The Oxford Hills Rotary Reader

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



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."

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Home Club of PDG George Rice

<u>Welcome!</u> Today is the 307th day of 2016. There are 59 days remaining in the year. Secretary John Griffith is program chair this morning. His guest speaker is Pat Weigel, President of Norway Savings Bank. Curtis Cole is our greeter.

Calendar: 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 207-743-6129 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.

11/5 - RLI, Lewiston-Auburn College, 7:30AM - 3:30PM.

<u>11/9 – Students of the Month and Mary Lou Burns.</u> We will be meeting at the Progress Center in Norway due to wreath making at the church.

11/10 - Centennial Celebration 100 for 100 - Marriott Sable Oaks, South Portland, 6:00PM - 10:00PM

<u>11/16 – Tally Decato and Rachel Brown.</u> Tally's guest speaker will be Shelly Kennagh who will be talking about BNI.

11/23 - Glenn Huntley and Dan Allen. Glenn's guest speaker is Rev. Don Mayberry.

<u>11/30 – Trish Logan and Beth Abbott.</u> Guest speaker, Tony Wagner, who will be talking about Visioning.

12/7 – Students of the Month and Val Weston

Visiting Rotarians and Guests: There were no visiting Rotarians or guests last week.

Announcements:

<u>Paul Thornfeldt and Ron Morse</u> — The first delivery of Cheese Wheels is one week from today so be sure to get your orders in. Frank Shorey called from Florida and ordered 2.

<u>Bob Schott –</u> we raised \$1,381.33 at the road toll for Polio Plus on Sunday, the 23rd. Thanks to everyone who helped out – Bob, Lynne, Tina, John, Pat, Glenn, Chris S. and DG Marge Barker.

Also, Bob has set the date for the Exchange Student / Interact Ski Weekend, March 17 – 19, 2017. Don't forget that we meet on Friday morning that week so the students can be with us.

Chris Summers – The t-shirts have arrived. Cost is \$8.50 for a small, more for larger sizes.

<u>Lynne Schott</u> – talked to Rowe School 6th graders about polio on World Polio Day. The talk went well and the students were very interested.

Last Week: Dan Hart introduced our guest speaker, Corp. Mitchell Shaw from the Norway PD and Rowe School Resource Officer. The Resource Officer position is funded with a 4 year Federal grant that Chief Federico applied for. Mitch spends ¾ of his time at Rowe and ¼ as a patrol officer. During the summer, he is a regular on the force, but he also drops in at the lunch programs and other activities as well. The purpose of the resource officer position is to build relationships, not enforcement. Mitch is a guide for the Walking School Bus and he is present during school bus drop offs and pick-ups each school day. He spends some of his time reading to the kids and he has regular office hours where kids can come and talk to him. He has also worked with Principal Dan Hart in updating Rowe emergency plans and manages 2 lock down drills each year. He also can handle behavioral issues beyond what Dan can do.

Happy Dollars — Lois was happy to be back. She reported that Herb is doing great, is in good spirits and will be home under her care tomorrow (now last Thursday). He can't feel his right leg so needs a walker to get around. Lastly, she gave a big thank you to everyone for their thoughts and prayers. Curtis and Terry had a nice trip out west. They went as far as Kansas City to see their son and family and then down to Florida — although their time in Florida was interrupted by hurricane Matthew. Their trip home on the Auto Train was cancelled due to the storm and they had to find an alternate route to drive home as 195 was closed due to flooding.

50/50 - Lois drew Stan's number but Stan drew the 10 of diamonds. There was \$54 in the pot.

November Birthdays: Bob Schott – 11/1; Julie (Dan) Hart – 11/4

November Anniversaries: Dan & Julie Hart - 11/8; Glenn & Sharon Huntley - 11/26

October Membership Anniversaries: Ron Morse – 6 years – 11/10; George Rice – 33 years – 11/11.

50 Years Ago – 1966 Top 10 Best Selling Novels in the US:

- 1. Valley of the Dolls by Jacqueline Susann
- 2. The Adventurers by Harold Robbins
- 3. <u>The Secret of Santa Vittoria</u> by Robert Crichton
- 4. Capable of Honor by Allen Drury
- 5. <u>The Double Image</u> by Helen MacInnes
- 6. The Fixer by Bernard Malamud
- 7. <u>Tell No Man</u> by Adela Rogers St. John
- 8. *Tai Pan* by James Clavell
- 9. <u>The Embezzler</u> by Louis Achincloss
- 10. All in the Family by Edwin O'Connor

The 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 and better 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.orgth

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

Interact – Thursday, 2:30 PM, Room A200, Oxford Hills Comprehensive Hills High School

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