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The Main Event

Guest Speaker #1 - Rick Gleason from the Massachusetts Motorcycle Association – Rick has spent 15+ years as president of the Massachusetts Motorcycle Association, a motorcycle rights group that is nationally recognized for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It is a legislative advocacy group that attends “meetings of the minds” for various states and brings the best ideas/advocacy programs back to the Commonwealth. They focus on motorcycle rights, especially when it comes to accidents with other vehicles because often, there are no fender benders in motorcycle accidents. A simple hit can really harm a rider. The other focus of the group is on rider education and training. The group has been distributing the yellow “Look for Motorcycles” for a number of years. They also perform voluntary sound checks as part of a program, “When in Town, Throttle Down.” The group is trying to help keep the motorcycle noise at a minimum and perform voluntary sound checks and distribute the results of the test.

Guest Speaker #2 - Shawn and Tracy Fitzpatrick, Yarmouth Sand Sculptures – The sand sculptures have created a tremendous response from the community, and the Fitzpatricks enjoy coming here annually. The sandcastles generate a lot of interest nationally and internationally and Shawn recognized Pat Armstrong and Mary Vilbon for being instrumental in making it happen! Without the support of community organizations, and such a tight knit and active chamber, this program wouldn’t have taken off over the years. Shawn was an auto mechanic for 22 years and was given the gift of being able to draw. He decided one day that he wanted to pursue his passion and went for it full-time. Regarding the sand sculptures, his recommendation was “Sell the experience associated with the sculptures, not the sculpture it-

“FORE”

That’s right, It’s golf outing time again and John Gilligan and Mike “Duff Daddy” Duffy and their committee are busy planning for another successful outing. This year’s outing is again being held at the Cummaquid Golf Course on Thursday Sept. 20, beginning at 1 pm. Foursomes, sponsor’s, gift cards, auction items are all needed. Please see John or Mike to help out with our largest fundraiser of the year.



Rotarian of the Year Presentation - Tom Martin was named the Rotarian of the Year for his many contributions to the club over the years, but especially in the past year. He helped guide President Matt throughout the year and had many terrific suggestions that helped make a difference in the many lives served by Yarmouth Rotary. Matt presented Tom with the plaque at the meeting.

Happy Bucks

- **Paul Tardiff** - Apology buck for not being here last week
- **Chantal Hayes** - Leave early buck
- **Jill Albright** - Toronto/Youth Exchange Conference/International Conference/Wine Country in NY State
- **Peter Murray** - MMA/Motorcycles are not problem; bicycles are becoming an issue
- **Ron Hawes** - Coach hall of fame
- **Horst** - No need for calendar/Convention in Hamburg next year/ Ready to invite you
- **Finbar Corr** - Bill Lemoine’s son - prayer/Tom Martin - welcome back
- **Jim Leighton** - Tom Martin/Speakers/Bicycles are problem
- **Elena Schuck** - 25th anniversary/brothers taking mother so can go out for first time in 3 years
- **Tom Martin** - thank you for acknowledgement
- **Dorcas McGurrian** - late buck/Tom Martin/Sand sculptures
- **Carole Woodbury** - 39 years of marriage
- **Charlie Adams** - Motorcycle exhibit at Cultural Center
- **Barbara Adams** - Horst
- **Mary Vilbon** - Phil Morris leave early/Tracy and Shawn sand sculptures
- **Pat Armstrong** - Shawn & Tracy/Sand sculptures/Clarification - Mary Vilbon does sand sculptures, not Pat/Motorcycle Association/ Fiscal year/Tom Martin/\$20 for Chronicle!

Rotary’s New Vision Statement

“Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in communities and in ourselves”

“Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Remember you have within you, the strength, the patience and the passion to reach for the stars, to change the world”

Harriett Tubman

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Champ House - Curley spoke with the new director at Champ House, Adam Burnett, and we will begin the cookouts starting next Friday, July 13. Cookouts in August (Roby) and September (Steve Albright) will also take place. We will need 3-4 people to be at the Champ House at 4pm for each cookout. Let Curley know if you will be able to help on the 13th.

ClubRunner – In order to accurately report to Rotary International and District 7950, we need to update everyone’s records in ClubRunner, including every member’s Date of Birth. We will have members available with a laptop to take care of this in the coming meetings as people filter into the meeting.

Meeting Make-ups – If you make up a meeting either online, off site or via a club meeting/volunteer event please let Rafi know so it can be documented.

Yarmouth Chamber of Commerce Sponsorship - This fall we will be sponsoring the Yarmouth Chamber of Commerce annual dinner as a way to promote Rotary to 80+ business members in the town.

Wishing Wells - Skull Island and the Cape Cod Inflatable Park will be the two locations where the wishing wells will be setup. The funds raised will be going directly to Polio Plus efforts.

Thank You – A thank you letter was received from Dale Fornoff from DY for the \$25,000 in scholarships and Rising Star program.



Calendar

July 13—**Johnathan Thompson**—Mayor of Cape Cod
Aug. 3 - **Billy Robert, AG, District Membership Chairman**—Diversity in Membership
Aug. 24—**Carolyn Johnson**—Zone 32 Membership Chairperson—Membership
Sept 6 –7 **District Governor's visitation to Yarmouth Rotary**
Sept 20—**Golf Tournament**—Cummaquid Golf Club 1 pm

Program Committees: Please notify Curly Carey and Steve Albright of your speakers. You are responsible for providing the write up on the speaker for the following week.

7/13—7/19

Happy Birthday!!!!

7/16 Dean Sherman

7/16 Dr. Tom Tomasik

7/17 Mary Cotoia

Happy Anniversary!!!!

7/17 Bill & Helene Savicki

BROWN BAG

August 3

September 7

October 5

November 2

December 7

January 4

February 1

March 1

April 5

May 3



STUFF-A_CRUISER

Sat. August 11th

9am—1 pm

Stop & Shop Long Pond

Shaws Rt.28

Stop & Shop Station Ave

Petersons Mkt. Rt 6A

See Steve Albright to Sign up to help

MEALS ON WHEELS

7/17 Geo. Davis & Charlie Adams
7/24 Rafi Chaprut & Bill Lemoine
7/31 Ken Jenks & Carol Woodbury
8/7 Chantel Rice & Dr. Bruce
8/14 Mike Riley & Phil Morris
8/21 K. Livingston & Dick Corsini
8/28 F Mastromauro & K. Sheytanian
9/4 Mike Duffy & Jim Bogle

**Substitutes Steve Albright
Frank Mastromauro
MEET
at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.
528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth
9:30 A.M.**

FRONT DESK

7/13 John Gilligan & Hollie Handrahan
7/20 Bob Boucher & Elena Schuck
7/27 Dave Botting & Wayne Hohler
8/3 Ken Jenks & Ann Knell
8/10 Geo. Davis & Chantel Rice
8/17 Jim Bogle & Matt Fitzsimmons
8/24 Bill Lemoine & Mary Vilbon
8/31 F. Mastromauro & Paul Chatelain
9/7 Tom Ulrich & Liam Butler

PLEASE be available at 6:30 AM on your scheduled Friday. If you cannot attend, please swap with another committee member.

GUEST POLICY

Prospective members are the guests of the Club for their first meeting.

GREETER

July 6 Andrea Taylor
July 13 Dr. Tom Tomasik
July 20 Tom Ulrich
July 27 Jan Tkaczyk
August 3 Scott Vandersall
August 10 Mary Vilbon
August 17 Jimmy Walker
August 24 Bob Wells

July
A New Rotary Year
Brian Sullivan

August
Membership
Dr. Tom Tomasik