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The Main Event

30th Anniversary of the Club – John Cooke presented on the 30th Anniversary of the Rotary Club of Yarmouth, which included a look back to 1989 and what was happening that year. Themes included the fall of the Berlin Wall, the Tiananmen Square Riots, top songs, movies and the price of common things like a pack of Pepsi, a house (\$100K), a car (\$12K), and more. He then discussed how the club came to be, including the provisional club meeting minutes, election of the first board, official chartering, and naming of this newsletter as the TGIFY. He showed the invitation to the Charter Dinner, the 1989 year-end Treasurer’s Report, and the Packet Ship David Akin as the official seal of the club. John asked Dick Corsini, as the first President, to speak to the club. Dick mentioned that he was rejected from joining the Hyannis Club in 1980 and instead joined the Orleans Club. Joe Lawlor was the mentor to that and there were several members from the Hyannis club that were supportive of sponsoring the club. Anthony’s Cummaquid Inn held the first Charter Night. A total of 340 people came to ceremony, it was 90 degrees and they ran out of food and chairs! It was a wonderful evening but some people needed to go to dinner afterwards. Phil Morris was the Editor for a long time and his past-partner Anne Louise Morris that came up with the name TGIFY. One point Dick made was, “The culture of this club has never changed in 30 years. We volunteer, we poke fun at each other, and we do well for the community.” Rick Plumb was a Charter Member and a manager of the Hearth & Kettle and was Sally Bowles’ sponsor. He then stated, “Everyone that comes along does a great job and offers their own twist on moving the club forward, but keeping the club true to what it has always been.” To round out the presentation, District Governor Steve Albright invited the Charter Members to step forward and be recognized. Each received a plaque of appreciation for their 30 years of service to the club and the community. In addition, Sally Bowles received a plaque on behalf of the Catania Hospitality Group and the Hearth & Kettle for their 30 years of partnership with the club and serving as our headquarters.

“Friendship was the foundation rock on which Rotary was built and tolerance is the element which holds it together”
Paul Harris

Announcements

RAGNAR Update - The final number is in, the first collection was 20% of beer sales and totaled \$4,827.26; tips on credit card - \$995.26 on top of \$594 in cash tips, totaling \$6,416.52 for the day! Hopefully if everything goes well, they will come back next year. Thanks to all the volunteers from the club for making the day such a success and to Mary Vilbon and the Yarmouth Chamber for bringing the event to Yarmouth!

Club Directories – The club directories are now available. Please verify all information and let Steve Albright know if there are any corrections. If there are any corrections, emails will be sent out to club members so they be able to write the correction into their booklet.

Champ House – The next Champ House cookout will be on Friday, July 5 and is being coordinated by Mike Duffy. Please reach out to Mike if you are available to help.

Dr. Bruce Raspberry Plants - Dr. Bruce has several raspberry plants available to club members to transplant into gardens. These raspberries bloom in late summer and fall. If you would like one, please let Dr. Bruce know and make a donation to the club for \$20 each plant.

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

Dave Akin - Hollie left early/Steve Albright/Kevin on terrific year/Curley on amazing year ahead
John Herr - Steve/Curley/Behind every successful person stands a very surprised mother-in-law
Steve Albright - \$20 thank for everyone in their help for the district installation dinner, look forward to serving club and district this year
Phil Morris - Thanks to the club for plaque/Kevin and year/Steve and work for club/Curley Carey
Carol Woodbury - John & Board for celebration this morning
George Davis - John and presentation
Tom Tomasik - Over 200 people at Installation dinner/Curley
Anna Tomasik - For her puppy!
Dick Corsini - Dick Appleton was an amazingly instrumental Charter Member, hoping someday we can show the videos/Steve/Kevin/Curley
Tom Martin - Day late and dollar short - came into club a week after Linda
Finbar Corr - 30th year as a Rotarian/94th Birthday of Friend
Mary Vilbon - being in the paper/sand sculptures
Barry Clayman - Kevin/Curley/Jill - partnership for District Governor/54th wedding anniversary yesterday
Mike Karras - Kevin/John and presentation/1989 married to ex-wife and thankful no longer married to her
Dr. Bruce - Tom Martin spoke to him in 1992, hooked right away - it's been a lot of fun!
Ann Knell - Leave early buck for Jan/Husband retired yesterday at Pilgrim Nuclear
Jill Albright - Kevin/Curley/Steve and I met in 1989/Linda McKnight & reservations and all the help of the club!
Barbara Adams - Club - fun, friendship
Ron Hawes - List of Members - where are they now?
Pat Armstrong - Bad key, sorry/Bob Lindquist 1st song master invited me!/Thank you to Carol for handing off children/Amy Sprague Howell - Assistant Recreation Director
Jim Leighton - \$5 for being a charter member
John Cooke - Apology buck for missing anything
Kevin Lennon - Steve and DG/Curley was sponsor/Curley for next year/Thanks to BOD/Support of Sean Gannon Memorial Tournament 200+ players



Dr. Bruce handing out Yarmouth Rotary Memorabilia from years past.

Rotary’s 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”

TGIFY Writers Needed
If you would like to help with the TGIFY by taking notes each week and helping to write the content, or maybe write Interesting Rotary Stories or Rotary Information please contact John Cooke.

6/21—7/4
Happy Birthday!!!!
6/29 Ron Wright
Happy Anniversary!!!!
7/3 Bob & Barbara Wells

Calendar

June 26—Club Officers Installation—Gerald “Curly” Carey, President—Old Yarmouth Inn, Yarmouth Port,
June 28—No Meeting
July 5—Jill Talladay—Care for the Cape and Island (Tentative)
July 12—Rev. Mary Hansen Joyce—Chaplain Cape Cod Hospital
July 19—Renee Lohman—Green House Senior Residence Development
July 26—Richard Banks—St. David’s akeaway Meal and Paper Pantry

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..



It’s Not Too Early To Start Thinking ROTARY GOLF TOURNAMENT Sept. 24, 2019
Foursomes—Sponsors
Gift Cards—Donations for Auction

BROWN BAG
July 5
August 2
September 6
October 4
November 1
December 6
January 3
February 7
March 6

July
A New Rotary Year
Andrea Taylor

MEALS ON WHEELS
7/2 Dick Corsini & John Herr
7/9 Dave Akin & Jan Tkaczyk
7/16 Finbar Corr & Phil Morris
7/23 Chuck Soule & Tom Zurn
7/30 Alan Zox & Joe Potzka
8/6 Matt Johnson & Mike Riley
8/13 Tom Tomasik & Liam Butler

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

FRONT DESK

6/28 No Meeting
7/5 Bill Lemoine & Mary Vilbon
7/12 Liam Butler & Tom Zurn
7/19 Bill Savicki & Bud Nugent
7/26 Steve Albright & Jill Albright
8/2 Peter Murray & Bernie Nugent
8/9 George Davis & Paul Chatelain
8/16 Brian Sullivan & John Gilligan

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

June 28 No Meeting
7/5 Kevin Lennon
7/12 Charles LoBue
7/19 Tom Martin
7/26 Frank Mastromauro
8/2 Janice Matheson
8/9 Allison McEachern
8/16 Robert McInnis
8/23 Jim McLoughlin

August
Membership
Jill Albright