Women's Leadership Program. Also plans to do a service learning program to help out in the community. Trying out for Lacrosse Team. Deb D. congratulated her for receiving this scholarship and noted her daughter Megan would have been pleased with the choice of Emily.
- Kylie Nelson-Marais – Lots of honors and distinctions, selected for internship at WDH. Her remarks: Attending Wesleyan, on field hockey team, will be doing research in mental health. Wants to attend med school after to be neurosurgeon or orthopedic surgeon. #2 in class, twin brother was #1. Currently referees field hockey.
- Josh Kleiman – Lots of interest in becoming involved in the community – plans to do a lot internationally. His remarks: Active in lots of clubs, involved on math team, started his own online retail company selling a variety of things. Now working on VapoTherm ventilator project. Going to Worcester Polytech, double major in mechanical and industrial engineering, minor in computer science. Plans to travel on service programs in 3rd World countries.

3rd year will be looking at ways to develop new and renewable energy sources.

- Sara Craft was unable to attend. She was in Interact also went to Guatemala. Long list of coaches awards and many other honors.
- Congrats to all winners!!!

Announcements:

- Thank you to our BING writer – Jim V
 - Thank you note from Martha Caswell for the recent Rotary Community Giving donation to Dover Adult Learning Center
 - Thank you note from Amanda Martineau of the Monarch School for the opportunity to speak to our Rotary Club on the opportunities available to others in our community through their school
 - Thank you note from Betsey Parker Andrews for the recent Rotary donation to CAP that they received in April to purchase milk for their Pantry
 - Thank you note from Emily Fraser for the Rotary Megan Decolmaker Scholarship
 - Thank you to those that joined on Wednesday, June 10th the speaker series, *This Is Your Rotary!* with Polio Plus Committee Chair, Michael McGovern
 - Thank you to those that joined on Sat., June 13 at the “Grow Rotary” Zoom meeting that includes discussions of current Rotary items and sharing of best practices on how to make Rotary “more appealing”. They talked about Rotary dues among the Clubs in the District and how to make them attractive going forward.
 - Thank you to those that joined us at our June BOD Meeting.
 - BOD voted to implement a Rotary credit card scan as well as a Rotary Venmo account
 - Continuing to work on the final draft of the Grant Donation Process & Procedures
 - Thank you to those that joined us at our June Thirsty Tuesday. Melissa was grateful for the kind words and the Changeover celebration as she moves on from President to Past President
- Gregg will take over in just 13 days. She said, “Boy those high heels will look awfully good on you!”

- The next presentation of *This is Your Rotary* features photojournalist Jean-Marc Giboux.
- We are only days away from the 1st Rotary Virtual Convention – you will get to experience being part of a Rotary Convention starting June 20-26 and beyond.
- How is Miles doing? Jim V. – Still hanging out on the front door.

Other Announcements

- Gregg D. - July 22, in person meeting will be held at Rotary Pavillion with all of us bringing our own lunch.
- Appreciation from Melissa as her term comes to an end.
- Board Meeting: New plan for grant donations through Community Giving.
- Credit card scanner will be available when we get back to in-person payments
- Updated Zoom account and new Venmo account

Jerry Daley on BINGO

The Dover Rotary Board visited the bingo hall yesterday and met with staff to review plans to restart BINGO. Hall will begin theirs on July 1. Dover Rotary will start no earlier than August 6, to become comfortable with safety restrictions. We will all receive a memo with expectations of us and protections that will be in place from Gregg. Sheila to continue to work with Sue Monahan so that Sheila will be up to speed once we begin again.

Gregg noted that response from members will be very important as there will be people who may not feel comfortable returning to volunteering at BINGO.

Foundation: Gregg – Waiting for \$3,500 grant application response; bicycle racks for downtown Dover. Meant to be a hands-on project for installation.

Dover Mental Health Alliance: Facebook page launched and some Dover Rotarians have been interviewed, available to view. Upcoming meeting with Dover school department on suicide prevention strategies. This will be a continuing goal in Gregg's year.

Update on Shred Event: Cate R. nothing new as yet, still looking into it for September. Interact might well be involved.

Dues: Phil R. – please get dues in before the end of the month.

Upcoming Programs:

June 24	Melissa's last meeting
July 1	Gregg D.'s first meeting
July 8	Mayor Bob Carrier and Dover's Anniversary Chair Elizabeth Burr
July 15	Discussion re: Bingo
July 22	Meeting at Henry Law Park Tony McManus WILL discuss history of HLP and surrounding factories

Birthdays: June

Jim V.	June 1
Mike B.	June 15
Tracy T.	June 15
Kathy F.	June 24
Cindy I.	June 28
Matt S.	June 30

Anniversaries: June

Sheila T.	3 years
Mike F.	1 year
Tracy T.	1 year
Tom M.	36 years
Matt S.	14 years
Lori H.	2 years
Phil R.	36 years
Rebecca J.	4 years

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.