



Sept 28, 2022 – Broadway & Zoom Meeting, 12:15

Past President Jim Munro welcomed members, guests, and speakers to the greatest Rotary in the universe!

Thank You: Doug L. for lunch pick-up.

Program: Bill Ferguson, Global Warming & Climate

Change - the Real Skinny and What to Do About It"

Bill Ferguson of Ferguson Energy Management, father of 2 children and 4 grandchildren, talked about the "5 Words" about Global Warming

It's real.

It's us.

It's bad.

Scientists agree.

There's hope!

He asked the group, "How many people are alarmed by climate change?" We had 12 people raise their hands. It is a topic that is alarming to many.

What is Rotary International doing about Climate Change? They have added a 7th Avenue of Focus - The Environment - and are working with clubs all over the world to address the change and work to protect the environment.

Upcoming Meetings & Events

Meetings:

Sept. 27 – Social Dover Bow, 5-7 pm Sept. 28 – Bill Ferguson, Ferguson Energy Management

Pledge: Phil R. **4-Way Test:** Dave D. Guest: Theresa R.

Today's newsletter authored by Melissa L.

Announcements:

Rotary Moment: Marion C

- 1. DG Claudia Frost will be joining us at next week's meeting and she encouraged all to attend and support our District Governor.
- 2. Going forward, Marion as our DG will be collaborating with other clubs to do hands-on projects together.

BOD Approval of Polio Plus Project:

At the last BOD meeting, the board voted to bring to the club the opportunity to donate proceeds from Oct. 27th night's Bingo toward the District 7780 Polio Plus Project Initiative. Since the amount may be over \$5,000, the BOD asked for a vote from the membership. *Gregg D. motioned and Jonathan 2nd the motion. All approved.*

Food Drive:

Thank you to those on the committee for helping to coordinate this upcoming Food Drive to take place on **Sat.**, **Oct. 15, 10 am-12pm** at the back parking lot of Tuckers at the Weeks Crossing. The food drive will include students and others from Mike Romps' Camp, Dover Football, Dover Baseball, BINGO, and Interact. Bags are being distributed on **Oct. 8** with "grocery lists" of what is needed at the local food pantries and will be collected on the 15th and brought to Tuckers. Grab your bag and shop for those in need in our community. The goal is to gather at least 2000lbs. Look for the GATHER truck!

SHRED It:

We are looking good for the event on **Sat., Oct.** We have 16 of the DHS Interact students who will be there the day of the event and assist with promotion. We will have 2 shifts, 8:30am-10:30am (includes set-up) and 10:30am-12:30pm (includes breakdown). Signed up for AM shift - Phil R. Tom D, Gregg D, Cindy I, and Theresa R. (guest). Signed up for PM shift - Tom D., Noreen B.

KIDS Closet:

Gregg D. asked that the committee to stay and discuss Dover Middle School suggestions.

Thank You:

For those that helped with the turnover of the **Rotary Gardens**. The MUMS look amazing. Thank you Noreen B, Gregg D, Beth F., and Jim M.

Happy Dollars:

David D. - for his health and he is doing much better

Julie H. - for the winning tickets of the Boston Red Sox at the recent My Breast Cancer Support event and she has gifted them to her husband and their 3 kids.

Melissa L. - only 11 more sleeps until her vacation to Aruba and 1st vacation in

10 years that is not real estate or Rotary associated. **Jim M.** - for Bill's presentation and the little damage to his cottage in

Jay S. - for the men vs women at bowling. Looked like the women bowled and the men watched.

PEI.

50/50 Raffle: Winning ticket was Heather B. and she drew the 5 of Clubs. No winner today!

Sept. Birthdays:

Terrie H. Sept 15 Rebecca J. Sept. 14

Sept. Anniversaries:

Jim M. 32 years Noreen B. 34 years Kathy F. 22 years