

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Nov 17
Mike Gemm
Suddes Group
Boards: Champions
& Passionate
Advocates

Nov 22
Annual Football Luncheon with Lions Co-Sponsors

The Lynn Shelter Association



Drew Russo



has worked in Greater Lynn for several years helping the disadvantaged, men, women and children in our area and more recently with the Lynn Shelter Association in their relatively new headquarters at 100 Willow Street, Lynn.

Drew introduced our main speaker, Marjorie St. Paul, who is the Executive Director of the association. This turned out to be an excellent presentation by an obviously caring person.



Marjorie explained about the children, the parents and others without anywhere to live who had been wisely directed to come to “one of the best-kept secrets in Lynn” ! Unfortunately there is no space in our newsletter to explain their services which include medical, education and housing, in addition to meals and clothing for small children.

Last year they helped 167 individuals, 44 families with follow-up for up to 2 years! For more information, call their main number, 781-581-0739

Our Guest Today

was Peg Simpson, who had a long roll of expectant tickets !!

Saturday December 10

will be our **Bell-Ringing for the Salvation Army** in front of the Christmas Tree Shop, Route One South in Saugus!

The sign-up sheet will be available next week - please help us again this year, you bell veterans, and for those who have never done it, it is **LOTS OF FUN !!**

Sign up for one or two hours and you will be so happy you did !!



Who Could Believe it?

Our \$993 Club Raffle Pot

was down to 3 cards today and most everyone anticipated today would be the day !

President Steve's ticket was drawn again this week (!!!) and Dave Richardson was holding Art Horgan's lucky ticket as Art was home recovering from his operation!

AND NO ONE WON THE MONEY!

Next week there will a new deck and this \$993 will start the pot! It was voted prior to the drawing that if this should happen, this “autographed” joker will be the joker in the new deck and we will start again !



November Birthdays!

Arthur Horgan

Bob Kennedy

Bill Simpson

Don't Forget Your Annual Birthday Contributions !!



Local Rotarians & Interactors Travel to United Nations

This past Saturday, 87 Interactors from Ipswich (52), Gloucester and Rockport were accompanied by 17 Rotarian, faculty and parent chaperones (10 from Ipswich) who traveled by bus to New York City for Rotary Day at the UN.

From the Ipswich Rotary Newsletter

Register for the 2012 RI Convention by 1 December and enjoy the lowest registration rates in a decade.

Rotary's 103rd convention in Bangkok, Thailand, 6-9 May, will offer attendees an unforgettable experience in the Land of a Thousand Smiles. Bangkok is a city filled with exotic temples, unique museums, and ancient attractions. The RI Convention also promises great speakers, including two individuals who have spent their lives promoting economic and community development, one of Rotary's areas of focus.

Nobel Peace Prize winner Muhammad Yunus will be a keynote speaker Monday, 7 May. Yunus is the founder of Grameen Bank, which provides small loans to entrepreneurs, particularly women, in impoverished communities.

Also speaking on 7 May will be Hugh Evans, cofounder and CEO of the Global Poverty Project, an organization dedicated to motivating people to take action to end extreme poverty. The Global Poverty Project recently added polio eradication to its list of campaigns.

A subsidy from the Thai government has helped make the low registration rates possible. Register for the Bangkok convention by 1 December and you and your spouse or partner will pay just US\$160 each to attend. Children ages 5-18 are only \$10 each. Rotaractors and Rotary Foundation alumni can attend for \$50, while Interactors and Rotary Youth Exchange students pay just \$10.

United Airlines and its Star Alliance partners are offering travel discounts to Bangkok for Rotarians. Fly economy and save as much as 15 percent, or travel business class for a 20 percent savings (some exceptions may apply).



President Steve

reminded all of the **DATE** for our evening **FUND-RAISING DINNER AND PARTY!**

It will be at the **PORTHOLE** ON **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th !!!**

(The Wednesday **AFTER** Thanksgiving)

Save the date and be sure to bring

*someone with you **and sell***

those winning tickets!!



**NOVEMBER 11 IS
VETERANS DAY**

GREETERS' SCHEDULE

November 17 - Bob Kennedy & Rich Cuffe

December 1 - Obie Barker & Gene Hastings

December 8 - Tom Lynch & ???

Please remember, Greeters have to **BREAK DOWN also !!**