

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

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## The Main Event

### GUEST SPEAKER: DR. ELIZABETH STEVENSON, MASSACHUSETTS MARITIME ACADEMY

**Paul Tardif** introduced and “welcomed home” Guest Speaker, **Dr. Elizabeth Stevenson**, Vice President of Enrollment Management at the Massachusetts Maritime Academy in Buzzards Bay. She has held a number of positions at MMA, including the Associate Director of Admissions Marketing and the Assistant Director of Admissions. She also has a background in Human Resources and Recruitment. She holds • a MMA degree in Marine Safety Environmental Protections, • a Master’s of Science in Facilities Management from the Academy, and • a doctorate in Law and Policy from Northeastern University. As **Paul** noted, “*Most importantly, she is a 1993 graduate of Dennis – Yarmouth Regional High School.*”

**Elizabeth** outlined aspects of her own experiences at MMA intertwined with examples of the school’s growth (enrollment up from 900 to 1500 in ten years), successes (seven majors now offered, five in engineering), and student leadership connected with teamwork, courage and confidence. She is the college’s first woman Vice President. The uniform she wears is not that of a military organization, but a symbol as “*an equalizer and a unifier.*” She can be reached through her email <[estevenson@maritime.edu](mailto:estevenson@maritime.edu)>. The MMA website is <[www.maritime.edu](http://www.maritime.edu)>. (The college also has Facebook, twitter, flicker, YouTube, and cadet BlogSpot accounts.)

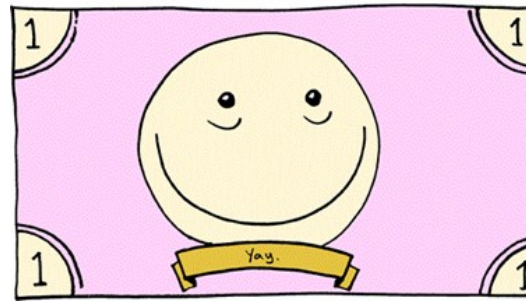


### RIISING STAR: CHARMAGNE FLAMMOND FROM CAPE COD TECH

The Chair of the Guidance Department at CC Technical High School, **Julie Gammon**, presented Rising Star, **Charmagne Flammond**, by conveying the extent of this student’s endeavors in the most rigorous courses (in health technology), all the while also helping others. **Charmagne’s** boundless energy was most evident as she described her high school experiences as “life altering.” She has passed her Nursing Certification exam; is a Student Ambassador and Secretary of the National Technical Honor Society; and volunteers at St. Pius, Cape Cod Hospital, and Epoch Assisted Living. She hopes to major in pre-med and become an ENT doctor. She was effusive in her thanks to school, educators, and Mom!

**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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**PHIL MORRIS** – the Rising Star, Charmagne, and for Guest speaker, Elizabeth Stevenson  
**JACKIE CARNEVALI** – Melissa, Jim, & all the Rotary Clubs for the success of the Masquerade Ball / the MMA program.  
**RON HAWES** – recent Sports Illustrated article on homeless high school student succeeding in their lives through athletics.  
**TOM TOMASIK** – from Golf Tournament to Masquerade Ball: so many things that this Club succeeds in doing.  
**MIKE RILEY** – \$10: missed last week / Elizabeth Stevenson / the Rising Star / 400 Scouts showing up this weekend!  
**CAROL WOODBURY** – Rising Star / explanation about wearing a uniform.  
**DAVE AKIN** – MMA / his glow from his Tuscany trip!  
**PAT ARMSTRONG** – late buck / Elizabeth & her part in the sailing program / Masquerade Ball; impressed with the organizing.  
**KEN JENKS** – a John Cooke leave-early buck / D-Y sports updates / SAT news: 2 students had 800s in their math scores and another student had a 2390 combined score.  
**JANICE MATHESON** – Kids Sell at the Cultural Center.  
**MATT FITZSIMMONS** – Melissa, Tammy, Jim, & the Committee – as a 1<sup>st</sup> year Rotarian, great experiences!  
**MELISSA FARRELL** – \$10: thanks to all who helped / it was a great night / the Yarmouth Rotary really stepped up.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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• **Fellowship events – December:** Yarmouth Rotary Holiday Party at the Adams house / **January:** Capt. Parkers Pub for Yarmouth Rotary solidarity with **Jerry Manning**.

• **Curly Carey** – Yarmouth Rotary Thanksgiving DINNER-FOR-CHAMP-HOUSE is in 3 weeks (November 27). That morning, show up with food to drop off out in front of the H & K by 11 am, and it will transported over to Champ House.

• **Bob Boucher** – \$903 was amassed at the pass-the-hat collection at the previous Club meeting for the Yarmouth Food Pantry – awesome! Some new families have come into the Food pantry, and the need for more help continues. The Turkey Shoot Golf Tournament brought in over \$20,000, with 125 golfers signed up and 110 showed up at the auction.

• **Barbara Adams** – December 5 is the Club meeting date for the holiday auction. Proceeds go for the Christmas Party for children and families and for Good Works Fund. She made a pitch for bringing in smaller items for the auction as well.

• **Dave Akin** waxed enthusiastic about the “premier trip to Tuscany,” from which he and **Rosemary** have just returned. **Jackie Carnevali** elaborated further and she will be adding vacation opportunities with a three-bedroom apartment in Estonia. She will continue to offer the Monomoy trip, the lobster-and-clam bake, as well as perhaps added a day trip to Cuttyhunk.

• **Bill Lemoine** – Speaking of the Christmas Party for children and families, the date is Sunday, December 14 (noon set-up). Shopping for the gifts will be December 7 (8 am at Kmart) with wrapping of gifts on December 13.

Happy Birthday !!!!

David Bisbee 11/20  
Phillip Morris 11/20

## MEALS ON WHEELS

Nov. 18 Ron Hawes & Bill Lemoine  
Nov. 25 Jim Bogle & Mike Duffy

Dec. 2 Howard Kendall & Tom Ulrich  
Dec. 9 Fran Webb & Rick Cannon

Substitutes: Bill Lemoine

## MEETS

at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.  
528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth  
9:30 A.M.

## FRONT DESK

14-Nov Al Belanger / Stephan McMahon  
21-Nov Jim Quirk / Bill Savicki  
28-Nov THANKSGIVING - NO MEETING  
5-Dec Bob Boucher / Melissa Farrell  
12-Dec Tom Ulrich / Norme Weare  
19-Dec Dave Botting / George Davis  
26-Dec CHRISTMAS - NO MEETING  
2-Jan NEW YEAR - NO MEETING  
9-Jan Ron Hawes / Matthew Fitzsimmons

**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**

## GREETERS

14-Nov Tammy Glivinski  
21-Nov Bruce Gordon  
28-Nov Thanksgiving - No Meeting  
5-Dec Mary Ann Gray  
12-Dec Ronald Hawes  
19-Dec Wayne Hohler  
26-Dec Christmas - No Meeting  
2-Jan New Year's - No Meeting  
9-Jan Bob Huckman  
16-Jan Ken Jenks

## Calendar

Nov. 14 International Committee  
Nov. 21 Jackie Carnevali—A trip to Matka School  
Nov.27-Champ House Thanksgiving Dinner– Curly Carey  
Nov. 28 No Meeting  
Dec. 6 Christmas Auction  
Dec.. 26 No Meeting  
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 TGIFY.

**November: The Rotary Foundation**

Chair: Paul Tardif

**December: The Family of Rotary**

Chair: Dorcas McGurrin

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