

# Rotary



## The Oxford Hills Rotary Reader

Wednesday, August 7, 2019

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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### 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 205th day of 2019. There are 145 days remaining in the year. This morning will be a club assembly. Tally Decato 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 207-461-7158 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.

### August:

14 – Lobster & Steak Fest meeting and Curtis Cole

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

17 – Lobster & Steak Fest at OHCHS

21 – Glenn Huntley and Dan Allen. Our guest speaker will be Steve Heinz from the Maine Council of Trout who will be talking about the Welchville Dam replacement and its effects on fishing.

28 – Dan Hart and Beth Abbott

### September:

2 – Board Meeting at South Paris Town Office, 5:30 PM. This is Labor Day so do not know for sure if the board will be meeting on this day or Tuesday, September 3. Will update when the date is set at August's meeting.

4 – Club Assembly and Val Weston

11 – Becky Kaurup and Chris Weston

18 – Peter Kaurup and Miranda Ward

### Visiting Rotarians and Guests:

We did not have a sign-in sheet so I don't have a list of guests.

### Announcements:

**President Pat** - The Kiwanis Club has asked us to join them on a Songo River Queen cruise in Naples on August 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30. We have joined them in the past and had a great time. The cruise lasts about an hour and a half. The cost is \$10 per person.

**AG Chris Summers** - There will be a follow-up meeting with Kiwanis on what to do about the Special Olympics dance at the Vault on Wednesday, August 7 at 5:30 PM. Everyone is welcome.

**Patty Rice** – there is a new sign-up sheet for the Progress Center Community Dinner. Some of us have already volunteered but there are vacancies. If you would like to help out, please speak with Patty.

**Foundation Chair George Rice** – Congratulations to Joel Speakman and Frank Shorey for becoming sustaining members with their contributions of \$100 to the Foundation.

**Dan Hart** – Thanks to everyone who participated at our July 17 meeting on the alternative club meeting. There were lots of ideas which the committee will take under advisement.

### Last Week:

We had a very enjoyable cookout at Ron and Laura Morse's home on Norway Lake. The thunderstorms held off until we had most everything picked up. We need to give a big thanks to Ron and Laura for hosting us.

 **Happy Dollars** : We did not do Happy Dollars.

50/50: There was no drawing.

**August Birthdays** – Chris Summers – 8/17; Charlie (Tina) Fox – 8/27

**August Wedding Anniversaries** – None Found

**August Membership Anniversaries** – None Found

## **Timely Insight**

“It’s a sure sign of summer if the chair gets up when you do.”

~ Walter Winchell ~

## **50 Years Later:**

A movie’s popularity can rise or fall with time. According to the Internet Movie Database (IMDB.com), these are now the most highly rated movies that were originally released in 1969:

1. Easy Rider
2. Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid
3. On Her Majesty’s Secret Service
4. True Grit
5. Midnight Cowboy

Midnight Cowboy won the Academy Award for Best Picture for the year.

## **Remember The Four Way Test:**

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](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