

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, April 10, 2013

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 Christina Twitchell - 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 Ronald Morse.
Club website - www.oxfordhill Rotary.org - District website - www.rotary7780.org.

WELCOME

**Today's Program Chair is Susan Graves and
our speaker is Shawn Lambert from the
OHCTS.**

Paul is our Greeter.

*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

4/17 - Glenn Huntley and Joel Speakman

Glenn's guest speaker is Joe Galetta.

4/24 - Larry Jordan and Jack Sours

5/1 - Students of the Month and Lynne Schott

5/8 - Rebecca Dowse and Jack Richardson

5/15 - Irina Kahn and Patty Rice

5/29 - Bob Kahn and George Rice

6/5 - Top 10 Students and Dave Preble

6/12 - Ron Morse and Phil Libby

6/19 - Dave Preble and Bob Kahn

6/26 - Annual Dinner and Irina Kahn

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Last Weeks . . .

Last week we entertained the Students of the Month. Maureen Howard introduced 9th grader Andrew Fleming, 10th grader Gillian Maclellan, 11th grader Ethan Edwards and 12th grader Anna Graham. Each of the students had a parent or two and even a sister with them. Dan Allen gave them the "Rotary History Talk" which was as always, very informative.

The board of directors voted to donate \$100 to the Oxford Early Childhood Education Group.

We were informed that PDG Gary Speers has been hospitalized at MMC in Portland.

President-Elect Dave Preble should be giving us an update on last weekend's district assembly.

Phil Libby has informed us that he is recruiting a sophomore to attend the RYLA conference this year. Phil has Ron Morse and Beth Abbott on his committee.

There is a sign-up sheet going around for Rotary emblazoned T-shirts and sweatshirts. Let **Beth Abbott** know if you would like to purchase an item and what size you would like.

Our annual auction is scheduled for July 13th. The yard sale will be shared with the Kiwanians and we will be doing the auction and ticket auction.

Tally Decato was sending around the sign-up sheet for the MayDay PlayDay to be held on Saturday, May 11th. Sign-up for this most enjoyable kid's day. Looks like Stan will need some help setting tents.

Happy Dollars . . .

Rebecca informed us that she has had another successful cooking class at the woman's shelter. *One of the women is going out on her own and is in need of household furnishings.*

Lynne was happy that the Interact Club raised \$120. for Relay For Life. The date for the relay is June 15th and 16th.

Beth thanked Dan for his talk and Maureen for running the Students of the Month Program.

PE Dave told us they he and Becky had a great vacation in the Caribbean. He also shared the photo of Francis and Connie Shorey in their Blue Jay garb, or, was it the Devil's Ray garb, well it was one of the lower teams in the American League East.

Larry has a happy dollar for the students and especially their parents.

Tally was also happy for the students and their families and the great community we live in. The Oxford Hills has a 87% graduation rate and the largest scholarship fund in the State of Maine.

President Bob had the photo frame set up to show the students how much fun they can have on a rafting trip. Apparently, the frame was still going at other church meetings.

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50/50 drawing. George Rice's ticket was drawn but he missed the elusive King of Clubs. The 50/50 prize is now over \$395. Time to start buying more than one ticket.

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April Birthday's

4/3-Dave Carter - 4/7-Joel Speakman

4/12-George Rice - 4/18-Kathy Richardson

4/20-Tally Decato - 4/24-Beth Abbott

4/26-Michael Abbott - 4/30-Jack Richardson

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Calendar of Upcoming Events

Sat. May 11 - MayDay Playday, 9-1 at OHCHS.

Fri. & Sat. May 17th and 18th - District Conference in Boothbay Harbor.

Fri-Sun, May 31-June 2 - Exchange Students Adventure.

Sun-Wed, June 23-26 - Rotary International Convention in Lisbon, Portugal. *See you there!*

Sun-Wed, June 23-26 - Rotary Youth Leadership RYLA.

July 3rd - breakfast will be a joint meeting with the

Kiwanis Club as the 4th falls on their regularly scheduled meeting day.

July 13th - Annual Auction & Flea Market Fundraiser.

August 17th - Annual Lobster and Steak Dinner at the OHCHS.

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Making up at Neighboring Clubs

We are 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.

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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- *Do You Know Someone who is a*

Woods Business - Cleaning Service - Painter

Government - Storage Facilities - Clown

Printing - Restaurant - Nuclear Physicist

Rubbish Removal - Postal Service - Home Inspector

Plumber - Paving Contractor - Roofer

Nursing Homes - Law Enforcement - Auto Mechanic

If so, then ask them to come

and join us in Rotary.

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