

# T-G-I-F-I-Y



*"Thank Goodness It's Friday in Yarmouth!"*



## SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

**GOVERNOR, DISTRICT 7950**

**William "Billy" Roberts, DG.**

**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 Bob Whritenour, Town of Yarmouth Administrator** - We just had a major town meeting that was historic in many respects. There were several projects approved with forward momentum. One of the projects was a massive renovation of the water pumping stations which is necessary to maintain core, primary resources that people cannot live without. The other good news is the passage of the wastewater treatment facility approval. The detailed scientific studies have shown that excessive nitrogen that are causing algae blooms, chocking needed oxygen. Studies that have come about in the last 25-30 years warning all of us of the dangers. "When I was at that town meeting, I felt, really for the first time, it was a groundswell of support with citizens asking, 'when can we begin to bring back the environment and the culture, we love here on Cape Cod.'" The project is proposed for Phase I along route 28 and all the business uses. The collection system placed underground by MA DOT, who will be handling all the streetscape. The sewer funding is tracked separately and independently of the property tax dollars. It is not a system that impacts property tax without a vote at Town Meeting. The tax on short term vacation rentals is

going into the funding for the sewer projects. The goal is by 2026, we will have \$10 million set aside which will help with bonding and have less of an impact on property owners. Construction is supposed to begin in 2025 with treatment beginning in 2026. In 2023, the state will begin reconstruction of Route 28 and at that point, the pipes will begin to be laid. There are state funds available, with an application date of August 2022 for 0% interest.

**Cape Cod Tech Rising Star Taylor Labradee** - Lauren Kalbach from Cape Tech introduced this week's Rising Star. "In the classroom she has demonstrated her passion for the food industry. Her technique is maturing, and she is caring and professional person. She is mature and continues to support and is friendly with her peers. I am very proud of her accomplishments." Taylor stated, "I am honored to be chosen for this award." She would love to run a mobile cupcake restaurant and looks to further her culinary career.

**Champ Homes Thanksgiving** - There are 25 residents this year. Jackie Carnevali will be handling the 2 turkeys. The plan is to meet here at H&K at 10am and will leave at 10:15.

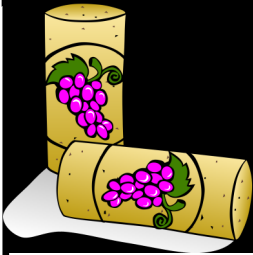
**Thanksgiving Dinner** - As of right now, we have 22 people signed up to provide funding to prepare full dinners for 27 families.

**Holiday Auction** - Barbara Adams gave an update that we have many items but could still use some more. On November 19, we will have a presentation of all the auction items. If you have any more items, please let Barbara know. We will need photos of all the items. We are hoping that this year will raise more than last year, which was successful at \$13,000.

SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD—SOLD

Those are the Magic words we want to hear!!!

# Announcements



**COVID & CORKS**—Wine cork recycling benefits our earth’s sustainability. The Rotary Club of Yarmouth has over the last 18 months collected 14 pounds of corks which are sent to be recycled and then upcycled. Funded by the Widget Company, Cork Club is a sustainability initiative started in 2007. The goal of the Cork Club is to grow wine cork recycling and make donations to causes that protect our oceans and forests. The Cork Club donates to non-profit entities that clean plastic from our oceans, prevent deforestations and teach better ways to live in harmony with our environment. To date Cork Club has donated \$121,800 to these projects. For each natural cork, 2 cents is donated. Synthetic corks are recycled properly. So enjoy your wine and save the corks. All corks can be given to Jill Albright who will then ship them to Cork Club.

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

11/12—11/18

**Happy Birthday!!!!**

No Birthdays

**Happy Anniversary!!!**

No Anniversaries

## BROWN BAG

**December 3**

**January 7**

**February 5**

**March 4**

**April 1**

**May 6**

**June 3**

## MEALS ON WHEELS

Nov 16 Rafi Chaprut & Liam Butler

Nov. 23 Mike Riley & George Davis

Nov. 30 Dr. Bruce Gordon & Joe Potzka

Dec. 7 Frank Mastromauro & Ken Sheytanian

Substitutes Steve Albright

Frank Mastromauro

Meet at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.

528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth, MA

9:30 AM

## FRONT DESK

Nov. 12 Mike Riley & Jimmy Walker

Nov. 19 Hollie Handrahan & Bob McInnis

Nov. 26 No Meeting

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

## Calander

*November 11—DG Billy Roberts Pre-visit with Officers*

*November 12—DG Billy Roberts Visit to Yarmouth Rotary –“Serve to Change Lives”*

*November 13—Stuff a Cruiser Food Drive for Yarmouth Food Pantry*

*November 19—India Schools Update*

*November 26—NO ROTARY Happy Thanksgiving*

*December 3—Christmas Auction begins at 6:30 AM—Breakfast Served at 6:00 AM*

*December 10—Annie Catalano— Victim Service Specialist/Advocate YPD*

*December 17—DY Chorus*

*December 24—NO ROTARY Merry Christmas*

*December 31—NO ROTARY Happy New Years*

## GUEST POLICY

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

## GREETER

**November 12—Bianca Frazier**

**November 19—Hollie Handrahan**

**December 3 –Mike Karras**

**December 10—Ann Knell**

**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.

November  
Rotary Foundation  
Steve Albright

December  
Disease Prevention & Treatment  
Steve Albright



**“All About Me” Jimmy Walker** - Jimmy was born in Natick and grew up in Fairhaven. He began working on cars when he was 11 years old. He graduated high school in 1968. In the 1970s worked in technology for a software developer that developed artificial intelligence. He worked in the automotive industry for many years, including owning Bass River Exxon from 1985-95. In addition, Jimmy is a Charter Member of the Yarmouth Rotary.

**Do Something.**

**If it works, do more of it.**

**If it doesn't, do something else.**

(Franklin D. Roosevelt)

### **\$\$\$\$ Happy Bucks \$\$\$\$\$**

**Matt Fitzsimmons** - \$5 leave early bucks

**Jan Soja** - Won plane ride anywhere in Southern New England/See how fragile our land mass is

**Pam Rideout** - Rising Star/Jimmy Walker

**Dave Aiken** - Rising Star/Town Manager/Thoughts and Prayers

**Phil Morris** - Jimmy Walker/Rising Star/Guest Speaker/Topping Ceremony for New Middle School

**Carol Woodbury** - Rising Star/Topping Off Ceremony/Bob Whritenour/DPW/Snow days are precious

**Brian B. Smith** - \$10 Town Meeting/Sandy Pond/Love, Passion, an Commitment to Community/21st Century Solutions/Climate Change

**Roby Whitehouse** - Guest Speaker Town Administrator/Rising Star

### **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.

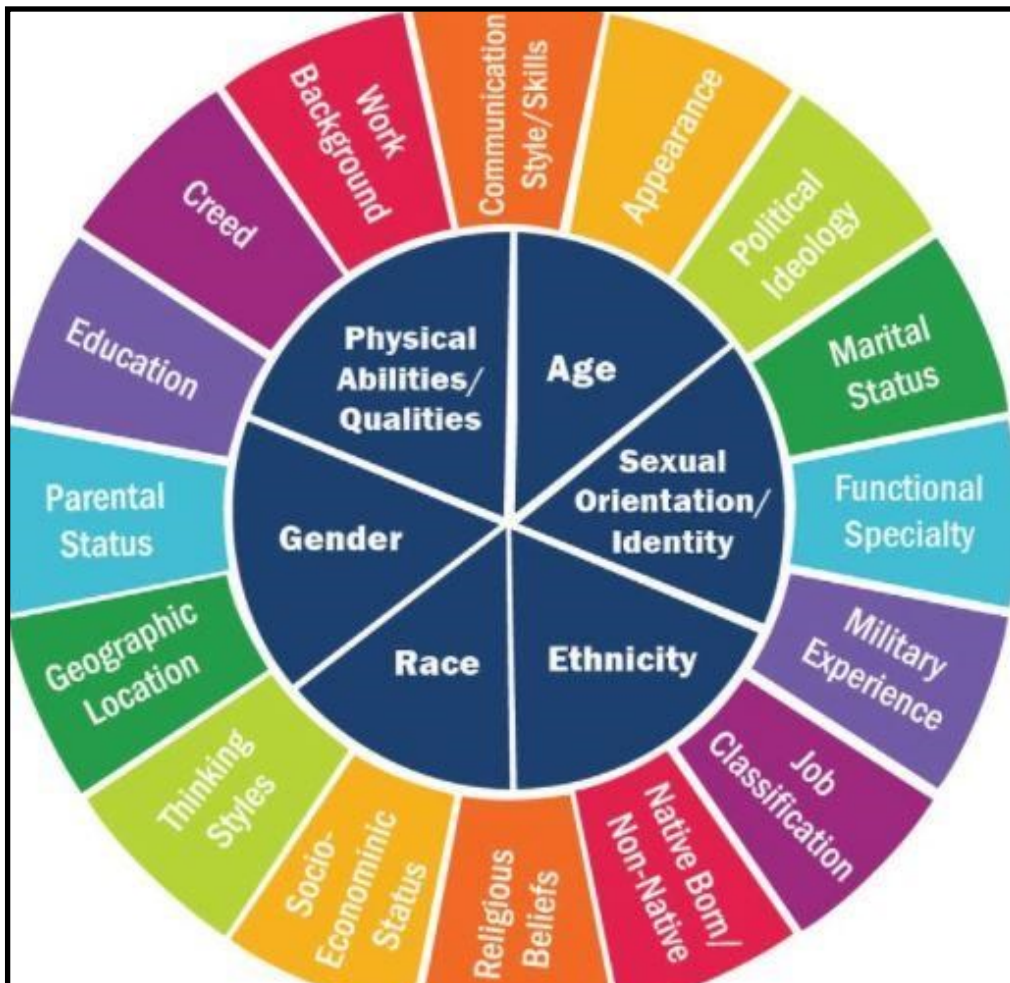
Second: We fill the backpacks and bags of food every Wednesday night at 6:00 PM at the Yarmouth Food Pantry. If you would like to help one or two nights a month, again please contact Steve Albright. Currently we have enlisted the local Girl Scout Troop to help on the first Wednesday of each month and 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](http://Capecodbritelightsinc.com) and make a contribution with your credit or debit card. In addition you can now sign up to make monthly donations to Brite Lights. A smaller amount each month makes it much easier.

Fourth: Visit our website and learn more about us. [Capecodbritelightsinc.com](http://Capecodbritelightsinc.com)



**Rufus Jones, The District 7950 DEI Challenge** - Our own Rufus Jones presented the District 7950 Diversity, Equity and Inclusion challenge to the club. The challenge is to develop each club to develop itself into a diverse organization. “In my first year in Rotary, I have been able to understand the life experiences of a lot of the members. We need to keep peeling back the layers of everyone’s onions and understand each other.” Rufus also stated that equality does not mean equity. It’s the difference of being invited to the dance, and once you’re there, were you invited TO dance?

Diversity wheel - The inner layers are the innate abilities/traits that you were given. You can’t change those. The outer layer is our lived experiences: beliefs, creeds, job, etc. When we embrace both the inner and outer rings, we aren’t living within the confines of our birth. If we examined the lived experiences, there is a lot more that connects us than divides us.

The 7950 District DEI Challenge - If we do this, we get an award! It’s not a huge ask, but we need action! Rufus asked for a few volunteers to help him. We need to create a survey to send to all the club members and provide us information on who we are and what we want to be.

“ Nothing great is created suddenly, any more than a bunch of grapes of a fig.

If you tell me you desire a fig. I will answer you that there must be time.

Let it first blossom, then bear fruit, then ripen.”

Epictetus (50 –135 AD)

## Five Avenues of Service

The Five Avenues of Rotary Service form the foundation of Rotary's work, ensuring focus on Service Above Self and that the service efforts are balanced and advance all aspects of the Object of Rotary to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise.

### Club Service – The First Avenue of Service

We are a volunteer organization which requires everyone's help to make the club operate. Everyone gets a chance to pitch in at various times throughout the year. Club Service includes, but not limited to front desk, greeting members and guests, leading the club, in the pledge or 4 way test, helping to set up or tear down the room for the meeting or any of a number of other tasks.

### Vocational Service – The Second Avenue of Service

As business leaders and community leaders, Rotarians share their skills and expertise through Vocational Service. Your Vocational Service efforts can play a vital role in improving the quality of life for those hardworking members of the community who need direction and expertise. By participating in several Vocational Service activities like mentoring, career days, vocational awards, business assistance, or even talking about your job at a club meeting – you can turn your experience into an invaluable resource for others.

### Community Service – The Third Avenue of Service

Many members focus on Community Service projects. Community Service can be likened to "rolling up your sleeves" to serve our community. Our projects include helping hands, stuff a cruiser food drives, packing and delivering backpacks of weekend food for students, cooking at Champ Homes, labeling and delivering the books our student vacation book club, shopping for gifts or serving meals for our annual holiday Christmas party, working on the gardens that we take care of around town or one of the many more projects we find ourselves involved in.

### International Service – The Fourth Avenue of Service

International Service is for the advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service, to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the globe and to promote world understanding and peace. The International Committee of our Club has many projects supporting these goals and invites and encourages member participation in this important work. Our club is currently involved in three schools in India, helping to provide an education for children from low-income neighborhoods. In addition, our projects provide nutritional food, clean water, proper sanitation, and hygiene education for the children. In addition, we help to provide adult education to people who have never had an opportunity to learn. We have participated in peace and conflict resolution discussions and forums and have collected used mobility devices for the Crutches for Africa program.

### New Generations Service – The Fifth Avenue of Service

New Generations Service, the newest Avenue of Service, created by the 2010 Council on Legislation of Rotary International recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults involved in leadership development activities, community and international service projects and exchange programs that enrich and foster world peace and cultural understanding. Our Club is committed to involving youth and young adults in all of its activities including vocational, community and international service projects. We support our Interact Club at DY Regional High School, the Rotaract Club at CCCC, RYLA by supporting and sending students to this program each year, Youth Exchange by

## THESE ITEMS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED AT THE YARMOUTH FOOD PANTRY

Canned Pasta  
Mac & Cheese  
Peanut Butter  
Jelly  
Cereal

Syrup  
Tuna Fish  
Soup  
Instant Potatoes  
Nutri-Grain Bars

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

The Club has paid for and reserved a table for the Foundation Dinner. We still have two open seats If you are interested in attending please contact Steve Albright.

## ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

### November

Bernie Nugent	31 years
Sally Bowles	30 years
Barbara Adams	27 years
Bianca Frazier	13 years
Janice Matheson	13 years
Jim Seymour	3 years
Rufus Jones	1 year

Thank you all for your years of service to Rotary and to our Club!!!!

### Save the Date

December 3, 2021 6:30 AM

Holiday Auction—To raise funds for the Children's Holiday Party

Now that the Golf Tournament is over it is time to start thinking about our Auction  
Items are needed for the Auction.



### AUCTION ITEMS - December 3, 2021

- 1 Week Stay in Bartlett, NH Condo 2 bedroom with loft—Max 6 people (Jill & Steve Albright)
  - 1 Week Stay in Cabo San Lucas, Mexico 2 bedroom (Hacienda Encantada Resort ) - Max 6 people (Jill & Steve Albright)
  - 5 Course Dinner with Wine Tasting - Max 6 people (Jill & Steve Albright)
  - Boat Trip to Chatham—10 people (Jackie Carnevali)
  - 1 Week Stay in 3 BR Townhouse in Estes, Colorado—(Must be used within 1 year) (Jackie Carnevali)
  - Working Clambake—8 people (Jackie Carnevali)
  - Tomasik's Famous Paella Cookout—6 people—(Tom Tomasik)
  - Airplane Ride from Plymouth Airport (Jim McLoughlin)
  - Outdoor Wood Burning Fire Pit - (Linda McKnight) (Must be picked up at Drywall Masonry within 2 weeks)
  - Still Life Flower Oil Painting (Bill Glass)
  - Winter Scene Oil Painting (Bill Glass)
  - Clambake up to 20 people (John Herr)
  - Devin McCourty Signed Football—(Dick Corsini)
  - Southern Barbecue—(Rufus Jones)
  - Quilt by Cathy Watson—(Cathy Watson)
  - 2 Quilts by ??—(Ken Sheytanian)
- Plus More!!!!!!

## 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**



## 2021-2022 OFFICERS

President	John Gilligan	Public Image	Jim Seymour
President Elect	Roby Whitehouse	New Generations	Lou Preziosi
Vice President	Jill Albright	Secretary	Mary Lenihan
Community Service	Bud Nugent	Treasurer	Steve Albright
International Service	Jackie Carnevali	Past President	Gerald Carey
Vocational Service	Mary Vilbon	Sergeant –At-Arms	Mike Duffy
Club Administration	Rufus Jones		

### PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Barbara Adams +1	Bety Ghiazza	Rick Plumb
Charlie Adams +1	Ed Ghiazza	Joe Potzka
Dave Akin	Bill Glass +2	Larry Putman
Jill Albright +1	Susan Glass	Shirley Putman
Steve Albright +7	Dr. Bruce Gordon +2	Jim Quirk
Dave Angelica	Tom Gregory	Pam Rideout
Dick Appleton	Faith Hallett	Richard Rideout
Andy Armstrong	Sharon Hartley	Denise Ring
Pat Armstrong	Ron Hawes	Michael Riley
Matthew Barr	Betty Herr	Jim Saben
William Bergstrom	Jon Herr +5	Tammy Saben
David Bisbee	Richard Holden	Brian Salatiello
Judi Bisbee	Bob Huckman +1	Dr. Paula Santos
Blood Donor Center at CC Hospital	Sue Huckman	Elena Schuck
Jim Bogle	Matthew Johnson +2	Curt Sears
Jack Bohlin	Johnny Kelley	Marcia Shannon
Rick Boucher	Howard Kendall +3	Dr. David Seinkppf
Robert Boucher	Nicholas Kerrigan	Ken Sheytanian +1
Sally Bowles +2	Barbara LeFleur	Janet Soja +1
Brian Braginton Smith	Fern Lemay	Dick St. George
Jack Braginton Smith	Kevin Lennon	Kathy St. George
Rick Cannon	John Leon, Jr.	Esther Stochetti
Gerald "Curley" Carey +1	Jim & Pat Leighton	Jefferson Sherman Storm
Giuseppe Carnevali	John Lewis	Jerry Sullivan
Jacqueline Carnevali	Biob Lindquist	Jim Sullivan
Peter Carnes	Charles LoBue	Paul Tardif
Rafi Chaprut	John Lynch	Art Taylor
Bob Churchill	Jack Maclelland +1	Mary Ann Taylor
Barry Clayman (Major Donor)	Jerry Manning	Jan Tkaczyk
Gail Clayman (Major Donor)	Tom Martin	Bernice Todres
Carol Clossen	Frank Mastromauro	Dr. Tom Tomasik
John Cooke	Ken McGuire	Mike Tulman
Hal Cooper	Dorcas McGurrian	Tom Ulrich +1
Finbarr Corr	Robert McInnis	Josephine Umbro
Dick Corsini	Linda McKnight	Ron Umbro
Richard Covell	Dave Miller	Scott Vandersall
Therese D'Abre	John Miller	James Walker Jr. +3
Dylan DeSilva	Margaret Morgan	James Walker Sr.
Bob Dubois	Phil Morris	Marlyn Walker
Mike Duffy	G. Anthony Morrison	Michael Walker
Kenneth Eubanks	Peter Murray	Erik Wallin
Marianne Eubanks +1	Bernie Nugent	Connie Weare
Leslie Fedge	Bud Nugent	Norme Weare +3
Jim Footer	Judi Olkkola	Fran Webb +1
Paul Funk	Howard Onik	Bob Wells
Sgt. Sean Gannon, YPD	Marilyn Padalino	Carol Woodbury
KP Nero, YPD	Jim Peros	Nickolas G. Xiarhos, USMC
Nancy Gardner	Linda Pisacano	

## ROTARY CLUB OF YARMOUTH

### PAST PRESIDENTS

Richard K. Corsini	1989-90
Jerome J. Sullivan	1990-91
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 Stochetti	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
Dorcas 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
Gerald Carey	2020-21

## 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?"

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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