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"Thank Goodness It's Friday in Yarmouth!"



Rotary Opens Opportunities

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THE ROTARY CLUB OF YARMOUTH, MASSACHUSETTS

SERVING OUR COMMUNITY AND THE WORLD FOR 30 YEARS

BOX 448, SOUTH YARMOUTH MA 02664

MEETINGS: FRIDAY, 7:00 AM, HEARTH 'N KETTLE, SO. YARMOUTH

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The Main Event



Guest Speaker Dr. K. David Weidner, Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum – Dr. Weidner presented to the club about the Pilgrim Monument. It is the oldest nonprofit on Cape Cod and was erected from 1907-1910. Dr. Weidner took over the leadership position in 2017 and The Cape Cod Pilgrim Memorial Association (the “Association”) is a private nonprofit, educational organization whose mission is to maintain the Pilgrim Monument and Provincetown Museum buildings and land (the “PMPM”) to accommodate its libraries and collections. The Association’s mission is also to commemorate the history of the Mayflower Pilgrims, culminating in their arrival and stay in Provincetown Harbor and the signing of the Mayflower Compact.

The Association’s mission further includes the collection, preservation, research, exhibition and publication of archival materials on all aspects of Provincetown history, including the contributions of the Wampanoag and other indigenous peoples whose presence in the region predates the arrival of the Mayflower, the rise of the whaling industry, the advent of the Portuguese fishing community, and the evolution of Provincetown as a center of tolerance, art, and theater in the 20th Century, including the important role of the LGBT community in that evolution.

Due to the pandemic, the organization lost approximately 80% of its revenue. In a normal year, the museum sees over 100,000 visitors. They also provide time for the 5th graders to spend a day at the museum through the National Environmental Education Development Academy (NEED) as part of their study on the National Seashore.

Dr. Weidner spoke of the Bradford Street Access Project, which has been under construction and should be opening soon. “We want everyone to enjoy the richness of Provincetown and its history. By extending our front door to Bradford Street, we can facilitate even more commerce with our local businesses and excitement for visitors. The value of the Bradford Access Project will be felt long after its completion.”

The inclined elevator will improve physical access from PMPM to Bradford Street and Commercial Street. It will provide a safe and simple way to get to the streets that will connect visitors with the shops, restaurants, wharf areas, Town Hall and other important landmarks in Provincetown. The institution’s vision, dating back to 1910, was to create a connection with the Town of Provincetown and the Pilgrim Monument. The Monument stands tall as a beacon of welcoming, tolerance and acceptance. During the height of the Portuguese fishing industry, the Monument was even used by mariners to locate their home, Provincetown, a place of safety. Like today, we welcome all to Provincetown and the connection to the Monument is made stronger by the construction of the inclined elevator. We see the inclined elevator as the realization of the vision with the goal to grow and make the institution stronger.

This is just the first step in a journey to transform PMPM from a local, community museum into a world-class destination for history enthusiasts. By providing accurate and informative education about our town, and its original inhabitants, the Wampanoag Nation, our true place in history will be assured.

For more information, please visit <https://www.pilgrim-monument.org/>. The presentation has been added to the TGIFY page on yarmouthrotary.org.

Police Memorial Cleanup – Bud Nugent needs 6 people or so to help clean up the 9/11 Memorial at the Yarmouth Police Headquarters. He mentioned some weeding is the bulk of the activity needed. If interested in helping next Saturday, June 12, please contact Bud.

Town Updates:

Town Hall is now open, but please wear a mask! Applications for permits can be taken in person, hopefully creating a more streamlined process.

Beaches – The town is restricted for Gray’s Beach to those who have beach stickers or pay daily.

Roby Whitehouse has been appointed as Assistant DPW Director!!

Announcements

Save The Date—Sept. 28, 2021

Yarmouth Rotary Golf Tournament

Cummaquid Golf Club

More to Come

Contact Jim Seymour if you want to help!



MEALS ON WHEELS

6/15 Chantal Rice & Bill Lemoine

6/22 Ken Livingston & Mike Duffy

6/29 Ken Knell & Jim Seymour

Substitutes Steve Albright

Frank Mastromauro

MEET

at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.

528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth, MA

9:30 AM

FRONT DESK

June 18—Frank Mastromauro &

Ken Sheytanian

June 25—Dave Botting &

Hollie Handrahan

July 2—

6/11—6/17

Happy Birthday!!!!

6/15 Mike Riley

Happy Anniversary!!!!

6/11 Curley & Kelly Carey

6/13 Dave & Rosemary Akin

6/13 Tom & Sandy Ulrich

6/16 Andrea & Johnathan Taylor

BROWN BAG

July 2 **

August 6

September 3**

October 1

November 5

December 3

** Need to Verify these two dates

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

Calendar

June 11—Lee Ann Hesse & Laurie Maul—Engaging Employees Throughout the Pandemic

June 18—Jan Ives—Sanctuary Director—Mass Audubon Long Pasture

June 25—Alicia Gapstur—Duffy Health Center

July 1—A New Rotary Year Begins - John Gilligan and Team take over

July 2—Virtual Installation of Club Officers

July 9—Bob Whritenour—Newly Appointed Town Administrator

July 16—Kristin O'Malley & Dara Gannon—Cape Cod Foundation

July 23—TBA

July 30—Nicole Spencer—Hero's in Transition

August 14—Stuff A Cruiser Food Drive w/YPD

Sept 28—Yarmouth Rotary Golf Tournament—Cummaquid Country Club

GUEST POLICY

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

GREETER

June 18—Jill Albright

June 25—Jimmy Walker

July 2—Roby Whitehouse

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.

June

Rotary Fellowship

John Cooke

July

A New Rotary Year

Kevin Lennon

Pilgrim Monument & Provincetown Museum (Provincetown, MA)



Built between the years 1907—1910 the Pilgrim Monument stands 252 ft 7 1/2 inches tall and is made from granite. It is the tallest all granite structure in the United States. It was built to commemorate the first landfall of the Pilgrims in 1620 and the signing of the Mayflower Compact in Provincetown Harbor.



MAYFLOWER



Pilgrim Monument & Provincetown Museum



Pilgrims' First Landing. The Mayflower Pilgrims gratefully came ashore at Provincetown after their long voyage. They explored this area before deciding to sail to Plymouth, where they established the first permanent settlement in the Northeast.

The Provincetown Museum features the history of Provincetown and the Outer Cape. Here you will see exhibits on the Pilgrims and the *Mayflower*, Provincetown's theater history including Eugene O'Neill and the Provincetown Players, artifact collections brought here from distant lands by sea captains, and much more.

Quick Answers to Frequent Questions

- **IS THERE AN ADMISSION FEE?**
Yes, the admission fee covers both Museum and Monument. Allow about an hour for your visit.
- **HOW TALL IS THE PILGRIM MONUMENT?**
252 feet and 7.5 inches (77m).
- **WHEN WAS IT BUILT?** Construction began in 1907 and was completed in 1910.
- **WHERE ARE THE RESTROOMS?** There are no public restrooms here. Restrooms for Monument and Museum visitors only are located in the Provincetown Museum building.
- **CAN I GO TO THE TOP?**
Yes. You can easily walk to the top of Pilgrim Monument using a series of 60 ramps and 116 stairs, as shown in this cutaway drawing. There is no elevator. The Monument is not wheelchair accessible.

Admissions and donations are used to maintain and operate these facilities by the Cape Cod Pilgrim Memorial Association, a not-for-profit educational institution on Cape Cod, chartered in 1892.

For more information go to: pilgrim-monument.org

\$\$\$\$Happy Bucks\$\$\$\$

Pat Armstrong – Happy bucks, but broke!
Garrett Stagg – Both kids elected as class president!
Mary Lenihan – Happy Buck for DY!
John Cooke – DY & Seashore Program

Possible Upcoming Events—Watch for additional information!!

August (Date to be Announced) Virtual Wine Fellowship (No Lies with this one)

Only great fellowship and great wine (or whatever you care to drink)

Family Feud

Trivia Night

THESE ITEMS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED AT THE YARMOUTH FOOD PANTRY

Canned Pasta	Syrup
Mac & Cheese	Tuna Fish
Peanut Butter	Soup
Jelly	Instant Potatoes
Cereal	Nutri-Grain Bars

Drop your donations off at the Pantry Mon—Fri. 10am to 12 noon.
Mail check donations to Yarmouth Food Pantry, PO Box 982
West Yarmouth, MA 02673

CAPE COD BRITE LIGHTS

You have heard me mention or talk about the new 501c(3) corporation that was recently started by our Rotary Club. It is named Cape Cod Brite Lights and its mission is to help those in need on Cape Cod. Our main focus to date has been to provide weekend backpacks of nutritional food for needy elementary students in the DY School System. A backpack of food consists of shelf stable milk (white & chocolate), juice carton, cereal, instant oatmeal, two proteins which could be a can of tuna, chicken, pasta, soup or beef stew, a cup of apple sauce, macaroni and cheese, Nutra grain fruit granola bar, cheese its, fruit snacks, pudding cup and 2 pieces of fruit. In addition, to give each student some activities to do during the holiday break we put a coloring book and crayons in each bag. We started with a total of 25 students but have grown to 45, an increase of over 80%.

In addition, to the backpacks we have focused on providing a weekly food bag to clients at Community Connections. These clients are ones that are living on their own but are also struggling to keep their heads above water. About 15 – 18 food items are provided each week to each client to help supplement their food insecurities.

How you can help:

First: Currently we have a board of directors of 11 members. Our bylaws allow us to have a maximum number of 13. If you would like to be a part of our leadership, please contact Steve Albright.

Second: We fill the backpacks and bags of food every Wednesday night at 6:00 PM at the Yarmouth Food Pantry. If you would like to help one or two nights a month, again please contact Steve Albright. Currently we have enlisted the local Girl Scout Troop to help on the first Wednesday of each month and the DY Interact Club to help on the second Wednesday of each month. We are trying to make it a community organization where anybody can be a part of it.

Third: It costs \$150 yearly to support one child's backpack and \$250 yearly to support a weekly food bag. If you would like to financially support a child or a Community Connection client, checks can be mailed to:

Cape Cod Brite Lights—PO Box 286, West Yarmouth, MA 02673-0286

Or you can visit our website at Capecodbritelightsinc.com and make a contribution with your credit or debit card.

Fourth: Visit our website and learn more about us. Capecodbritelightsinc.com

Crutches For Africa

A Continuous Project by Yarmouth Rotary Club

Crutches for Africa is not a new project to our Rotary Club. We as a club have done collections for this great service and International project twice before. The first time we collected over 700 mobility devices and the second time we collected over 400 mobility devices. We are now hoping to set this up as an ongoing project. Mike Riley along with members of the International Committee are heading this project up but we would like all Yarmouth Rotarians to help out. Search for any of the desired items in your home, your extended families homes and your neighbors homes. Round up all of the devices and drop them off at the transfer station where we have a storage trailer to store them. They can be dropped off at the gate house just before you drop off your trash and recyclables. If you need help please give Mike Riley a call or send him a text to arrange pickup of your items. All of the items collected will be shipped to Africa to help disabled individuals gain mobility that they never have had.



Items that we are looking to collect include: Leg Braces; Crutches; Forearm Crutches; Walkers; Wheelchairs; Prosthetic Limbs; Baby Joggers and Strollers and Bike Trailers. No Commodes or any other type of Personal Hygiene Equipment.

(Also No Electric Wheelchairs or other types of devices.)



Leg Braces



Crutches



Forearm Crutches



Walkers



Wheelchairs



Prosthetic Limbs



Baby Joggers & Strollers



Bike Trailers

2020-2021 OFFICERS

President	Gerald "Curly" Carey	Public Image	Jim Seymour
President Elect	John Gilligan	New Generations	Ann Knell
Vice President	Roby Whitehouse	Secretary	Mary Lenihan
Community Service	Bud Nugent	Treasurer	Paul Chatelain
International Service	Jackie Carnevali	Past President	Kevin Lennon
Vocational Service	Mary Vilbon	Sergeant -At-Arms	Mike Duffy
Club Administration	Jill Albright		

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Barbara Adams +1	Betey Ghiazza	Joe Potzka
Charlie Adams +1	Ed Ghiazza	Larry Putman
Dave Akin	Dr. Bruce Gordon +2	Shirley Putman
Jill Albright +1	Tom Gregory	Jim Quirk
Steve Albright +6	Faith Hallett	Pam Rideout
Dave Angelica	Sharon Hartley	Richard Rideout
Dick Appleton	Ron Hawes	Denise Ring
Andy Armstrong	Betty Herr	Michael Riley
Pat Armstrong	John Herr +5	Jim Saben
Matthew Barr	Richard Holden	Tammy Saben
William Bergstrom	Bob Huckman +1	Brian Salatiello
David Bisbee	Sue Huckman	Dr. Paula Santos
Judi Bisbee	Matthew Johnson +2	Elena Schuck
Blood Donor Center at CC Hospital	Johnny Kelley	Curt Sears
Jim Bogle	Howard Kendall +3	Marcia Shannon
Jack Bohlin	Nicholas M. Kerrigan	David Seinkopf
Rick Boucher	Barbara LeFleur	Ken Sheytanian +1
Robert Boucher	Fern Lemay	Janet Soja +1
Sally Bowles +2	Kevin Lennon	Dick St. George
Brian Braginton Smith	John Leon, Jr.	Kathy St. George
Jack Braginton Smith	Jim & Pat Leighton	Esther Stocchetti
Rick Cannon	John Lewis	Jefferson Sherman Strom
Gerald "Curly" Carey +1	Bob Lindquist	Jerry Sullivan
Giuseppe Carnevali	Charles LoBue	Jim Sullivan
Jacqueline Carnevali	John Lynch	Paul Tardif
Peter Carnes	Jack MacLelland +1	Art Taylor
Rafi Chaprut	Jerry Manning	Mary Ann Taylor
Bob Churchill	Tom Martin	Jan Tkaczyk
Barry Clayman (Major Donor)	Frank Mastromauro	Bernice Todres
Gail Clayman (Major Donor)	Ken McGuire	Dr. Tom Tomasik
Carol Clossen	Doreas McGurrian	Mike Tulman
Hal Cooper	Robert McInnis	Tom Ulrich +1
Finbarr Corr	Linda McKnight	Josephine Umbro
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Richard Covell	John Miller	Scott Vandersall
Therese D'Abre	Margaret Morgan	James Walker Jr. +3
Dylan DeSilva	Phil Morris	James Walker Sr.
Bob Dubois	G. Anthony Morrison	Marilyn Walker
Mike Duffy	Peter Murray	Michael Walker
Kenneth Eubanks	Bernie Nugent	Erik Wallin
Marianne Eubanks +1	Bud Nugent	Connie Weare
Leslie Fedge	Judi Olkkola	Norme Weare +3
Jim Footer	Howard Onik	Fran Webb +1
Paul Funk	Marilyn Pedalino	Bob Wells +1
Sgt. Sean Gannon, YPD	Jim Peros	Carol Woodbury
KP Nero, YPD	Linda Pisacano	Nicholas G. Xiarhos, USMC
Nancy Gardner	Rick Plumb	

ROTARY CLUB OF YARMOUTH

PAST PRESIDENTS

Richard K. Corsini	1989-90
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Linda McKnight	1991-92
Thomas J. Martin	1992-93
Phil Morris	1993-94
Rick Plumb	1994-95
Pam Rideout	1995-96
Judi Olkkola	1996-97
Esther Stocchetti	1997-98
Rick Cannon	1998-99
Barbara LaFleur	1999-00
Rob Umbro	2000-01
Sally Bowles	2001-02
Jack MacLelland	2002-03
Jan Tkaczyk	2003-04
Rick Boucher	2004-05
Pat Armstrong	2005-06
Doreas McGurrian	2006-07
Tom Tomasik	2007-08
Marianne Eubanks	2008-09
David Bisbee	2009-10
Jacqueline Adams	2010-11
Mike Riley	2011-12
Susan Provencher	2012-13
Stephen Albright	2013-14
Stephen Albright	2014-15
Tammy Saben	2015-16
Melissa Farrell	2016-17
Matthew Fitzsimmons	2017-18
Kevin Lennon	2018-19
Gerald Carey	2019-20

THE FOUR WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?"



Make-Up Days and Times for Local Rotary Clubs

Day	Time	Location	Address
Mon.	7:00 AM	Barnstable Sunrise	Cape Space 100 Independence Dr. Hyannis, 02601
Tues.	7:00 AM	Nauset /Orleans	Orleans Police Dept. 99 Eldredge Park Way, Orleans, MA 02653
	7:30 AM	Falmouth	Holiday Inn 291 Jones Rd Falmouth MA 02540
Wed	12:00	Osterville	Wimpy's, 752 Main St, Osterville, MA 02655
	12:10	Martha's	The Barn—Bowl & Bistro 13 Uncas Ave, Oaks Bluff, MA 02557
	12:15	Nantucket	Fairgrounds Restaurant, 27 Fairgrounds Rd, Nantucket, MA
	6:15 PM	Chatham	400 East, 1421 Orleans-Harwich Rd., Harwich, MA 02645
Thur.	7:00 AM	Bourne-Sandwich	Upper Cape Regional Technical High School
	7:00 AM	Harwich-Dennis	Grumpy's, 1408 Rt. 6A, Dennis, MA 02660
	12:15	Hyannis	Hyannis Golf Club, 1840 Iyannough Rd. Hyannis, MA 02601

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