



ROTARY CLUB OF DOVER
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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;

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



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MAKE UP OPPORTUNITIES

Monday:
 Exeter, 12:15, Exeter Inn
 Manchester, 12:15, Chateau Restaurant, 201 Hanover St.
 Rochester, 12:15, Rochester Country Club
 Wells, 7:30am, The Bull N'Claw, Rt. 1

Tuesday:
 Concord, 12:15, Cat'n Fiddle Restaurant
 Hampton, 12:15, Ashworth by the Sea
 Kittery, 7:30am, Bob's Clam Hut, Rt. 1
 Somersworth, 7:15am, The Gateway Restaurant

Wednesday:
 Biddeford-Saco, 12:15, Captain's Gallery Restaurant
 Durham Great Bay, 7:30am, New England Center
 Ogunquit, 12 noon, Beach House Grill, 355 Main St.

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, 7:15am, Spring Hill Lodge

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

**Have you
 volunteered to write
 BING??**

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 serve your Club.**



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ATTENDANCE

46%

50/50 WINNER

Jerry Reese

Meeting was called to order by **Pres Jerry R.** The Pledge was led by **Gary D.** The invocation was offered by **Jerry D.**

ABSENT ROTARIANS

Mark Alley, Betsey Andrews-Parker, Dave Bibber, Mike Bolduc, Mark Boulanger, Barbara Bradley, Greg Burdwood, John Cogan, Cecelia Esposito, Sean Fitzgerald, Ann French, Karen Gray, Joey Hagan, Dave Hamilton, Norm Heine, Ed Hoginski, Carrie Keech, Melissa Lesniak, Joe Lynch, Ken Muske, Bob O'Connell, Ken Plante, Mike Provost, Carol Salava, Dan Shaheen, Amy Sharp, John Tuten, and Jon West.

VISITING ROTARIANS/GUESTS

Brad Jett, District Governor

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARYS

Birthdays: 4/3 **Peter W**; 4/4 **Jay S**; 4/6 **David S**; 4/6 **John G**; 4/20 **Kim A**.
Anniversaries: 4/2 30 yrs. **Walt S**; 4/10 11 yrs. **Eliot L**; 4/23 1 yr. **Ken P** and **Sarah F**; 4/27 **Barbara B**.

BINGO



Team 1 hosted 192 players and sold 24 boxes of tickets. Thank you for supporting your club.

Team TWO is up for April 30th. You are: **Jerry D, Susan B, Carol S, Mike Z, Craig W, Walt S, Marion C, Art C, Tom D, Mark T, and Eliot L**

**BINGO IS RUN ON VOLUNTEER HELP—
PLEASE, GET A REPLACEMENT
IF YOU CAN'T MAKE YOUR NIGHT**

Thank you, BING writer

Kathy Fink

BING WRITERS

5/27: Kathy F

6/3: Joe L. Sub: Gary D

6/10: Joe L. Sub: Gary D

6/17: John T. Sub: Sarah F

6/24: John T. Sub: Sarah F

4/29: **Need a volunteer**

5/6: **Need a volunteer**

5/13: Karen G

5/20: Karen G

SPEAKERS FOR MAY 2009

May 6 Still open

May 13 Brian Bell, Headmaster at Portsmouth Christian Academy

May 20 Norm Fracassa, Fracassa Design Works

May 27 Joe B. Parks

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- District Conference will take place at the Samoset Resort in Rockport, ME, June 5,6,7. For complete details, visit the District 7780 website at: www.rotary7780.org
- There will be a board meeting of the Dover Rotary Club on Tuesday, April 28th at 12:30 PM in the Gilmore Room of the McConnell Center.
- Rotary Golf Tournament is on Monday, June 15. Please keep working on getting sponsors, raffle prizes and foursomes.
- Our district is holding a raffle entitled "Fore! For Four" to support Polio Plus. The money that we raise is in response to a matching challenge from the Gates Foundation. Each club in the district has set a goal of raising \$2,000. We are ¾ of the way there! **Laurie W** has the raffle tickets at \$20 each, and prizes include golf for four at many country clubs throughout our district.
- Our poker fundraiser is done and we will have the results soon.
- **Next week's program will be a talk by the Director of Economic Development for the City of Dover.**
- Dover Adult Learning Center Mini Golf Tournament Saturday, September 26 from 8-10 AM at Hilltop Fun Center. Shotgun start. See www.dalc-online.org

HAPPY BUCKS

- **Jay S**: For wife's good treatment at the seacoast's leading medical center...and they didn't lose her...
- **Brian W**: For his son's Little League Team making the newspaper – all three team members!
- **Nancy B**: For the UNH Dressage team becoming national champions
- **John G**: safe return of our troupes & world peace
- **Craig S**: For **Joe L's** help at BINGO and for his daughter's 24th birthday
- **Jim V**: For **Jerry** and **Ann's** future happiness at knowing about the mini-golf tournament
- **Kim A**: for a great birthday
- **Peggy C**: for all of the help at BINGO while she has been out sick, and for Christopher's 18th birthday
- **Eliot L**: For a call from his little brother who was on a golf course in Las Vegas. He was actually there to play fantasy baseball!
- **Jerry D & Malcolm M** gave the usual contribution for the seacoast's leading medical center
- **Jerry R**: for lunch with his daughter-in-law and the impending arrival of the cat and dogs while his son moves.

FINES

Anyone late to the meeting; anyone who mentioned a particular business; and for cell phones going off

PROGRAM

Today's program consisted of several reports from Rotarians who attended the District Assembly yesterday.

Kim Alty: Attended the Youth Programs:

- RYLA - Rotary Youth Leaders Award
- Rotaract - Exchanges with UNH and University of New England
- Interact- Working with the High Schools; there will be a District Conference for Interact in the fall. Location: TBD. The kids should be running the programs, with Rotarians involved in the Interact service projects as well. A new program, not yet sanctioned by Rotary, called Earlyact is like Interact but starts at the Middle School level. Gets the kids started so they'll continue with Interact. A school in Sanford has this program They funded money with a Lolly-gram at Valentine's Day and another project was a Senior Citizen Prom. We may look into getting an Earlyact program started.

This was my first time attending District Assembly. If you are new to Rotary or even if you have been in the Club for a while this was a good opportunity to learn more about Rotary and how you can be involved.

Laurie Widmark: Attended a session on District Simplified Grants.

We received a grant for the construction of the race track at the playground. Deadline for grants is July 31st. Competition this year will be much greater.

The Rotary Foundation defines a DSG as a project that must be humanitarian in nature; benefit the community; and be completed within the Rotary year initiated. Projects this year in D-7780 run the gamut from literacy projects and helping erect new community facilities, to helping neighbors meet the expected high cost of heating oil this winter and helping cut child mortality. For more information about grants, visit the district web site.

Marion Cheney: attended the seminar for club secretaries.

They discussed budgeting as well as the focus, theme and future as outlined by the incoming president of RI. She is also looking into club management software called "Club Wizard" that will help organize and coordinate our membership, web site and other information about our club.

Phil Rinaldi: Attended a seminar on membership.

This focused on The Membership Process: Find them; Bring them in; Keep them interested; and pass out M&Ms (to remind members that we need **More Members**).

- 100 ways to recruit members to your rotary club
- A member questionnaire
- A resigning member questionnaire
- Six retention ideas: Inform, invite, induct, orient, educate, and involve