

The Wellesley Rotascope

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April 16, 2024

Tuesday, May 7, 2024—Service & Fellowship meeting—
MBCC—6:30 PM

Wednesday, May 22, 2024—*Taste of Wellesley*—Wellesley Country Club (Sunset Terrace) - 6PM

Tuesday, June 4, 2024—Service & Fellowship meeting—
MBCC—6:30 PM

Tuesday, June 18, 2024
—*Annual Installation*
with DGND Penny Hamel at TBD



SERVICE & FELLOWSHIP MEETING

May 7th - 6:30 pm at MBCC—Director's Room



The Rotary Club of Wellesley

Mission Statement

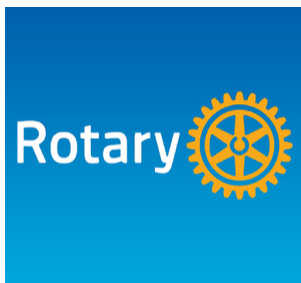
“To serve others with a focus on strengthening communities in the areas of health, education and sustainable living.”

PLEASE NOTE

A *Service and Friendship* meeting is usually held on the **first Tuesday of the month** and a *Rotary speaker* meeting on the **third Tuesday**.

An enthusiastic group of Rotarians and guests gathered at the DPW garage on Tuesday April 16th for the annual tree-bagging event (500 white spruce trees) on for Wellesley’s 4th graders. Coordinated by **Susy Jordan**, Wellesley’s Horticultural Technician (lower left in vest) the group made great time stuffing the seedlings with loam into a plastic bag and tied. They were carefully stacked in trays and loaded in a DPW truck ready for delivery. Our thanks to all!

Wellesley Rotary’s *Taste of Wellesley* is coming up on Wednesday, May 22nd at the Wellesley Country Club. Weekly meetings ...*continued*



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MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 P.M.
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are led by **Andrea Kaiser** via ZOOM. Our thanks to Andrea!

Don't forget the **District Learning Assembly** on **Saturday, April 20th** at the Assabet Valley High School in Marlborough. This is an opportunity to focus on learning, leadership and fun and is designed to help current and "elected" officers accelerate from now through the start of the new program year (beginning July 1st).

For new Rotarians, the District Learning Assembly is a unique event to meet experienced Rotarians, learn more about how your club functions, and demystify all of those Rotary Acronyms. **The cost is only \$ 25 per person...**(Club reimbursed). Following the conclusion of the breakout sessions, a Grant Qualification session (remember "Every Rotary Every Year" folks!); a new Member Welcome, and a workshop on Creating Effective Videos will be held. These sessions begin at 12:30 at no additional charge. Registration is required and space is limited. Check the District website (rotary7910.org) for more information.

Join **President-Elect Nora Pou** and have a great day!



WELLESLEY ROTARIANS are invited to an upcoming event sponsored by Needham Rotary via ZOOM or in person at **12 noon on Tuesday, April 30th.**

Needham Rotarians will gather at their regular meeting place, Echo Bridge Restaurant in Newton Upper Falls at that time.

Guest speaker at this meeting is **Dr. Fozia Alvi**. Dr. Alvi is an American-trained physician born in Pakistan, works in Calgary, and has formed her own Foundation, known as **Humanity Auxilium**, to fund humanitarian relief efforts in developing nations. Dr. Alvi who is a professional colleague of Needham Rotarian, **Dr. Hina Malik**, was a featured speaker at the Rotary International World Peace Conference in 2020. Needham Rotary hopes to maximize opportunities to donate to Dr. Alvi's Foundation to benefit Gaza refugees (medical supplies). This is just one of many relief projects underway. These donations are tax-deductible at a registered 501C3 charity

Suggestions to broaden support are requested as is the financial support of Wellesley Rotarians. Your participation is appreciated!



BIRTHDAYS

Jim Flynn—4/9
Julie Ginn—4/15

ANNIVERSARIES

