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The Main Event

GUEST SPEAKER: JOAN McDONALD, AMERICAN BUSINESSWOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Melissa Farrell introduced Guest Speaker, Joan McDonald, of The Cape Cod Chapter of the American BusinessWomen's Association (ABWA). Founded in 1991, the local ABWA has 80 members and meets monthly every 2nd Tuesday at the Double Tree Hotel in Hyannis. Joan, owner of JMc Consulting, is Chair of the local ABWA Membership Committee and Co-chair of the Technology Committee. (BTW, the other Co-chair is Paula Hersey, who was last week's Guest Speaker at the Yarmouth Rotary.)

Joan outlined the national organization's scope (over 1200 chapters) and mission: "The Mission of the American Business Women's Association is to bring together businesswomen of diverse occupations and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support, and national recognition." She also emphasized the fact of membership being a great way to network, to strengthen avenues for fellowship, and to generate significant contributions through community service.

Contact information: • Local chapter < www.abwacapecod.com >, • national website

<<u>www.abwa.org</u>>, ● local email <<u>info@abwacapecod.org</u>>.





RISING STAR: OLIVIA ADAMAITIS, D-Y REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Annette Bowes, D-Y Guidance Counselor, presented D-Y Rising Star Olivia Adamaitis with an introduction that included references to her being "engaging," an athlete in three sports ("the three seasons of school" sports), a very impressive four-year internship at the Cape Cod Cultural Center ("she will make a fine curator"), a very well-rounded student who has been accepted at Rutgers and three others.

Olivia was enthusiastic in her thanks to **Annette Bowes**, her mom (her "favorite person"), her brother, and others; while noting her high school years had its "ups and downs," she felt that D-Y's contributions were the most important for her (future) career.



DUES: Just a friendly reminder. Membership Dues were due July 1. If you forgot to pay yours please send in your check today or see our Treasurer Charlie LoBue with your credit card.

HAPPY BUCKS

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MIKE RILEY – for the Rising star / a "self-serving" buck for the insert in the TGIFIY on behalf of the 100th Anniversary Fundraiser Event Winter Wine Dinner for the Boy Scouts of America, Cape Cod and Islands Council, B.S.A. to be held Thursday, March 12th (6:30 pm) at The Riverway Lobster House (1328 Route 28, South Yarmouth, MA), featuring an elegant five course meal paired with the fine wines of a renowned importer; plus a silent auction of wine gems, cool prizes, and other collectables(!) and a fun, entertaining, and educational evening hosted by industry veteran and Cape scouter, Bruce Cole; at a reservationrequired price of \$85.00 per person, including tax and gratuity for a special night not to be missed to support the scouts.

JIM SABEN - Tammy's fine

CAROL WOODBURY – for Olivia & her family. KEN JENKS – Olivia (who is also Chair of the Student Ambassadors) & her family / so much PR material & photo ops about D-Y right now that he could talk for an hour! / thanks to Rotary! BOB BOUCHER – \$2: Rotary members just passed-the-hat to the sum of \$502 for the Yarmouth Food pantry! / something about USDA, Camp David, State Fisheries & Wildlife..., but result is, "none (of the animals) are in my house." DORCUS MCGURRIN – \$5: late buck / Olivia (was part of the wait staff at Heatherwood) / Destination Imagination about to start / stuck-in-elevator story – stood & knitted / joke about Pearly Gates.

DEAN SHERMAN – rent – town house / "get well."

JILL ALBRIGHT – loss of Mom was hard, but support from Rotarians was a big help.
STEVE ALBRIGHT – Boy Scout magic show coming Apr 11

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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- <u>Fellowship events</u> Dinner for Champ House: <u>March 6</u> (Steve Albright) / <u>March 24</u> Cape Bowl (5 to 7 pm), includes shoes and two strings (is that two strings on the shoes, usually called "shoelaces"?).
- Yarmouth Food Pantry <u>pass-the-hat</u> <u>collection</u> February 27 at the Yarmouth

Magic Show April 11th DY High School

Happy Birthday !!!

7-Mar Pat McGowan

12-Mar Barbara Adams

14 Days Till Spring !!!!

Calendar

Mar 6 Champ House Dinner (Steve Albright)

Mar 6 -Kathy Carpenter—Cape Cod Literacy Council

Mar 12—14 PETS

Mar 13 – Elena Schuck - School Libraries vs. Public Libraries

Mar 20—Dr. Cox—President CCCC

Mar 27—Gail Rasmussen—The Learning APth

Apr 13—International Night (Whites)

Apr 23—26 District Conference

May 9—District Assy. RICC

Oct 10-25,2015 Panama Canal Cruise

Program Committees: Please notify Curly Carey and Phil Morris of your speakers. You are responsible for providing the write up on the speaker for the following week's TGIFIY.

March: Literacy

Chair: Ken Jenks & Elena Schuck

Happy Anniversary

No Anniversaries

MEALS ON WHEELS

3/10 Steve Albright & To mTomasik
3/17 Jim Bogle & Mike Duffy
3/24 Tom Ulrich & Joe Potzka
3/31 Fran Webb & Howard Kendall
Substitutes Steve AbrightFrankMastromauro MEETS
at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.
528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth
9:30 A.M.

FRONT DESK

6-Mar Tom Ulrich //Melissa Farrell 13-Mar Dave Botting / George Davis

20-Mar Ron Hawes / Matthew Fitzsimmons

27-Mar Ken Jenks / Esther Stocchetti

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

GUEST POLICY

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

GREETER

6– Ma r Charles LoBue
13– Mar John Lynch
20—Mar Tom Martin
27-Mar Frank Mastromauro

April: Rotary Magazine Chair: Bob Wells