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The Main Event

Guest Speaker Renee King, Executive Director of the YMCA - Ken Jenks introduced Renee King and David Troutman from the YMCA and introduced The YMCA Achievers Program - a group dedicated to making sure younger people can go beyond and see what is out there in the world. Renee stated, “The Achievers Program is the most culturally diverse program in the country. All of our youth have great promise, so even through we have 80% of students who are the 1st in their family to go to college, each student has a seat at the table. We are getting them ready for jobs in the future and we need this labor on the Cape.” The stats state that if you have 3 positive adults in your life, the magnitude of likelihood for success is much greater! This program supports all of the pillars of the Y. This is the 2nd year of involvement with DY. The Achievers give back and work in the elementary schools to read and encourage literacy with students. The students are taken to various colleges and universities on tours so they can see what the admission process and colleges are like. A success story: a student who was an Achiever was accepted to Boston College on a full-ride scholarship 2 years ago. Now he gave the tour to the group!

Renee then introduced David Troutman, owner of Scargo Cafe, who volunteers weekly with the program. David mentioned that his father was a Rotarian for over 50 years, and was a minister; his mother was a school teacher. Both were college educated, but were not rewarded with the financial means to send him to college. He was exposed to college and knew what the rewards could be. He said that exposing the kids to what is on the other side of high school is vital. “Watching the kids change from one year to the next and the amount of growth we see is incredible. It helps our community because they become better citizens,” he said. He mentioned that Rotarians are familiar with Service, and that is what they are looking for to continue the program here in Yarmouth. There will be volunteers needed as an advisory committee is formed to offer the program in earnest in the DY system. He mentioned that there are many mentors needed as well as sponsorships for the end of year gala.

Renee left the club with applications and the calendar. She is a Rotarian in the Hyannis Club.

For more information, visit: <https://ymcacapecod.org/programs/education-leadership/teen-achievers-program/>



Guest Speaker Renee King

Polio Update - Barry Clayman give an update and stated that the Philip-pines, who were polio free for years, announced 2 cases last year. We need to continue to focus on this effort and hope this will be successfully dealt with.

Paul Harris Fellowship - Barry Clayman also noted that through his years of volunteerism, he has earned Paul Harris credits to be used. He decided to use his credits to announce that Phil Morris, named a Paul Harris Fellow for his contributions to the club as a Charter Member and all his work over the years.

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

Steve Albright - Visited 44 clubs thus far, 21 more to go. Renee - fabulous job! Reading program on the way.

Jim Seymour - Renee and YMCA and program/All Golf Tournament support

Carol Woodbury - Congratulations Phil/David & Renee - amazing program and will bring to DY

Matt Johnson - Whole working career in YMCA!

Andi Taylor - Golf Tournament and Y Achievers

Dave Botting - Achievers program and Renee! The gala is one of the best nights of the year!

Finbar Corr - Jim & golf tournament committee/Speaker

Paul Chatelain - Late arrival for Liam Butler/Leave early buck for Liam Butler/Golf tournament and success

Tom Martin - Golf Tournament - 1st one that netted \$2,000

Bud Nugent - learned to swim at YMCA/daughter captain of YMCA team/2 Wheel Exhibit for Yarmouth Police Foundation/lowering ticket price to \$50

Kevin Lennon - Cannot pass car stuck in middle of Route 28/well wishes - wife’s grandmother who was lost and now has been fitted with the brace-lets the club purchased

Jill Albright - Speaker! Membership Committee - active people and a re-sult is David is here as a new member!

Phil Morris - Shock and pleasure of Paul Harris Fellow/Speaker and pro-gram/Selfish buck, I gain the most as being a Rotarian than giving out

Bruce Gordon - Phil recognized for years of service/Golf Tournament and performance/Y Achievement Program and Yarmouth Rotary

Ron Hawes - Phil and all he does/YMCA major impact on life/another case of polio is frightening/Post polio syndrome

Brian Braginton Smith - Y Achievers and volunteer for steering commit-tee/Boston Globe Article

Barbara Adams - Phil first person she met when moved to the Cape & invited to Yarmouth Rotary/Golf Tournament/Shift gears to Holiday Auc-tion/Renee & Program

Ken Jenks - Rotary Morning - Golf Tournament/Recognize Phil with all Harris & 4 Way Test/Achievers - this is a club that gets that mission

Dave Troutman - Happy Birthday/Opportunity to spread word on achiev-ers

Mike Duffy - Carol Woodbury saving marriage - anniversary card, 38th anniversary

Jan Tkaczyk - Husband polio survivor and golf tournament/Y Achievers and wonderful presentation

Ann Knell - Dad was camp director for Newton YMCA, spent every sum-mer with 200 guys!

Curly Carey - Help cleaning up after meeting/Renee & Dave/Saturday, ride Springfield to Boston 106 miles, 9.5 hours/if want to donate, contact BUD and YPD Foundation

Announcements

Membership Meeting - Next meeting will be at the Yarmouth Chamber of Commerce on November 7 at 5PM.

Eldridge Farm Foundation - Bill Savicki let the club know about the fundraiser, 9th Annual Farm Party, on September 28. The foundation is dedicated to helping individuals with illness on Cape Cod to help them pay their associated medical costs. Donations are welcome to help support the foundation.

Seaside Festival Parade - Roby Whitehouse gave an update on the Seaside Festival Parade. We are looking for volunteers to decorate, ride on the float, hand out flags. The theme this year is American Patriotic Pride and we are committed to the community knowing who we are! We are looking forward to everyone participating with the Interact Club. Signup sheets were distributed, contact Roby if you would like to participate and were not at the meeting.

Fellowship Trolley Tour - The Taste of Yarmouth Trolley Tour is coming in November 9 at 1PM beginning at the Riverway. At each location you get a drink and a bite to eat. Please signup if you are interested with Jim Saben or Roby Whitehouse. We will provide list to the Chamber and they will arrange for us to have the tickets. \$60 per person, tickets go on sale at 9am on October 1.

10/4—10/10
Happy Birthday!!!!
10/9 Peter Murray

Happy Anniversary!!!!
10/8 Ann & Ken Knell
10/10 Barbara & Charlie Adams



Phil Morris receiving a Paul Harris award from PDG Barry Clayman

Brown Bag - Mike Duffy gave a reminder that the 1st Friday of each month, the club distributes food to 120 people in Yarmouth. If you have an hour or so, please show up next Friday at 9:30am.

Golf Tournament Results - Jim Seymour and Paul Chatelain gave an update. “2 guys, 2 new members, and we both jumped in with both feet in,” said Jim. Special thank you went out to the committee, especially Curly for his leadership, Mike Duffy and John Gilligan for all their work in the past and passing on such a well-run event. Jim gave thanks to Allison, Paul, Kevin, John, Ken and all the others who volunteered. He asked that those who volunteered in any way shape or form to stand up and be recognized for their work. In excess of \$50,000 was generated and net to the Foundation will be over \$30,000. Paul was brief, “We are lucky to have Jim Seymour!”

BROWN BAG
October 4
November 1
December 6
January 3
February 7
March 6
April 3

Calendar

October 4—Jan Tkaczyk

October 11 - Mary Vilbon

October 18 -

October 25—Tammy Saben

October 26—Vibrant Club Training Workshop—White’s of Westport

November 1—RYLA Students Return

November 8—Veterans Day Program

November 14—District Foundation Dinner—White’s of Westport

November 22—Providence Bruins Fellowship Night

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.

September
Basic Education and Literacy
Ken Jenks

October
Economic & Community Development
Tom Martin

MEALS ON WHEELS

10/8 Bill Lemoine & Steve Albright
10/15 Dick Corsini & Dave Akin
10/22 Jan Tkaczyk & Finbarr Corr
10/29 Phil Morris & Tom Zurn
11/5 Chuck Soule & Steve Albright
11/12 Mike Riley & Joe Potzka
11/19 Matt Johnson & Tom Tomasik
11/26 Liam Butler & Bruce Gordon

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

FRONT DESK

10/4 Charles LoBue & Bob McInnis
10/11 Tammy Saben & Roby Whitehouse
10/18 Janet Sojo & Tom Zurn
10/25 Chuck Soule & Jimmy Walker
11/1 Bill Lemoine & Mary Vilbon
11/8 Liam Butler & Bud Nugent
11/15 Tom Zurn & Bill Savicki
11/22 Jill & Steve Albright
11/29 No Meeting
12/6 Peter Murray & Bernie Nugent

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

10/4 Joe Potzka
10/11 Jim Quirk
10/18 Chantel Rice
10/25 Mike Riley
11/1 Jim Saben
11/8 Tammy Saben
11/15 Elena Schuck
11/22 Bill Savicki