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# The Wellesley Rotascope

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May 21, 2025

**Tuesday, June 3, 2025**—Service & Fellowship meeting—6:30 at Wellesley Country Club—Dinner meeting

**Tuesday, June 17, 2025**—*Annual Installation* with Jack Colamaria, District Governor Nominee Designate (DG in 2027-2028)

**Saturday, June 21, 2025**—*Scoopapalooza Ice Cream Festival*—on Natick Common from 11:30 to 3PM sponsored by Charles River Rotary.

**Tuesday, July 22, 2025**—TBA



## Service & Fellowship Meeting

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### 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.”*

#### The seven key areas of Rotary to improve lives globally and locally:

- **Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution**
- **Disease Prevention** and Treatment
- **Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene**
  - **Maternal and Child Health,**
  - **Basic Education and Literacy**
- **Community Economic Development,** and
- Supporting the **Environment**

#### PLEASE NOTE

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



After 17 prep meetings beginning on January 11th under the leadership of Rotarian **Andrea Kaiser**, the annual fundraiser, *Taste of Wellesley* was held at the Wellesley Country Club with great success on Wednesday, May 22nd! WBZ-TV announcer **David Wade** (and co-host of our event with **Shannon Kelly**) gave us a spot on the late news with **Linda Tighe** dancing up a storm and gracious words by **President Amelia Schwartzman**. Over 320 tickets were sold and sponsorships exceeded \$50K. We are so grateful to all for

The following has been proposed as a new member of the Rotary Club of Wellesley. If you have any comments please make them within 10 days of receipt of this notice.

#### NAME

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#### CLASSIFICATION

Arborist

#### PROPOSED BY

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**MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Tuesday Evenings at 6:30 P.M.**  
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making it happen. So many “thank-you’s” to so many! Vital funds raised will go to the food-insecure in our area...seniors, students and veterans not to be forgotten. It was a powerful event supported by many and we are grateful!



The month of May provides us with the opportunity to celebrate our many **Rotary youth programs**. It is important for all of us to assist in developing the next generation of leaders. Our youth programs help young people **expand** their education, **build** leadership skills and **learn** the value of service.

Through ***Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA), Rotary Youth Exchange*** and **ROTARACT**, we can engage with young people in our communities from a very young age through high school, post-secondary education and beyond.

It is exciting that this year marks the 50th anniversary of the Rotary Youth Exchange program as one of Rotary International’s official youth programs. Although the program started well before 1975, Rotary members, program volunteers, and alumni everywhere should be proud to celebrate the last fifty years as the program has grown and become a prime example of Rotary service worldwide.

The experiences are life-changing for our young participants. It is so important that we are intentional about staying connected with our youth as they are the future of Rotary.



## **BIRTHDAYS**

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

*Amelia & Paul Schwartzman—5/1*

*Carl & Barbara Nelson—5/17*

*John & Jan Adams—5/22*

*Bill & Cynthia Westerman—5/23*