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RIBOA Monthly Meeting- August

Location- New Chemistry Building-University of Rhode Island, Kingstown, R.I. August 24, 2016

We would like to extend our thanks to Jack Leyden, URI, National Grid and Steve Turner & Associates for organizing the site location for the meeting and the Clam Bake provided by Steve Turner & Associates.

If anyone is interested in hosting a future monthly meeting or has any Educational suggestions, please contact Wayne Pimental with the location Or suggestion.

Meeting called to order at 12:15 PM by President Wayne Pimental Pledge of Allegiance led by Ben Nascenzi.

Executive Board Members Present:

President: Wayne Pimental V. President: Peter Scorpio

Secretary: Thomas DiFusco-Absent

Treasure: Alfred DeCorte Past President: Bill Nash

Committee Reports:

<u>Secretary's Report:</u> There was discussion on the cost of dues for the upcoming Year starting January 1, 2017. There was a motion to keep the dues for 2017 At the current level of \$40 per year, but to increase them to \$50 per year for 2018. The motion was made by Al C., seconded by Ben N., (all members approved).

<u>Treasurers Report:</u> Al DeCorte provided the treasurers report for both June and July. The ending balance for the operating account was \$12,817.80. The balance in the Education account was \$36,516.11, and the balance in the Edwards & Jones Scholarship fund was \$76,145.91. A motion was made by Jack L., seconded by Ben N.,(All members approved).

<u>Membership Report:</u> Membership application for the new year 2017 will be sent Sent our next month.



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Education Report: Jack Leyden noted that the Amherst Seminar and Conference will be celebrating their 50th Anniversary this year and urged members to attend for both the educational classes and the dinner. ICC Testing will also take place at the college. Visit the ICC website for more information. Jack also said that State certified building code officials will be issued new identification badges in October. The badge will also have a computer chip embedded to track attendance at future education events by swiping the card. His office will send our more information to all when the badges are ready to be issued.

Scholarship Committee: Dave Murphy presented the recommendations of the Scholarship Committee. There were four options presented, one based on the amounts awarded last year, one based on a scaled back version of last year, one based on 50% of the profits to be awarded and the other 50% to be placed in the E & J fund, and the last a rounded up version of the 50/50 split. The proceeds from the Golf Tournament were \$12,233.61. Dave recommended a scaled back version of last year's awards. The awards range from \$750 for first year recipients, \$500 for second awards, and \$300 for third award. The total to be awarded for the fifteen (15) qualified applicants is \$8,950.00, with the balance of \$3,283.61 to be deposited into the Scholarship fund. A motion was made by Richard C., seconded by Ben N. to accept the recommendation of the Scholarship committee. (All members approved). Thanks to Scholarship Chairperson Dave Murphy and members Warren Ducharme, Bob Speaker, Stan Dickenson and Steve Gianlorenzo. RIBOA is proud to announce the following recipients for 2016:

Alexander Cambio	\$750
Christopher Cambio	\$750
Domenico Campagnone	\$750
Isabella Carey	\$750
Mollie Phelps	\$750
Sarah Pimenta	\$750
Joseph Turano	\$750
Katelyn Garand	\$750
Cary Fields	\$750
Kyle Garand	\$500
Megan Zaloudek	\$500
Russell Ward	\$300
Annie Phelps	\$300
Lauren Hervieux	\$300
Aaron Murphy	\$300

<u>Congratulations to all and we wish you the best in the year ahead</u>. And a huge Thank You to golf Tournament Chuck Phelps, all members of the Golf Tournament and all of many volunteers who helped out and made this a record setting year for the tournament and the scholarships awarded.



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<u>State Wide-Permitting</u>. Jack noted that the e-permitting is moving ahead. He noted that Shawn Selleck and Richard Delfino are the liaisons in his office.

<u>Summer Outings:</u> The annual RIBOA summer outing was once again a great success. Again, thank you to all who helped out at the event, and a special Thanks to Jack and Maureen Leyden for hosting our event at their vineyard and home. We also want to thank Chef David Pimental for once again preparing the pig roast.

ICC Conference and Amherst education assistance: There were three request submitted for educational assistance to attend the ICC education conference. They are Jack Leyden, Peter Scorpio and Al DeCorte. We have received one request from Tom DiFusco to attend Amherst. After discussion regarding cost to attend ICC, a motion was made by Dave M., seconded by Richard C. to fund the same amount as last year for both events. Not to exceed \$1,500.00 to attend the ICC conference, and not to exceed \$300.00 to attend Amherst. It also included \$25 per person for each events Rhode Island night. (All members approved).

ICC Visit and Luncheon Event- On August 9th ICC CEO Dominic Sims, President Alex Olszowy, ICC Director Rob Drexler, Dottie Harris and Bill Nash visited Rhode Island as part of their New England Tour of the region. The event was held at the home of Joan Leyden, Jack's mother and was well attended by many State leaders and members. The proceeds from the donation collected from attendee's were donated to the Breast Cancer Association in the name of Dominic Sims late wife. The food was provided by Dave's Market and featured many Rhode Island favorites. Thanks again to Mrs. Leyden for allowing us to use her home to host our event.

<u>Health & Welfare</u>: RIBOA received a Thank You from member Joe Argenti for the basket sent to him during his recuperation.

Shirt Raffle winner: No raffle

<u>Next Meeting:</u> 1:00 PM, September 28, 2016. Hampton Inn, 945 Douglas Pike, Smithfield.

Charitable Donation- Not collected this month.

Motion to Adjourn by Richard C. and Seconded by Ben N.

Meeting Adjourn: 1:10 PM