



COLONY NEWS

A Weekly Newsletter for Members and Staff of Meredith Bay Colony Club

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EXECUTIVE COUNCILOR RAY BURTON HERE TO WISH JOHN & CHRISTINE DOLE A HAPPY 65TH ANNIVERSARY!



This week we were pleased to welcome to MBCC none other than District 1 Executive Councilor Mr. Ray Burton. Councilor Burton arrived with the expressed purpose of wishing the Doles all the best on the occasion of their 65th Wedding Anniversary.

Along with those Good Wishes Councilor Burton also presented Christine and John with an official State of New Hampshire Proclamation in recognition of their very special milestone. Don't we live in a wonderful state where our elected officials are willing to personally take the time

INN & GARDEN'S BBQ LAST FRIDAY.....

Dianne continues her run of selecting the right weather to go with our outside events --- including last Friday noon-time's BBQ that was held at the entrance to The INN & GARDENS.....



There are many more Photos on Facebook!



The Strawberry Shortcake was made by Members!



WHAT'S A DETENTION POND FOR?



Located behind MBCC on the Lake side are 3 connected detention ponds that most often look like big grassy fields ----- until we get rain like we did with Irene. After Irene it looked as though we had our own pond out there.

The purpose of the ponds are two fold. The first is to be sure that because of all the paved and roofed area that we created – that we do not release ground water from our lot faster than it did when it was undeveloped. Though shalt not flood thy neighbor. The second reason is to protect the lake by allowing for the sedimentation of all the surface stuff into the ponds and not into the lake. Our ponds are designed so that the one to the left fills first, overflows into the second and from there into the third. I am pleased to report that it worked perfectly as designed throughout the Irene storm.....

REMEMBERING SEPTEMBER 11TH

At my Rotary Meetings I am often called upon to say grace before the start of our meal.....

Let Us Be In The Spirit of Prayer.....

Lord we thank you for our many blessings and ask that we might be worthy of them.

As we approach the Anniversary of 9/11 let us never forget -- but always remember --- those who were lost that day.

Let us never forget but always remember all those who following the attack risked their lives to save others.

And Today and Everyday may we never forget and always remember the ongoing sacrifices that are continuing to be made by our men and woman in uniform.

Bless this food to our use and us to thy service. AMEN

DWINDLING DOWN PARTY!!!!

Between a tour and new Admission the timing was such that I couldn't join you the way I would prefer --- but it was clear that everyone was having a great time!



KURT'S CORNER.....

OUR FAMOUS PIZZA NIGHT

NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT!



BISTRO NIGHT RETURNS NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT!

CLOSING NOTES.....

Well it has certainly been busy around here! Even though I tell interested perspective Members that we are full ---that doesn't keep them from wanting to find out more! It would seem that our reputation is getting out there nicely. The INN is full with a Wait List and we are down to just one apartment available in The GARDENS.

Did you know that our Facebook 'posting' on the Summer Pool Party has attracted almost 500 visits?!? It is the most popular posting that we have ever had ---- and I have absolutely no idea why. I don't have time tonight to post the 'Dwindling Down Party' photos ---- but I will soon!

See you Monday!

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