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

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### The Main Event

#### **ROTARY FOUNDATION MOMENT: DAVE BISBEE**

Dave Bisbee posed the question, "What happens to your money when you donate to the Foundation of Rotary International?" He answered that query with background information as to how R.I. structures its investment from donations to become an available financial resource through Global and District Grants three years after donated funds have been received. Dave stressed the value of the Club's matching support of Yarmouth Rotary Paul Harris Fellowship member donations. Presently, 45 active Yarmouth Rotary members are Paul Harris Fellows, leaving 38 members "in the wings."







#### MEMORIAL NOTE - ANDREA PARKER, WIFE OF DON PARKER

In 1989, the Yarmouth Rotary Club was chartered as a direct result of the efforts of the Rotary Club of Hyannis to form a new in neighboring Yarmouth. Don Parker was the Hyannis Club President at that time and instrumental in Yarmouth Rotary formation. He was the author of the Club's Welcoming and Closing Songs. He and his wife **Andrea** maintained strong ties to the Yarmouth Club over the years, not to mention deep friendships with a number of Cape Cod residents, such as Bob and Sue Huckman, among others. Don's last visit to the Yarmouth Rotary was in September 2012. The following notice is a condensed version that appeared in the Cape Cod Times, September 24, 2014.

Andrea Lucas Parker, age 85, formerly of West Dennis, Cape Cod, presently of Amelia Island, FL, passed away on Saturday. September 20, 2014. She grew up in Newton, attended Newton High School, and was a graduate of Beaver Country Day School in Brookline MA. She married her husband, **Donald Kempton** Parker, in 1951. They remained together for 63 years.

Throughout their life together and having three children, the Parkers lived in Canton, Wellesley, and Cohasset, MA, before buying her family's rambling summer home and moving to Cape Cod in the late 1970s. While living on Cape Cod, Andrea operated a Bed and Breakfast out of their personal home. She and **Don** later owned and operated the Centerville General Store. In 1997, after having wintered on Amelia Island for seven years, she and her husband became permanent residents.

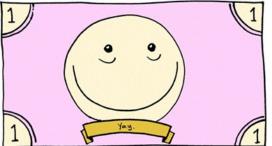
During Andrea's last months of life she realized a final wish, that of she and her husband sharing her love of cooking and entertaining and his writing prowess by producing a cookbook "Food for Thought," which was released and signed by her husband locally in Amelia Island locations. Funeral services were held Friday, September 26, 2014 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Amelia Island, FL. Feel free to share her Life Legacy at <www.oxleyheard.com>.

## Happy Birthday!!!

Peter Murray 10/9

**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



#### **HAPPY BUCKS**

MATT FITZSIMMONS - he & wife Sarah are expecting (!), but first they are spending 2 weeks in Italy.

CAROL WOODBURY - a late buck / for John Lynch and Mike Duffy & the Golf Tournament.

DAVE BISBEE – go Baltimore (Orioles. that is).

PAT ARMSTRONG - \$5: late buck / the Golf Tournament / congrats Matt & Sarah / leave Tues. with Mom for Albuquerque, Las Vegas, etc. / her CC Times photo (again!).

JOHN COOKE - Golf Tournament / colleague from Fall River [or was it Fairhaven?] / his company's awards for online banking & best in show from N. E. Financial Marketing.

TAMMY GLIVINSKI - \$3: for John & Mike / Fran Webb & Dr. Bruce / Liz has a job with the EPA on clean water. MARIANNE EUBANKS - a "Nancy Gardner" buck / for John & Mike. BARBARA ADAMS - last Sunday's John Herr dinner at the Hyannis Yatch Club. HOWARD KENDALL - best ever golf tournament he had ever seen. JIM SABEN - Golf Tournament / dinner with John & Betty Herr / a sad buck because John (in his 80s) "beat us!"

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS & NOTICES

- Golf Committee Co-Chair John Lynch (Mike **Duffy** away delivering his mother-in-law to the airport) - the Yarmouth Rotary Golf Tournament was a great success – good weather, good food, good time, 113 golfers (last year had 72 golfers) – and thanks to the Golf Committee. In addition, 67 Club members out of 85 were involved; that is over 75% of the membership! The event grossed over \$20,000 (expenses were also up).
- Next Yarmouth Rotary DINNER-FOR-CHAMP-HOUSE – **Elena Schuck** and team on October 3.
- Reminder Yarmouth Rotary roster books and the new Rotary International pins, "LIGHT UP ROTARY."
- Jim Saben Thursday, October 2, (5 to 8 pm) is the date of Puritan's Fall Fashion Show as a fundraiser and a lead-in for tuxedo rental discounts (10%) in support of the Masquerade Ball. In addition, \$100 raffle tickets for the prize of a BMW X1 (sticker price \$47,000) will be available - only 600 tickets are to be sold.
- Bob Bouchard outlined some changes to the Yarmouth Food Pantry donation procedures: • they will no longer be using the "food-of-themonth" promotion, • they will be looking to solicit quarterly donations on an ongoing basis, • the October 31 Yarmouth Rotary meeting will
- be a" pass-the-hat" opportunity, and •cash donations will be stressed more so as to secure specific and hard-to-get needed items from the Boston Food Pantry.
- <u>Saturday</u>, <u>October 18</u>, will be the date of that week's Yarmouth Rotary meeting, and it will be at the First Crush Winery of Frank Puzio.
- October 11 and 12 the Yarmouth Seaside Festival – sign-ups needed in 2-hour increments to be present to sell BMW Raffle tickets for the Masquerade Ball and to promote Rotary awareness. The Masquerade Ball is an all-Cape Rotary project for the purchase of the much-needed CC Hospital bloodmobile.

10-Oct Ron Hawes / Matthew Fitzsimmons

Happy Anniversary!!

Guy & Maria Checci 10/3

Jim & Linda Bogle10/6

Pat & Dick McGowan 10/7

**MEALS ON WHEELS** 

Oct. 7 Howard Kendall & Phil Mirris

Oct. 14 Rick Cannon & George Davis

Oct. 21 Tom Ulrich & Mike Riley

**Substitutes: Bill Lemoine** 

**MEETS** 

at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.

528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth

9:30 A.M.

FRONT DESK

17-Oct Ken Jenks / Esther Stocchetti 24-Oct Bernie Nugent / Mary Ann Gray

31-Oct Marianne Eubanks / Fran Webb 7-Nov Bill Lemoine / Wayne Hohler

14-Nov Al Belanger / Stephan McMahon

21-Nov Jim Quirk / Bill Savicki

28-Nov THANKSGIVING - NO MEETING 5-Dec Bob Boucher / Melissa Farrell

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 quests of the Club for their first meeting

**GREETERS** 

#### Calendar

Oct. 3 Champ House Dinner Elena Schuck

Oct. 3—Kathy Zabanski—National Marine Wildlife Center

Oct 10—Duncan Oliver -Effects of the War of 1812 on Yarmouth

Oct 17—Larry ? -Barnstable County Tick Surveillance Program

Oct. 24 Brian Ca-rhedi—Yarmouth Police Nasal Narcan Program

Nov. 1 Masquerade Ball

Oct 2015 Fundraising 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.

10-Oct Mike Duffy

**October: Vocational Service** 

Chair: Christine Kelley

17-Oct Marianne Eubanks

24-Oct Melissa Farrell

31-Oct Matthew Fitzsimmons

7-Nov James Footer

14-Nov Bianca Frazier

21-Nov Frank Gibson

28-Nov Thanksgiving - No Meeting

**November: The Rotary Foundation** 

Chair: Paul Tardif