The Oxford Hills Rotary Reader



The Rotary Club of the Oxford Hills P.O. Box 14, Norway, Maine 04268 Rotary Theme for 2012-2013:

"Peace Through Service"

Wednesday, November 7, 2012

2012-2013 Officers and Directors: Rotary International President Sakuji Tanaka - Governor District 7780 Marty Peak Helman - Oxford Hills President Robert Schott - President-Elect David Preble - Vice-President Open - Secretary Jack Richardson - Treasurer Patricia Cook - Sergeant at Arms Stan Brett. Past President - Beth Abbott. Directors - Foundation chair - Larry Jordan, Membership chair - Dan Allen, Publicity chair - Steve Galvin, and Community and Club Service chair - Open.

Club website - www.oxfordhillsrotary.org - District website - www.rotary7780.org.

WELCOME

Today's program is the Students of the Month. Our greeter is Ron "The Cheeseman" Morse.

Please let President Bob or Program Chair Dave Preble know who you have for a speaker so it can be published in upcoming issues.

Program Chairs and Greeters

11/14 - Joel Speakman and Phil Libby
11/21 - Paul Thornfeldt - Bob Kahn
Our speaker will be Bill Rice from
Pinkletink Chimney Services.
11/28 - Val Weston - Irina Kahn

12/5 - Students of the Month - Larry Jordan
12/12 - Beth Abbott - Glenn Huntley
12/19- Choir/Assembly - John Griffith
12/26- Dan Allen - Susan Graves

Last Weeks...

After the Pledge, we sang the Beatles "When I'm 64" to President Bob as he turned 64 on November 1st.

Happy to see Chris Twitchell back at a meeting. President Bob gave her a club pin.

President Bob told us the non-profit gathering at the high school was HO-HUM. But, he did meet Danielle Carr who is the executive Director of the Good Shepherd food bank who was our speaker.

Cheese sales have begun. Ron Morse has order sheets for each and everyone of us, so get out and sell, sell, sell. The cost is \$17.00 per two pound wheel in a gift box and if you want to order 20 or more, there is a

10% discount. Deadline for orders is November 21 with delivery planned for the following week.

The church ladies are selling Christmas wreaths. Orders are being taken at this time.

Six Rotarians are needed to purchase and deliver food on 11/17 from 8-12 for the food pantry.

There is a Future Leaders Seminar led by **PDG George Rice** being held on this Saturday 11/10 from 9-12 at the Cape Elizabeth Town Hall. Anyone interested in a Rotary District position, including, but not limited to District Governor, should attend. If interested, let **George** know.

Membership Minute - Dan warned us that RI would like to see a minimum of 40 members per club or they may require we consolidate with another club. Currently we are at 32, so get out and find a new member.

We were reminded that the high school Interact meets in Room B-1-12 on Thursdays at 2:30 PM. Attending the meeting is considered a makeup.

Thanksgiving baskets will be discussed at this Monday evenings board of directors meeting.

Our guest speaker was Danielle Carr, Executive Director of the Good Shepherd Food Bank in Auburn. Danielle is from Poland. Good Shepherd is the largest food warehouse in the state. They supply food to food pantry's, shelters and other food banks. Last year they distributed 13 million pounds of food. They sell the food for 16 cents a pound and anyone can donate money to be

credited to a specific food pantry or shelter. They have many volunteer opportunities. So if you have some time to spare, give her a call.

November Birthday's

11/1 - President Robert Schott 11/4 - Shawn Libby Lloyd Decato - 11/26

November Anniversaries

Glenn and Sharon Huntley - 11/26

Joined in November

Charter Member PDG George Rice -29 years - November 11, 1983

Happy Dollars . . .

Patty was happy to attend the Foundation seminar in Bridgton. The storage trailer was cleaned out of crutches, wheelchairs and walkers. She also apologized to *George* for leaving his cell phone on and it rang during the seminar and I think he got fined.

Lynne had a happy \$20 to get a break to attend this meeting. She has had a hectic year at school with 14 new students who need to learn the ways of the high school.

Dan was happy that the weekend was over as he blew a tire and had to buy four new one's and then hit a doe which caused \$3400. damage to the same car.

Pat drew Val's ticket and she drew two blue balls on the 50/50. The pot is now over \$116.00

Do You Know Someone who is a Real Estate Appraiser - Auctioneer

Furniture Sales - Entertainment

Plumber - Monuments

Locksmith - Landscaping

Boiler Tech - Welder

Florist - Surveyor

Physical Therapy - Excavation Contractor

Super Markets - Attorney

Then ask them to come and join us in Rotary.

Making up at Neighboring Clubs

Interact Club meets in Room B-112 at 2:30 PM on Thursdays.

Bethel - Tuesdays 7:30 AM - The Bethel Inn

Bridgton-Lake Region

Thursdays 7:15 AM Bridgton Alliance Church Harrison Road, Bridgton

Fryeburg Area

Tuesdays 7:30 AM

St. Eliz-Ann Seton Cath. Ch., Rt. 5

Rumford

Tuesdays 7:30 am. at Amato's
65 Lincoln Ave. Rumford
You can always find a club to makeup at on
the District 7780 website.

http://www.rotary7780.org

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The Four Way Test

1. Is it the Truth?

2. Is is fair to all concerned?

3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

4. Will it be beneficial to all

concerned?

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