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Meets Wednesday at 12:15 P.M.
Goss Building. 121 Broadway, Dover

THE FOUR 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 FRIENDSHIP?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

Is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life;

MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday:

- Exeter, 12:15, Exeter Inn
- Manchester, 12:15, Chateau Restaurant, 201 Hanover St.
- Rochester, 12:15, Governors Inn on Wakefield
- Wells, 7:30am, The Bull 'N Claw, Rt. 1

Tuesday:

- Concord, 12:15, Cat 'n Fiddle Restaurant
- Hampton, 7:30am, Ashworth by the Sea
- Kittery, 7:30am, Kittery Estates

Wednesday:

- Biddeford-Saco, 12:15, Captain's Gallery Restaurant
- Durham Great Bay, 7:30am, Three Chimneys Inn
- Ogunquit, 12 noon, The Old Village Inn, Rte One

Thursday:

- Kennebunk, 12:15, Boat Yard Restaurant
- Portsmouth Sunrise, 7:30am, Portsmouth Gas Light
- Portsmouth, 12:15, Red Hook Brewery
- Sanford-Springvale, 7:30, Town Club @Fleet Bank
- South Berwick-Eliot 7:15am, SB Community Center

Friday:

- Bow, 7:30am, Trinity Tavern, 557 Rt. 3A
- Portland, 12:15, Portland Club, 156 State Street
- York, 7:30am, York Harbor Inn



Feb. 2, 2012

Groundhog Club handler John Griffiths holds up Punxsutawney Phil, the weather-prognosticating groundhog, during the 126th celebration of Groundhog Day at Gobbler's Knob in Punxsutawney, Pa. Phil saw his shadow, forecasting six more weeks of winter weather.

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The BING writers are:	
Feb. 8	<i>Ute Luxem</i>
Feb. 15	<i>Mark Monson Alley</i>
Feb. 22	<i>Amy Sharp</i>
Feb. 29	OPEN
Mar. 7	OPEN
Mar. 14	<i>Noreen Biehl</i>
Mar. 21	<i>Nick Pellman</i>
Mar. 28	<i>Mark Monson Alley</i>
Apr. 4	OPEN
Apr. 11	<i>Melissa Lesniak</i>
Apr. 18	<i>Jerry Reese</i>
Apr. 25	<i>Scott Smith</i>

THE CALL IS OUT FOR BING WRITERS
Talk to *Noreen Biehl*/Serve your Club/FREE lunch

The meeting was called to order by **President Norm Heine**. The pledge was led by **Melissa Lesniak** and **Ann Goodwin** delivered the invocation. 4-Way Test offered by **Matt Sylvia**. **Mike Bolduc** was the BING writer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Jim Verschueren** reminded the Club there would be a dictionary label sticking get-together that night at his house. Wine would be served so that no one will know (or care) if the labels are crooked.
- **Noreen Biehl** reminded the Club BING writers are needed.
- **Eliot Lazyslob** asked if spelling acumen was required for BING writers.
- **President Heine** informed the Club of the upcoming functions: March 30th, Midwinter District Dinner; February 18th, Peace of Understanding Dinner; April 24th, District Assembly; May 18 to May 20, District Conference in Freeport ME. See **President Heine** if interested in attending.
- **President Heine** – announced that President Elect **Amy Sharp** will be looking for committee chairs and sergeant at arms for next year. See **Amy** if interested – if not, keep your head down and avoid her like the plague.
- **President Heine** - Rotary met the challenge from the Bill Gates Foundation to raise \$200,000,000 six months early resulting in another \$50,000,000 gift from the Bill Gates Foundation.

PROGRAMS FOR 2011 - 2012

Feb. 8 - Club Assembly
Feb. 15 - NH Bar Association -- "Civics in Action" Program
Feb. 22 - DALC Students share about "Civics in Action"
Feb. 29 - Jon Maki -- Milton Hershey School

50/50 WINNER

Pres. Norm Heine (but only after the original winner **Jay Stevens** turned the winnings back.)

PROGRAM

Max Pagnouille, the foreign exchange student sponsored by the Club, spoke about his home country – Belgium.

Max spoke about the Belgian flag, geography (just a little larger than NH), population (ten times the population of NH), languages (French, Flemish and German and the areas of the country where you can and cannot use each), food (waffles, chocolate, beer, and Mussels and fries with mayo).

Some of the most enlightening discussions involved politics (my notes on this are very confused and do not make sense, which may be due to my note taking or representative of their political system), the Belgian healthcare system (all public with “extras” costing extra), comics (Belgium is the home of the Smurfs), and very detailed information about the Belgian landmark “Manneken Pis” (including some measurements in inches and centimeters, but what was being measured I am not sure of).

BINGO



TEAM THREE is on deck for February 9th.

You are: **TEAM THREE CAPTAIN Ann French: 332-2610; Jon West,**

Cate Rafferty, Jay Stephens, Jerry Reese, Ann Goodwin, Frank Cassidy, Ed Hoginski, Mike Bolduc, Jim Horne, Scott Smith, Ute Luxem and Kristina Bellizzi.

BINGO IS RUN ON VOLUNTEER HELP— if you can't make your designated date...find a sub.
Team Two hosted 114 players.

ABSENT ROTARIANS

Mark Monson Alley, Betsey Andrews Parker, Dave Bibber, Greg Burdwood, Peg Casey, Marion Cheney, Gary DeColfmacker, John Guy, Norm Heine, Ed Hoginski, Jim Horne, Tom Humphrey, Wally Johnson, Carrie Keech, Lee Ann Lajoie, Thad Mandsager, Bob O'Connell, Nick Pellman, Ken Plante, Jerry Reese, Carol Salava, Dan Shaheen, Craig Stevens, Doug Surina, and Laurie Widmark.

ATTENDANCE

48%

GUESTS & VISITING ROTARIANS

Rotary Exchange Student Max Pagnouille and Robert McCrory the host for the speaker.

A. Jache and J. Spencer were guests of *Jay O'Neill*.

HAPPY BUCKS

- * *Ute Luxem* for our guest speaker Max Pagnouille
- * *John Guy* for club anniversaries (the alternative is not happy); for *Ann Goodwin's* invocation; and for his first triumphant hike up Mt Major since his heart procedure.
- * *Maggie Davis* for needing a Bingo replacement due to an upcoming vacation with her 80 year old mother.
- * *Matt Sylvia* for Frozen Fenway; business conference in Toronto; and golf being just around the corner.
- * *Nancy Boyle* for Max Pagnouille
- * *Ann Goodwin* for business as usual (applause)
- * *Jim Verschueren* for his friend's return to good health
- * *Cova Greig* for good care at the Seacoast Leading Medical Center
- * *Scott Fitzgerald* for his fond memories of last year when his wife visited her dad in Florida with the kids – this year she didn't take the kids.
- * *Kim Alty* for *Phil Rinaldi* "philling" in at Bingo for her; for a trip to Jamaica
- * *Karen Gray* for lots of birthdays
- * *Frank Cassidy* for a visit to his Florida condo and remembering when the neighbors there looked old – now they look young.
- * *Joe Hagan* for *Ann Goodwin* being back to business as usual; and a highly recommended trip to Yellowstone.
- * *Jerry Daley, Malcolm McNeill, Mike Bolduc* and *President Norm Heine* for the Seacoast Leading Medical Center.
- * *Eliot Lazyslob* for a unique, but successful, strategy used by his brother while coaching basketball.

FINES

SAA Jim Verschueren fined all who either did not wear their Rotary pin to the meeting, or only put their Rotary pin on just before the meeting.


 
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