

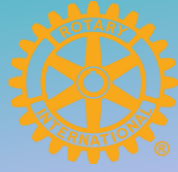
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Newsletter

Rotary

Dover, NH

Doing good. Very good!



THE MAGIC
OF ROTARY

Sept. 18, 2024 – In-person meeting, 12:15

President Harry welcomed all to the Rotary Club of Dover, NH

Program: ApprenticeshipNH: Liz Arcieri and Delilah Smith

Liz Arcieri introduced Rotarians to ApprenticeshipNH, a workforce training program of the Community College System of NH, funded through a Department of Labor grant. Since 2017 the program has worked with over 100 employers in the state to build registered apprenticeships, helping over 1,000 recipients.

“We help empower specific needs,” Liz said citing an example of an auto tech program developed with Dube Ford Toyota. She noted programs are industry led, offer paid jobs, structured learning, supplemental education, diversity, quality and safety and credentials for participants.

Apprenticeships are available for all populations and pre-apprenticeships are offered for high school students. She thanked the Dover Chamber for its involvement in a project to provide parking for carpentership students from Dover’s Career Tech Center traveling to Concord.

Collaborating with employers and community groups, ApprenticeshipsNH offers scholarships and financial assistance. She was pleased to learn more about Dover Rotary’s Vocational Training and Tools grant and hopes to find recipients.

Jim M. asked if they had printing apprenticeships understanding the industry has become more digital, large projects are still run on offset printers – not at this time. Brendan M. asked about the industries they cover – advanced manufacturing, healthcare, hospitality, and building trades. They also work with LNA programs and ESOL training and are currently in discussions with Dover Adult Learning Center. For more information visit: <https://apprenticeshipnh.com/>

Upcoming Meetings & Events

Meetings:

Oct. 2: Marty Hellman

Events:

Sept. 28: Recovery Conference Noble High School, 9 am – 3 pm

Oct. 2: BOD at Broadway

Oct. 2: DMHA Putting Event, 5 pm

Oct. 12: Shred event Saint John’s Methodist Church, 9 – 12.

Pledge: Harry C.

4-Way Test: Jim V.

Visitor: Simon Verkaik, potential new member, Jodie Langellotti of DMS, Liz Arcieri and Delilah Smith from Apprenticeship, NH and Jon Nichols of Woodman Museum, Margaret Joyce of Dover Chamber

*Today’s newsletter authored
by Noreen B.*

Presentations:

Pres. Harry presented a check for \$750 to Jodi Langellotti for the Dover Middle School PTA's annual 5K Pumpkin Dash and a check for \$1,000 to Jon Nichols for the Woodman Museum's Mutant Ninja Movie Night at the Museum on Sept. 28. He said attendees are asked to bring a toy for the Dover Fire Dept's Toy Program, recently destroyed by fire. Pres. Harry noted Rotary is also working with the Fire Dept. and may help with toy delivery in December. More to come.

Bingo: President Harry reminded members ticket counters are always need on Thursdays. Cate R. also mentioned the Bingo Committee is considering a return to teams. The profit for July and August was \$57,000 to be divided among the 4 Rotaries. Pres. Harry thanked Ken P. for extraordinary work, every week, to make Bingo happen.

Garden: Mum planting on Sept. 21 at 9 am.

Mini golf follow up: 15-18 Rotarians attended the Sept. 11 event. Some scores were questionable.

Foundation: Jim M. reminded Rotarians October is Polio Awareness Month. More info to come.

Kids Closet: Gregg D. noted \$1,000 in snacks were distributed to Dover schools.

Reach to Recovery Conference: Gregg D. reminded members about **The Third Annual District 7780 Recovery Conference, Critical Partners: Mental Health and The Road to recovery** will be held at Noble High School, North Berwick, Saturday, September 28th from 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM. Breakfast and registration will, begin at 8:00 AM. Our club has tickets available as part of our sponsorship and will go on a first come first serve basis. Other tickets will be available through registration at a cost of \$25.00 which covers breakfast, lunch, and facility use. Please join us for this important event. Contact Gregg D. at gdownty60@gmail.com to reserve a ticket or register at <https://bit.ly/3Mc9OV3>.

Social Committee – Voices from the Cemetery- Oct. 13 – Cathy B. will be Rotary's tour guide on Oct. 13 at 1 p.m. This is your chance to talk with the deceased residents of Dover's historic cemetery.

Happy Bucks

Jim M. \$1 for growing up in Lawrence and learning to pronounce names correctly – although Gregg D. disagreed and \$1 for playing mini-golf with his son.

Brendan M. \$1 for good turnout at mini-golf and \$1 for NH's juvenile court focusing on fraudulent service dogs.

Jim V. \$5 for 5 days in sunny Seattle with his sons who were in a spartan race.

Gregg D. \$1 for a beautiful September, an \$1 for Jim M's pronunciation fixation

Steve P. \$1 for seeing everyone and \$1 for going to Florida soon.

Simon V. \$1 for glad to be at the meeting.

Noreen B. \$1 for girls' trip to Paris and London

Frank C. \$10 for 57 years with his beautiful wife
Harry C. \$1 for glad to be back.

50/50 Raffle: \$697. Jim M. won the privilege again to draw the King of Clubs, but no luck today.

Sept. Birthdays:

Dave B. Sept. 11
Seneca B. Sept. 11
Terrie H. Sept. 13
Brendan M. Sept. 13

Anniversaries:

Dan S. 40 years
Noreen B. 36 years
Kathy F. 24 years