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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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**Sept. 26, 2018**

**Submitted by** Melissa L.

**Pledge:** Jess C. **Invocation:** Dick C. **4-Way Test:** Kevin R.

**Guests:** Rod Bryce

**Lunch:** Stuffed shells with green beans and chocolate cake with yummy frosting

**Birthdays and Anniversaries:** None

**50/50 (\$574.00)** – Jay S. (engineer to engineer) with NO winner and now 18 cards left

## **Announcements:**

- Thanking everyone that participated in the Seacoast Cancer 5K we raised \$317.00
  - Tom D. – ran with Cate R who ran the whole way and yet never stopped talking and running backwards in front of him, gave the Celtics player on a ladder a high five
  - Nick P. – ran the Seacoast Cancer 5K, Noreen, Jess & James, Melissa, Kristen & Jessica, Gregg D. & Liz, Gary D. and Norm H. & his wife
- Gregg D's brother passed away this past week and those that want to reach out can with cards or flowers
- Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting over 100 people. Look on your tables for the Rotary business cards to hand out. Thank you Jim M. for coordinating the printing the 1000 cards
- Club Assembly continuations
  - Jay S. – Community Giving Committee Chair
    - committee requests to look at groups within the Dover area and worthy causes that can impact many in our local community
    - Last year we had 18 requests and only turned down 2
    - Average about \$1000
    - Went over budget
  - Melissa L. – Public Relations Chair
    - Social Media with Facebook – thank you to everyone that contributes

- Website – thank you to Doug G.
  - District Newsletter – thank you to Melissa L., Noreen B. & Marion C. even though we got scolded for sending in too many happenings at the Rotary Club of Dover
- Ute – Shoe & Boot Committee Chair
  - Given 109 vouches and 82 have been redeemed
  - Sticking to our concept a shoe or boot
- BINGO report
  - Team 4 with 106 players and 16 boxes
  - Team 1 is up this week
  - Thank you to Ken P. for sending out the Rules and Directions on the Tickets and how they are played
- Foundation
  - Correspondence from Lawrence Furbish about a Global grant that originated in our District – horrible photos and stories of children in Syria, working with Rotarians helped with school supplies and support along with Literacy program of these refugees \$187,000 total grant that 10 Rotary Clubs contributed
  - If you see something happening in the world that you do not like, step up and take action
- Rotary gear please pick up from Jim M. today
- Rotary Gardens – Fall planting at Rotary gardens next Wednesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4:30pm. Noreen B. volunteered to bring truck at 3:00pm and should take us only an hour with all the help of our Rotarians
- Club celebrating our 95<sup>th</sup> Anniversary event and looking for members to join us on a committee to celebrate and share of what we do.

## **Fines: Forgoing fines**

### **Program: Rotarian Classification – Doug Loucy**

Doug L., Noreen & Frank B.'s neighbor, is an Engineer. He and his wife Lori just celebrated their 45<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. They moved to Dover about three years ago from the Newburyport area where he lived for the past 30 years.

Before moving to Dover, Doug looked at real estate websites like Trulia & Zillow – and saw a YouTube video of the house on Spur Road in Dover, knowing the location was beautiful and yet the house needed a lot of work. They vacationed previously on Bear Island on Lake Winnepesaukee, drove through Dover on the Spaulding Turnpike, but they never thought they would make a change. Doug kept thinking about looking out over the river and decided to purchase the property. The Locys sold their home in Newburyport before all the renovations on their Spur Rd. home were done, so they decided to stay in a hotel just down the road. By that time, they

had met Noreen & Frank and for the next week, the new neighbors moved in with the Biehls while the 7 week of renovations took place. What great neighbors!

They made an offer, and thought it was going to be counter offered and yet it was accepted!!! Doug couldn't imagine at his fine age of 76 he would buy a home and have to fix it up. Being an engineering he liked to fix and build things as his hobby and that is what he was going to do.

Doug grew up in the mid-west and went to school at the University of Illinois. After college, he ended up working for Western Electric. They would say, once you joined Western Electric, you joined it for life. Doug worked there for two years and transferred to SafeGuard in Connecticut – an anti-missile program by Bell Laboratories, where he got top security clearance and then they disbanded the program. He had to find another job, and moved to a company in North Andover.

In the mid 1990's many of the companies were getting out of manufacturing and going off-shore. His company then sold to a company in New York, and the rest of company did not really exist. So Doug sat down with his wife, asking "what are we going to do? They talked about their portfolio and the possibility of retiring and that is what they decided, 20 years ago.

Doug took advantage of moving out of the city to relax and not feel guilty, which only took him about 6 months to figure out.

Between Doug and Lori, they have four kids including a daughter in Illinois, daughter in Pennsylvania, son in California, where Doug and Lori travel to see the grand-kids. Their other daughter passed away about 1½ years ago from complications of alcohol. It has been tough on them yet being up here in their new home with new friends has helped.

Back when Doug was in Newburyport, he was very involved with the Planning Board and the Waterfront and Preservation Divisions. He helped develop what is now the Newburyport waterfront district. Tracey D., a graduate of Newburyport High School, noted how proud she is of how Newburyport looks today.

Now that Doug was retired and in Dover, he was looking for a way to get involved in the local community. Noreen suggested the Dover Rotary and Frank suggested the Durham Rotary. Once Doug had to get up early to attend the 7:30am breakfast meeting in Durham, he knew that the Rotary Club of Dover was where he wanted to be. It made his choice easy and he is pleased and honored to be with our Club and thanks Noreen B. for sponsoring him.

**Birthdays:**

Gregg D	Oct. 5
Doug L.	Oct. 7
Gary D.	Oct. 10

Joe L. Oct. 10  
 Phil R. Oct. 11  
 Noreen B. Oct. 14  
 Melissa L. Oct. 18  
 Tom D. Oct. 26  
 John E. Oct. 27

**Anniversaries:**

Hemant 1 year  
 Cate R. 8 years  
 John S. 1 year  
 Ed H. 27 years  
 Tom D. 34 years

**Upcoming Programs:**

Oct. 3: Open  
 Oct. 10: Gary Bannon Waterfront update  
 Oct. 17: Rotaract Krista Mastrogiocomo  
 Oct. 24: Concord Coalition, Tyler Sweeney  
 Oct. 31: World Polio Update Past DG Lawrence Furbish

**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
<b>Wednesday: (no meeting 1st Wed. of month)</b>		
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
<b>Thursday:</b>		
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
<b>Friday:</b>		
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)**