

The Roundtable

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Rotary Club of Bangor Breakfast

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The Annual Dinner

New president Kontio
New former president Townsend
New Paul Harris Fellows Nagle and Plourde
Blitz and the Joker
Plaudits, pins and 'preciations

The Rotary Club Bangor Breakfast met for... not breakfast...but dinner Thursday night at the High Tides Restaurant in Brewer. In his waning minutes of presidency, **Doug Townsend** got the meeting started with an invocation from **Jeff Plourde**. The club bestowed pins and appreciation thanks to board members and committee chairmen. Committee chairs include **Ken Kimball, Doug Townsend, Ken Nagle, Kendra Speed, Kristy Kimball and Dave Merritt**.

Doug reported that the club raised \$63, 659 this year and presented \$52,343 in donations to area non-profit organizations.

Rotary International provided Ken Nagle's Paul Harris Fellowship. Jeffery Plourde received the Breakfast Rotary Harris award. In its citation, the club noted his 28 years of service in the military, retiring in 2014 as a Major in the United States Air Force. Jeff is the Regional Vice President at TD Bank, where he has worked for 21 years.

In his presentation to Jeff, **Ken Kimball** said, "(Jeff) is a past present of our club, a frequent volunteer and the new chair of the holiday auction committee." Jeff contributes to the breakfast table banter at each week's meeting.

President June Kontio, in outlining her agenda, included a program endorsed by the District Governor of "getting Rotary known." Too many people don't really know what Rotary stands for or does. We will post photos of members on our Facebook page holding the "I am Rotary" sign.

Speaking of banter, it was vigorous as Sergeant-at-Arms **Paul Miragliuolo** shuffled the cards and passed the ticket stub bucket around until someone pulled the winning ticket allowing for that person to pull the Joker' Wild from the deck.

Sandy Blitz retired for the evening with winnings of about \$804. The check is in the mail, Sandy.

The first link takes you to general photos of the evening's participants. The second link shows the faces of "I am Rotary." Viewing full screen is better.

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The party:

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"I am Rotary":

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