

# Lynn Rotary TIPS

September 16, 2005 News of the Rotary Club of Lynn District 7930

## Next Week!

### September 22

Joe Sullivan Lottery Executive Director "Where your money goes."

### September 29

Doug Murray History of "Marlinspike Fancy Rope Work" The kinds of ropes you see on ships, and in nautical theme restaurants.

EVERY ROTARIAN  
US \$100  
EVERY YEAR

## Our Club Members Donate \$2,100 to date for Katrina Relief!

Please send your check to Maria ASAP if you would like to contribute!!

Our 2005-2006 Theme



**SERVICE Above Self**

### Author Walter Carter

was our speaker this week. Walter has authored a book based on his research into the death of his father at the Omaha Beach invasion in World War II. The title of his book is "No Greater Sacrifice, No Greater Love" published by the Smithsonian Institution.



He told us of discovering facts about his father upon reading a diary and letters in his late mother's safe deposit box following her death. His father was

a surgeon on the front lines and was killed at age 32. He was a member of the 29th Division.

A resident of Newton, Walter discovered a book in his local library that talked about his father's heroic acts during the war - contacted the author and "the rest is history". Captain Carter received the Silver Star for his heroism on the front lines and now all the family has learned about him and many more people, too!

### President-Elect Elaine

conducted our meeting this week and announced that our Katrina Relief collection will continue for one more week so that everyone can participate! \$2,100 in checks was given to treasurer Maria at the meeting. It will be sent to the Rotary Foundation Donor Advised Fund for Katrina and will be carefully spent by its trustees.



*Thank you, everyone!*

### Jo Ann Noyes



announced that our club is creating a special relationship with the handicapped veterans of Lynn who are housed in their special apartments on Essex Street. In past years we have given them gift certificates at Christmastime to the Porthole. The new relationship will include a few meet-

ings during the year when our members can sit down with many of the veterans and talk with them, tell them about life in the area and ask them about their lives and try to give them a feeling of belonging. We will also give them certificates for dinner 4 times a year to restaurants of their choice. More details to follow - please plan on volunteering - that's what Rotary is all about!

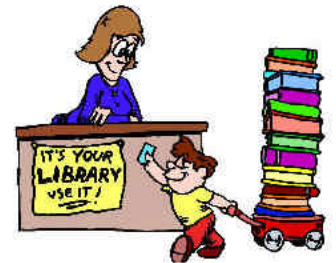
### Our Raffle

is growing !! Rich Brangiforte and Linda Williams fought valiantly for the \$152 pot without any luck so next week there will be another try.

### Television Challenge!

Wednesday September 28 will be our live on-air TV debate with members of the Lynn City Council as part of the campaign to raise awareness and funds for the Lynn Public Library!

The show starts at 6:30 PM and will be telecast from the Comcast TV studios just off Market Street (where we used to have our auction years ago).



Please come and join the studio audience and cheer on our Rotarian panelists!! If you live in Lynn and have cable you can watch the show at home.

### Do You Remember Francis?

Those of you who have helped at Northeast LINK for Ambassadorial Scholars, or at RYLA or have attended district conferences must remember two of our outstanding Ambassadorial Scholars.

Francis Malloy finished his studies and returned to South Africa - he is now their Ambassador to India! Yu-Ling Hsu is married and living in New York working on her doctorate. And Karen Swaim Babin? Still chair of LINK - and a leader in Rotary in northern New York state!!



