The Oxford Hills Rotary Reader



The Rotary Club of Oxford Hills PO Box 14 Norway, ME 04268

Wednesday, October 16, 2019

Our mission: The Rotary Club of Oxford Hills is a diverse group of service oriented men and women providing hands on and financial support within our community and beyond. We exemplify "Service Above Self" while encouraging high ethical standards, enjoying friendship and promoting world understanding, peace and good will."

2019-2020 Officers:

Rotary International President: Mark D. Maloney, Rotary Club of Decatur, Alabama - District 7780 Governor: Andrew Glazier, Rotary Club of Kittery – Oxford Hills Rotary President: Pat Cook – Pres. Elect: Lynne Schott – Vice-pres.: to be determined – Treas.: Patty Rice – Sec.: John Griffith – Sgt. At Arms: Stan Brett – Past pres.: George Rice – Club Service Chair: Chris Weston – Vocational Service Chair: Dan Hart - Community Service Chair: Beth Abbott - International Service Chair: Val Weston – Youth Service Chair and Interact Advisor: Tina Fox

Home Club of PDG George Rice and AG Chris Summers

<u>Good morning and Welcome!</u> Today is the 289th day of 2019. There are 76 days remaining in the year. Welcome to our first evening meeting at Daddy O's. Heidi Ortiz is program chair. Her guest speakers are Peter and Gail Wright, the new owners of Hillside Cottages. AG Chris Summers is greeter.

<u>Calendar:</u> The first name listed is the Program Chair, the second is greeter. Please let Reader editor John Griffith know what your program is so it can be published in the Reader. You can reach John at 207-461-7158 or at griffs2@roadrunner.com. Please remember that when you are program chair, you are expected to lend a hand after the meeting putting away the club's paraphernalia

October:

- 17 Progress Center Community Dinner, 4:30 PM 6:00 PM.
- <u>20 Road Toll for the Food Pantries, 10:00 AM 2:00 PM, Fair Street by the tennis courts.</u>
- 23 Dave Preble and Joel Speakman
- <u>30 George Rice and Bob Schott. George's guest speaker will be PDG Lawrence Furbish who will be</u> talking about the Foundation and its opportunities for us as a Rotary Club.

November:

- 6 Club Assembly and Lynne Schott
- <u>13 November Students of the Month and Patty Rice. We will be meeting at the Progress Center due to wreath making at the church.</u>
- 20 Patty Rice and George Rice

Last Week:

I assume we had the usual opening exercises - the Pledge of Allegiance, the 4 Way Test and Rotary prayer.

I saw the picture of everyone putting the labels in the dictionaries on Facebook which I appreciate. It makes a great working meeting. I will be contacting the schools this week to set dates for delivery and hope to have them all delivered by the end of the month.

October Birthdays — Bruce (Pat) Cook — 10/13; Terry (Curtis) Cole — 10/26

October Wedding Anniversaries - Curtis & Terry Cole - 10/6; Michael and Beth Abbott - 10/11

<u>October Membership Anniversaries</u> – Abby Earle – 1 yr – 10/3; Glenn Huntley – 35 yrs. – 10/3; Chris Weston – 6 yrs. – 10/9; Chris Summers – 7 yrs. – 10/10; Tina Fox – 3 yrs. – 10/19; Tally Decato – 26 yrs. – 10/20.

Fun Fact: October:

The tradition of Oktoberfest began on October 12, 1810, when Prince Ludwig of Bavaria wanted to celebrate his marriage to Princess Therese of Saxony-Hildburghausen with his people.

Remember the 4-Way Test:

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

Make-ups:

Bethel – Tuesday, 7:30 AM at the Bethel Inn, Bethel www.bethelrotary.org

Bridgton-Lake Region – Thursday, 7:15 AM at the Community Center, 15 Depot St., Bridgton www.lakeregionrotary.org

Fryeburg – Tuesday, 7:30 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Rt. 5, Fryeburg www.fryeburgrotary.org

River Valley – Monday, 12:00 noon, at Hope Association, 2nd floor, 85 Lincoln Ave., Rumford www.rivervalleyrotaryclub.org

Interact – Thursday, 2:15 PM, Room A210, Oxford Hills Comprehensive Hills High School

