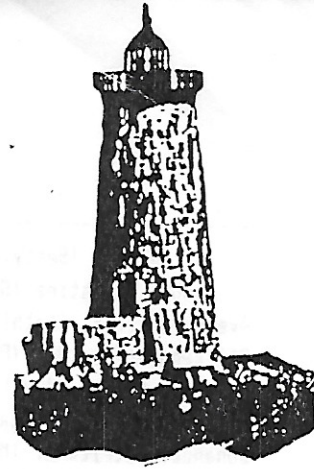


The Rotary Club of Kittery



PUT LIFE INTO ROTARY - YOUR LIFE!

December 27, 1988

Russ was fined for starting the meeting late. Visiting guests were Richard Crabtree (related to Joyce by marriage) and Dan Cochran, of Jackson's Hardware. Visiting Rotarians were: Gay Jarvis, Eileen Foley, Jim Labrie and Joe Simone, all of the Portsmouth Club; Greg Villa, of the York Club; Gerry Weidema, of the Hampton Club; and Bill Pilcher, of the South Berwick Club.

Ed Strong was fined for receiving drug money and for being on T.V. Mayor Eileen Foley was fined for having her picture in the paper so many times. We loved the photo of her on the rocking horse. Walt Jackson won the 50/50 raffle (probably Joyce's ticket).

The guest speaker was Jim Labrie (District Governor Elect) and spoke of the District 779 project of providing fresh water wells in the Dominican Republic. Rotary currently has 12 operating wells and 12 under construction. Fresh water is desperately needed in this country. The project was started in 1984 and continued for 2 years. Then we supported polio plus, and the project is being resupported through 1988 and 1989.

The Intracultural Nursing Association is also setting up clinics in the Dominican Republic and Haiti. Our support (District Level) will be to continue these clinics.

The Dominican Republic's Government wants our health care program. The work is done through the local Rotary. They have asked for teaching nurses to teach health care and train nurses aides. The money we fund is used to help transport nurses and supplies to the clinics, and to maintain a transportation van of a missionary.

The Kittery Club has accepted the Governor's Trophy Challenge with a pledge of \$10 per member for the well project. Every \$1 given is matched by Rotary and this money is matched \$3 to 1 by the Canadian Government. A \$1,000 donation will net \$6,000 toward a well project. Rotary District 779 is currently working on a matching fund project for the nursing clinic project.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 a.m.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY: "When it comes to staying young, a mind-lift beats a face-lift any day."

Marty Bucella

JANUARY GREETERS: Colin Cassie and Harry Lemont

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS - JANUARY/KITTERY AWARENESS MONTH

January 03	Jeff Thompson/Chairman Kittery Town Council
January 10	Recycling: Kittery Conservation Commission
January 17	BUSINESS MEETING
January 24	Kittery Comprehensive Plan
January 31	Kittery Land Trust