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# The Wellesley Rotascope

Rotary Club Number 6594, Chartered March 26, 1946

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May 21, 2019

**Next Meeting—June 4, 2019**

## Rotary 4-Way Test Contest Winners Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

**Tuesday, May 22, 2019**

**Opioid Seminar,**  
Wellesley Country Club

**Tuesday, May 28,**

**2019—Dinner for the**  
NE Center for Homeless  
Vets.—3-6PM—

**Volunteers Needed!**

**Tuesday, June 4,**

**2019—Four Way Test**  
**Contest Awards -6-**  
8PM at the Wellesley  
College Club

**Tuesday, June 18,**

**2019—Annual Club**  
**Installation—6-8PM at**  
the Wellesley College  
Club

**Friday, June 21,**

**2019—Repair Café at**  
the T/P Senior Center

**Tuesday, July 2,**

**2019—NO meeting**

**Tuesday, July 16,**

**2019—Business & Ser-**  
**vice meeting—6-8 PM**  
at the Wellesley College  
Club

**Tuesday, August 6,**

**2019—District Gover-**  
**nor Annual Visit — 6-8**  
PM at the Wellesley  
College Club

*The Rotary Club of Wellesley*

*Mission Statement:*

*To serve others with a focus on*  
*strengthening communities in the are-*  
*as of health, education and sustaina-*  
*ble living*

**Wellesley Rotary Club**

meets at the

**Wellesley College Club,**

**727 Washington Street,**

**from 6:00 to 8:00** on the first

and third **Tuesdays**

**(unless announced otherwise).**

A sandwich buffet (at a fixed price of \$30) is offered (\$32 if charged). Parking available. **Signups required so please look for the President's e-mail.**

**PLEASE NOTE...**

The Rotary *Speaker* meeting is usually held on the **first Tuesday** of the month and a *Service & Fellowship* meeting on the **third Tuesday**. See **Upcoming Programs & Events** (left) or check the Club website for more information.

President-elect **Bill Westerman**

called an emergency Board meeting on Tuesday, May 21st and announced his company has been sold and he is moving to California after the first of the year (2020). There was discussion about Wellesley Rotary leadership succession especially as there is no incoming President after Bill.

‘Shared presidency’ is an option provided there are those who are available and willing to serve. It is the hope the Club will pull together to get through this crisis. In other business,

**Vin Spoto** gave an update on the *Opioid Addiction Prevention Seminar* scheduled for Wednesday, May 22nd from 5:45 to 8:50 PM at the Wellesley Country Club.

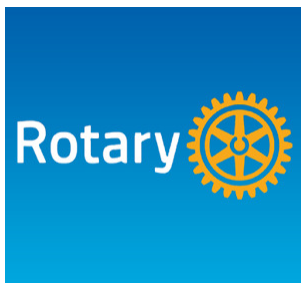
Hors d’oeuvres are being served. It is hoped there will be a good turnout. Our thanks to **Romeo Adams** for coordinating. Rotarian

**Malini Prabhu** is conducting an

*Adult Depression, Anxiety and Stress Seminar* at the Wellesley Free Library from 6:30 to 8:00 PM on Thursday, May 23rd.

Vin is looking for more volunteers to serve dinner to veterans at the NE Center for Homeless Veterans in Boston (5:45PM—Tuesday, May 28th).

We reveled in the news from **John Adams** that the recent *Taste of Wellesley* raised over \$25K (our goal!)...with 291 tickets sold and over 350 people attending. **Thursday, May 7, 2020** has been set for next year’s *Taste of Wellesley*. **Andrea Kaiser** has graciously agreed to serve as Chair again. ....continued



**SERVICE ABOVE SELF!**

**The Rotary Club of Wellesley, Inc., P.O. Box 81206  
Wellesley Hills, MA 02481**

**MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Tuesday Evenings at 6:00 P.M.  
Wellesley College Club, 727 Washington St.  
Wellesley, MA 02482— 781-283-2700**

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**Vin Spoto** has 8 signed up for the annual golfing fundraiser for the NECHV on Monday, July 8th at the Dedham Country and Polo Club. **Donna Armentano** announced the winners of the Rotary 4-Way Test Essay Contest for Middle School students. **Grace Whelan, Caroline Blasco, Ryan McClennan** and **Nina Goujiamanis** will receive their awards at our next meeting on Tuesday, June 4th. Families of the winners will join us for the event so we hope to get a good Club turnout. There was discussion about beefing up Club Membership and how important it is for the Club's survival. Anyone interested in helping with this contact **President Paul Simard** or **Incoming President Bill Westerman**. Our **Annual Club Installation** will take place on Tuesday, June 18th when **Bill Westerman** will be installed at Club President along with the Club's Officers and Board of Directors. Also, current Paul Harris Fellows will be awarded (see right). Finally, there was one **Happy Dollar**: **Toby and Donna Kell** celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on May 17th. Congratulations and best wishes to them both! ▲▲▲

*When disaster strikes, Rotarians around the world come together as people of action to help those in need. To support communities in their rebuilding efforts, The Rotary Foundation is proud to announce their new **Disaster Response Fund**. Donations to the Disaster Response fund help Rotary clubs provide disaster recovery and support relief efforts where the need is greatest.*

**2019 Annual "Every Rotarian Every Year" for The Rotary Foundation meets goal!**

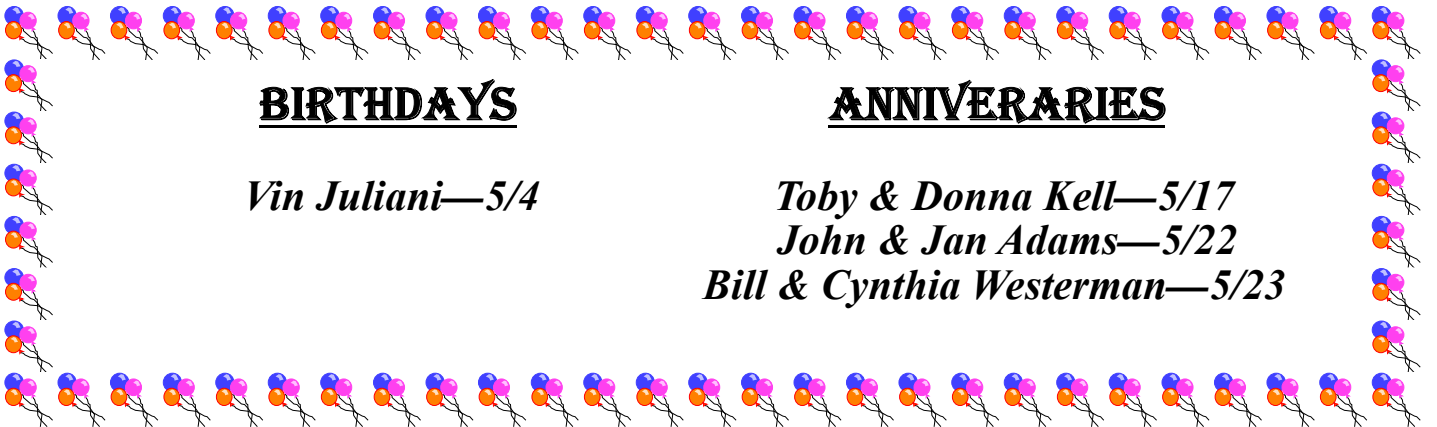
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16 Wellesley Rotarians are to be congratulated for contributing to the 2019 **"Every Rotarian Every Year"** campaign. Total funds raised were: **\$ 7,100** (\$ 4,475 cash & \$ 2,625 matching Club funds).

The following awards will be recognized at our annual **Club Installation** on **June 18th**:

**Bob Anthony**—6th Paul Harris Fellow  
**Donna Armentano**—2nd PHF  
**Toby Kell**—5th PHF  
**Frank Rowbotham**—6th PHF  
**Cynthia Sibold**—1st PHF  
**Paul Simard**—1st PHF  
**Bill Westerman**—1st PHF

**Congratulations to all!**



**BIRTHDAYS**

**Vin Juliani—5/4**

**ANNIVERSARIES**

**Toby & Donna Kell—5/17**  
**John & Jan Adams—5/22**  
**Bill & Cynthia Westerman—5/23**