# **Westbrook-Gorham Rotary**

(Board Meeting Minutes: November 4th, 2014)

(Prior to our regular meeting at the Westbrook Regional Vocational Center)

### **Board Members:**

*Present:* President Steve Rand, Vice President Christine Johnson, Secretary Michael Foley, Hal Thomas, & Paul Emery.

Absent: Treasurer Bill Gowen, Past President Patricia Kenny, & Judith Reidman Ouorum present? Yes

Others Present: none

## **Proceedings:**

- · Meeting called to order at 10:30AM by President Steve Rand
- · Secretary's Report:
- (Last month's) No objections to meeting minutes posted on the website.
- We will have a member induction on 11/25.
- We also discussed members who hadn't attended or payed dues.
- · Treasurer's Report:
- Bill provided a report on the clubs financials as well as the house trust though he was not in attendance. Christine mentioned donations and board discussed.

### **Committee and Program Chair Reports**

- · None:
- N/A

#### **Old Business**

- · Meal Pricing:
- President Steve mentioned the reduction of the guarantee to 15 but should there be more coming, we should let the Chef know.
- · Speaker Update:
- Christine updated the board on speakers.
- · Rotary Foundation Donations:
- President Steve advised Foundation Chair Jason Beever is seeking more information about the match program we discussed. We will discuss that at our next meeting as well as a donation from the club as a whole. Christine also mentioned other donation matching.
- $\cdot$  Bylaws: Steve checked to see if anyone had reviewed them and we will discuss them in the future.

#### **New Business**

- $\cdot$  Trail Service Project: Steve suggested we should work on a trail to connect the WMS & WHS. Paul will touch base with the City Planner about current trails and see what we can do. Board agreed this is a great idea and will consider.
- · Other business: Christine suggested as part of the Christmas Party, we also bring a donation for some organization. It was suggested to discuss with Judy.
- Other Fundraisers: Christine gave a brief report on the Christmas Tree Sale.
- Interact: None
- · Meeting adjourned following completion of business at 11:15AM.

Minutes submitted by Club Secretary, Michael Foley.