

# Scarborough Maine Lions Club

Since 1948 March, 2003

### **Obituary**

William J. Fielding, Jr.

RAYMOND - William James Fielding, Jr., 82, of Raymond passed away January 26, 2003, after a brief illness. William was born in Scarborough, a son of William and Magna Nilsen Fielding Sr. where he attended and



was a graduate of Scarborough High School. Mr. Fielding enlisted into the U.S. Navy on July 16, 1942 and served honorably until Nov. 2, 1945. During his commission in World War II, William was a Navy Pilot and flight instructor, he continued to pilot his own airplane until recently. He owned and operated a service station on Rte #1 in Scarborough for many years. He was one of the founding forefathers of the Scarborough Rescue Unit. He is a longtime member of the Scarborough Lions Club; the American Legion; the 2nd Eagle Scout of Troop 39 in Scarborough; and the Town Selectman for Scarborough. Mr. Fielding was a member and deacon of the First Congregational Church in Scarborough. Mr. Fielding was predeceased by a sister, Olive Fielding Holmes. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Gertrude Perry Fielding; three sons, William Fielding of Raymond, Perry Fielding of Scarborough and Peter Fielding of Calais; a daughter, Linda Dutremble of Raymond; a brother, Holm Nilsen Fielding of Scarborough; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; along with many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Lions Scholarship Fund P.O. Box 644 Scarborough, Maine 04074.





Mr. & Mrs. Tom Flanagan February 15, 2003





l-r Lion Gerry Butts, Nancy Butts, Pat Pariseau & Lion Rick Pariseau



Lion Gerry Butts pinning his new member Rick Pariseau, who became a Scarborough Lion on 2/20/2003

#### Quizzies

- Half of all Americans live within 50 miles of what?
- 2. Most boat owners name their boats. What is the most popular boat name requested?
- 3. If you were to spell out numbers, how far would you have to go until you would find the letter "A"?
- 4. What do bulletproof vests, fire escapes, windshield wipers, and laser printers all have in common?
- 5. What is the only food that doesn't spoil?
- 6. What day of the year sees more collect calls made than any other day?
- 7. What trivia fact about Mel Blanc (voice of Bugs Bunny) is the most ironic?

#### World's Stupidest Criminals

Matthew McFarlane of Rotorua, New Zealand, pleaded guilty in November 1995 to stealing a toy sheep from a shop and taking it dancing at a nightclub. He was drunk at the time, and he discovered when he leaned against the door that the shop had been left unlocked. Two teddy bears were also stolen, but we don't know if they had as good a time as the sheep.

In Boynton Beach, Florida, Nathan Radlich, 74, returned home in May1993 and found his bathroom window missing. None of the obvious things like electronic gadgets had been stolen, but he found his fishing tackle box thrown on the bed with the lid open. The



Lion Len Libby receives a plaque from Representatives Harold Clough and Darlene Curley for his 50 years of service in the Scarborough Lions Club



box had contained the cremated remains of his sister Getrude, who had died 3 years previously. Police guessed that the thief had mistaken the wrapped grayish-white powder for cocaine. How Nathan felt about his sister going up someone else's nose, or why he kept her ashes with his fishing tackle is not recorded. When Elizabeth Howell Boykins, 25, returned to her apartment in Charlestown, South Carolina, after a weekend trip in July 1990, she found another woman living there, and wearing her clothes. The intruder greeted Ms. Boykins, took her luggage, and slammed the door in her face. "I thought I was going crazy," said Ms. Boykins. "The woman took all of my paintings off the walls, and bought a new lamp, shower curtain and a bathroom rug." The police were called, but the stranger insisted it was her apartment. She gave herself away when she misidentified the owner of the apartment building and said that John Wayne was taking her to dinner. She was detained for psychiatric evaluation.

## Recipe of the month

#### Hearty Corn and Potato Chowder

2 c frozen, or canned, drained whole-kernel corn ¾ c chopped onion

1 tbsp vegetable oil

2 c vegetable broth

3 c cubed, unpeeled Idaho potatoes

½ c sliced celery

½ tsp dried thyme leaves

1-34 c 2% reduced-fat milk

salt & pepper to taste

finely chopped parsley and chives, for garnish

Sauté corn and onion in oil in large saucepan 2 to 3 minutes. Process  $\frac{1}{2}$  the vegetable mixture and the broth in food processor or blender until finely chopped. Return mixture to saucepan. Add potatoes, celery, and thyme leaves to saucepan; heat to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, until vegetables are tender, about 10 minutes. Stir in the milk; cook until hot through, 2 to 3 minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Pour soup into bowls; sprinkle with parsley and chives.

If thicker soup is desired, mix 2 to 3 tablespoons flour with ? cup water. Heat soup to boiling; stir in flour mixture and boil, stirring constantly, until thickened, about 1 minute.

Prep time 20 minutes, serve s 4

#### Taco Ring

3/4 lb ground beef

1 pkg (1.25 oz) taco seasoning mix

1 c (4 oz) shredded cheddar cheese

2 tbsp water

2 pkgs (8 oz each) refrigerated crescent rolls

1 medium green bell pepper

1 c salsa

3 c shredded lettuce

1 medium tomato, seeded and chopped

1/4 c chopped onion

½ c sliced pitted ripe olives

sour cream for garnish

Preheat oven to 375° F. In medium skillet, cook and stir beef over medium high heat until browned. Remove from heat, pour off drippings. Stir in seasoning mix, cheese and water; set aside. Unroll crescent dough, separate into triangles. Arrange triangles in circle on greased 14-inch pizza pan with wide ends overlapping in center and points toward outside. (There should be 5-inch diameter opening in center.) Scoop meat mixture evenly onto widest end of each triangle. Bring outside points of triangles down over filling and tuck under wide ends of dough at center. (Filling will not be completely covered.) Bake 20-25 minutes or until golden brown. Cut top off bell pepper using a V-shaped zigzag pattern. Place pepper in center of ring, fill with salsa. Mound lettuce, tomato, onion and olives on top of ring surrounding bell pepper. Cut ring, serve garnished with sour cream. Serves 8.

# March Calendar



3/6 6:30pm Social hour/Spouses Night 7:00pm Dinner Meeting/corn beef dinner,

salad & dessert

Speaker George Gruber/ Town clerk

**Tody Norton** 

3/13 7:00pm Board of directors' meeting

3/20 6:30pm Social hour/Spouses Night
7:00pm Dinner Meeting/open face turkey
sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas,
salad & dessert
Speaker Len Libby/ Chris Cameron,
new Portland Sea Dogs PR

# March Anniversaries



3/31 Kay & Peter Hansen

### March Birthdays



3/8 Peter Hansen

3/20 Shirley Gruber

3/31 Kay Hansen

#### March Service Anniversaries

3/16 Kippy Mitchell 36 years 3/23 Ed Blanchard 3 years





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### February eyeglass Count

Wal-Mart Recycling Mailbox 2/27 33 pair eyeglasses 1 hearing aid



#### Answers

- 7. He was allergic to carrots.
  - 6. Father's Day.
    - $\delta$ . Honey.
- 4. They were all invented by women.
  - 3. One thousand.
    - 2. Obsession.
  - . Their birthplace.

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