

# The Oxford Hills Rotary Reader



The Rotary Club of Oxford Hills  
PO Box 14  
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Wednesday, November 4, 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."

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## 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

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**Good morning and Welcome!** Today is the 310th day of 2019. There are 55 days remaining in the year. Our meeting this morning is a Club Assembly and our greeter is Lynne Schott.

**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 207-461-7158 or at [griffs2@roadrunner.com](mailto: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

## November:

**13 – November Students of the Month and Patty Rice. We will be meeting at the Progress Center due to wreath making at the church.**

**16 – Rotary Leadership Institute in Lewiston.**

**20 – Evening Meeting - Patty Rice and George Rice. Patty's guest speaker is Diane Madden, Executive Director of the Cancer Resource Center of Western Maine.**

**21 – Progress Center Community Dinner, 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM**

**27 – Lynne Schott and Dave Preble**

## December:

**4 – Club Assembly and Heidi Ortiz**

**11 – December Students of the Month and Ron Morse**

**18 – OHCHS Chorale and Liz Knox**

**19 – Progress Center Community Dinner, 4:30 PM – 6:00 PM**

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

**Rotary Moment:** Greeter Bob Schott talked about the most recent Road Toll for Polio that we held on October 20<sup>th</sup>. We raised \$1,113.00 in 4 hours. Remember that what we raise gets matched 2 for 1 so that means what we raised enough to vaccinate 6,678 children.

### **Announcements:**

**Paul –** remember to sell Cheese Wheels! The deadline for the first round of orders is Friday, November 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Dan H. –** passed out an envelope with Club and Rotary information for each member to keep and hand out to prospective members.

**John –** the Dictionary Project is complete for this year. The final school was Oxford Elementary last Thursday. A big thank you to everyone that helped this year. There are some left over dictionaries if anyone is interested in purchasing one. They are \$5.00 each.

**Tina –** the Interact Club has some LuLaRoe clothing for sale. If interested, please speak to Tina.

We have heard from **Peter and Chris** in Guatemala. Unfortunately, they have had a lot of rain so have been able to do some site work but have not been able to build the playground.

### **Last Week:**

**President Pat** led us in the Pledge of Allegiance, the 4 Way Test and the Rotary prayer. Our guest speaker, PDG Lawrence Furbish led us in singing “God Bless America.”

Program Chair George Rice introduced PDG Lawrence Furbish who talked about the Rotary Foundation and the Council on Legislation. The Rotary Foundation is the key thing that sets us apart from other organizations. (1) through it, we help people in need, (2) the Foundation greatly magnifies what the money does, (3) it increases our visibility, (4) it expands the horizons of members, and (5) it encourages the spirit of generosity. Lawrence also talked about District Grants and encouraged us to apply for one so that we get back some of the money we contribute.

Lawrence has also been on the Council of Legislation for the last 3 years and is looking to be appointed to another 3 year term. The Council is the governing body of Rotary and is the only way that Rotary’s constitution and by-laws can be changed. There are 33 resolutions to be voted upon this year.

## 😊 Happy Dollars 😊

**Patty** had a happy dollar for her and George attending the Pints for Polio event sponsored by the Auburn Rotary. They had a very good time. Past member Kim Bright sent a happy dollar to us.

**Bob** had a Happy Birthday dollar for his birthday on Friday but he also had a sad dollar for his sister who is fighting cancer and is not doing well

**PDG Lawrence** had a happy dollar for his hunting dog that passed who will be missed.

**Glenn** had a happy dollar for deer season starting Saturday.

**50/50** – Glenn drew Patty’s number but Patty drew the 8 of Hearts. There was \$89 in the pot.

**November Birthdays** – Bob Schott – 11/1; Julie (Dan) Hart – 11/4; Liz Knox – 11/16

**November Wedding Anniversaries** – Dan & Julie Hart – 11/8; Glenn & Sharon Huntley – 11/26

**November Membership Anniversaries** – George Rice – 36 yrs. – 11/11

### **Match the quote to the movie:**

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| 1. “We all go a little mad sometimes.”                    | A. The Exorcist    |
| 2. “He’s a liar. The demon is a liar.”                    | B. Jaws            |
| 3. “You’re going to need a bigger boat.”                  | C. Rosemary’s Baby |
| 4. “I see dead people.”                                   | D. Psycho          |
| 5. “Come with us quietly....don’t argue or make a scene.” | E. The Sixth Sense |

### **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](http://www.bethelrotary.org)

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

[www.lakeregionrotary.org](http://www.lakeregionrotary.org)

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

[www.fryeburgrotary.org](http://www.fryeburgrotary.org)

**River Valley** – Monday, 12:00 noon, at Hope Association, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 85 Lincoln Ave., Rumford

[www.rivervalleyrotaryclub.org](http://www.rivervalleyrotaryclub.org)

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



Answer: 1 D, 2 A, 3 B, 4 E, 5 C