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The Wellesley Rotascope

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Next Meeting January 2, 2018
Michael Tobin
 Wellesley Conservation Council

Tuesday, January 2, 2018—Michael Tobin, Wellesley Conservation Council—Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

Tuesday, January 16, 2018—Business & Service meeting—Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

Tuesday, February 6, 2018—Paul Dumouchel—Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

Tuesday, February 20, 2018—Business & Service meeting—Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

Tuesday, March 6, 2018—TBA - Wellesley College Club—4-8PM

Tuesday, March 20, 2018—Business & Service Meeting—Wellesley College Club—6-8PM

Read your weekly **DG Karin Gaffney's** Newsletter **Keep up-to-date on District 7910 happenings!**



The mission of the Rotary Club of Wellesley is to maximize its member's talents, skills and networks in order to provide service to others, with a focus on strengthening local, national and international communities in the areas of literacy, health and education while fostering leadership skills.

Wellesley Rotary Club
meets at the
Wellesley College Club,
727 Washington Street,
from 6:00 to 8PM 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 visit the Club's website to register.**

PLEASE NOTE...

The Rotary *Speaker* meeting is held on the **first Tuesday** of the month and the *Business & Service* meeting held on the **third Tuesday**. See **Upcoming Programs & Events** to the left or check the Club website..

Did you know Prez Bob has set a goal of 8 new members for Wellesley Rotary during his year. How can that happen? You're involved! Stay tuned!!



Rotarian Michael Price and his son Tyler help with "ringing the bell" at Roche Bros. on December 9th.

At our December 19th meeting we welcomed **Amelia Childs, Dan Khoury** and **DG Karin Gaffney**. **President Bob Anthony** opened with the *Rotary 4-Way Test* and **Toby Kell** with a prayer. Bob then reviewed the *Service Projects Agenda* beginning with the Peer Leadership & Depression Prevention in India. **Fiona Almeida** is returning to India to monitor its progress. **Romeo Adams** gave an update on the Tutoring & Emotional Literacy Program at Barton Road. It provides academic, social & emotional outlets for the students participating. The Rotary 4-Way Test Contest will be held next February/ March at the Middle School. Volunteers are need to help

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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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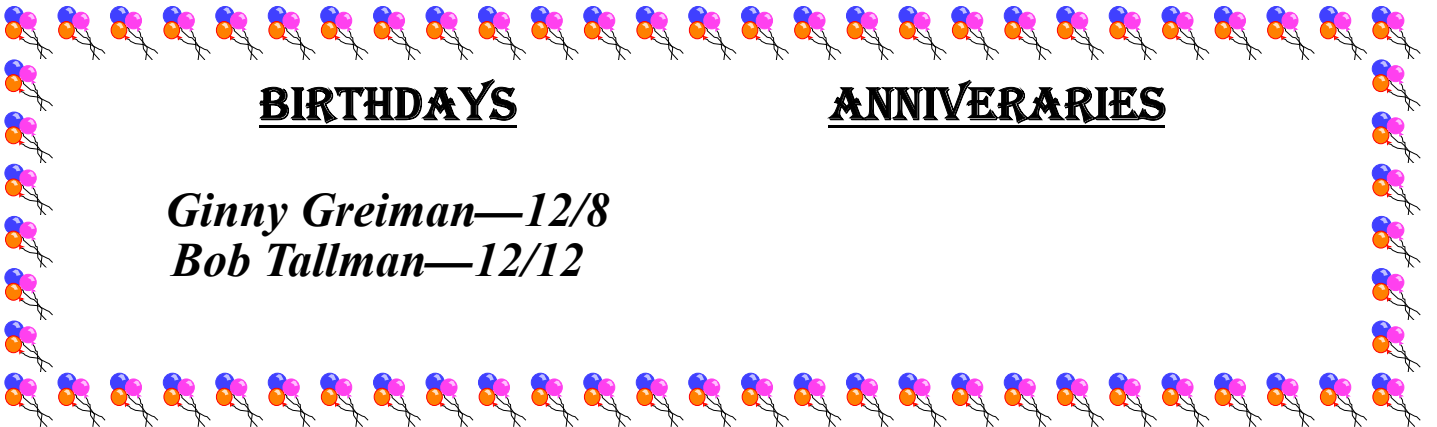
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and judge. **Tory DeFazio** gave an update on the EREY campaign which runs through March 1st. Matching funds are still available. The Club gave a hearty “thank you” to **Cynthia Sibold** for graciously opening her home for the Holiday Party on December 11th. Those who attended enjoyed the spirit of the evening together. There was considerable discussion about the upcoming fundraiser “Taste of Wellesley” (Thursday, May 3, 2018 at MassHort). Under the able leadership of **Paul Simard**, the first Committee Meeting will be held at **Vin Spoto’s** office on Sunday, January 7th at 6PM. Discussion included an Honorary Chair; contract signing; type of bar; display of artwork; ticket pricing, and restaurant commitment. Other projects discussed included Peer Leadership (Nigeria); bagging saplings and “Freshman Project” DG Karin presented **Tory DeFazio** with a “District Service Award” for his work in promoting The Rotary Foundation. After expressing his appreciation Tory reminded all to read their January 2018 ROTARIAN Magazine which mentions the successful Repair Café project begun by the Neponset Valley (D7910) Rotary Club. Wellesley had a successful one in November thanks to **John Adams**. The evening ended with *Happy Dollars* from **Anthony, Rowbotham, Price, DeFazio, DG Karin; R. Adams; Simard and Spoto.**DDDD

It's time to give!
**Wellesley Rotary
Every Rotarian Every Year
Campaign (2017-2018)**
Goal: \$ 7,000
**& every Wellesley Rotarian
contributes!**
**Matching is \$200 per person
until funds run out.**

*The Campaign runs from September 1, 2017 to March 1, 2018. All checks should be made payable to “**The Rotary Foundation**” Please give checks to **Tory DeFazio, Club Foundation Chair**, as soon as possible to get credit and matching Club funds. All proceeds go to the Annual Fund unless otherwise directed.*

As of December 1st we have raised **\$2,600** towards **our goal of \$7,000.** Giving before the end of the year will be an ideal time to help the Campaign!



BIRTHDAYS

ANNIVERSARIES

***Ginny Greiman—12/8
Bob Tallman—12/12***