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The Main Event

GUEST SPEAKER: BARRY CLIFFORD, THE WHYDAH PIRATE MUSEUM

The Whydah Pirate Museum, under the leadership of **Barry Clifford**, opened June 25, 2016 in West Yarmouth. It is the only museum in the world that features authenticated pirate ship treasure, plus opportunities for interactive touch-and-see learning experiences for children, adults, scholars, and the community. The remains of the pirate ship Whydah were discovered in 1984 off the coast of Wellfleet, after years of dedicated searching by Provincetown resident, **Barry Clifford**.

The Whydah was a fully rigged galley ship built by the British to travel between Africa, the Caribbean, and Great Britain. During one of its voyages in 1717, it was captured by the famed pirate Samuel "Black Sam" Bellamy. Over the following year, the Whydah and its crew pirated 53 vessels, collecting quantities of riches and treasures. During an infamous storm off the coast of Wellfleet, the Whydah ship sunk in 1717. There were only two survivors.

Subsequently, the legends of the Whydah's were passed down among generations throughout the Cape. Meanwhile, its treasure lay just 500 feet off the shore for over 250 years. Now that the Whydah's real pirate treasure has been unearthed from a watery burial, it is on display for the first time at the Whydah Pirate Museum

Contact information: The Whydah Pirate Museum: • 674 Route 28, West Yarmouth, MA 02673, • (508) 534-9571, • <www.whydah.com>, • <www.facebook.com/whydahpiratemuseum>, • <www.discoverpirates.com>, • <boxoffice@discoverpirates.com>. **Barry Clifford**: • (970) 376-7700, <blclifford45@gmail.com>.



Barry Clifford holds a wheel wax seal his son discovered at the wreck of the Whydah. The seal is among the latest finds on the wreck, which is located off the coast of Wellfleet where the ship went down with its treasure and crew in 1717.



**IT'S THE FINAL
COUNTDOWN**
Think Golf Tournament
September 26, 2016

STILL NEEDED
Golfers
Sponsors
Raffle Prizes
Gift Cards

Happy Birthday!!
9/16 Bianca Frazier
9/17 Jim Bogle
9/18 Joe Potzka
9/20 Chuck Carey

Happy Bucks

JAN TKACZYK – Dick Corsini & closest to the pin at a recent golf tournament.
JOHN COOKE –
MARY COTOIA – thanks to Barry Clifford
DAVE AKIN – thanks to Barry Clifford / Pat Armstrong's mother.
JIM SABEN – talk-like-a-pirate day.
HOWARD KENDALL – a goodbye \$20 to the Yarmouth Rotary (moving to Sudbury) - this club is the most friendly, enthusiastic, totally engaged, & has the most outreach into the community that he has ever seen / thanks to Finbarr who was his sponsor into Yarmouth.
GEORGE DAVIS – \$3: thanks to the Speaker / Anna is safely in London / positive story of her visa snafu via the British consulate.
BILL SAVICKI – Oct. 1 is the Eldridge Farm Foundation 6th Annual Party: "Locals Helping Locals."
TOM MARTIN – \$2: Barry Clifford's presentation – saw the Museum with grandkids / sad buck for Jim Saben & his Orioles.
FINBARR CORR – Howard / Guest Speaker / correction to photo in TGIFY: no such animal as a "bull cow."
DICK CORSINI – \$4: honest late buck / grandson on a pirate ship in Hyannis harbor /overheard Yarmouth Rotary educators discussing a new curriculum (do they ever take some time off?) / as to that recent golf tournament: Jan won all the raffles.
CAROL WOODBURY – welcome back to all the kids / thanks to Barry.
TOM TOMASIK – \$3: Guest Speaker / last Sat. took Christine to college (LaSalle) / anniversary with Sue: 28 years!
BRUCE GORDON – \$5: Peter Murray – been to the Playhouse twice / 2 recent club social events / reminder to all to bid on those dinners and cruises – great fun / Barry Clifford & fabulous presentation.
BOB BOUCHER – Barry Clifford / going on a pilgrimage with Karen.
TAMMY GLIVINSKI – Ann Knell – 2hours last Fri. (Dolphins, not Sharks).
HOWIE ONIK – Barry is pitching Yarmouth / son Taylor flying into Providence as a naval lawyer at the naval base.
KEN JENKS – fabulous presentation / D-Y hosting the 50th reunion of the Class of 1966
JACKI CARNEVALI – to bad Ken mentioned the year of that Class Reunion, but still a sense of celebration.
BRIAN BRAGINTON-SMITH – this club / Barry: a dreamer & a mover / heart of Cape Cod & a real Cape Cod story.
SUE PROVENCHER – Guest Speaker / reunion tomorrow.

Happy Anniversary

9/16 Ron & Nancy Wright
9/17 Janice & Bill Matheson
9/20 Mike & Maureen Duffy
9/20 Mike & Kim Riley

ANNOUNCEMENTS & UP-DATES

President-Elect Matt Fitzsimmons reminders: • Sep. 17 – First Responders Day (3 shifts: 7am, 12:30, 6:30) • Sep. 26 – YARMOUTH ROTARY GOLF TOURNAMENT (volunteer sign-up) • Sep. 29 – Cape Young Professionals event • Oct. 7 (8am) Cape Cod Healthcare Bloodmobile (H & K Restaurant) • Oct. 7 (9am) – Brown Bag.

• Golf Committee Co-Chairs **Mike Duffy & John Lynch**: Yarmouth Rotary Golf Tournament update – 3 weeks to go / 66 golfers so far / **Donna Baldwin** is coordinating volunteers.

• **Chantal Hayes Rice**: CCYP – sign-up sheet for set-up and take-down.

• **Bill Savicki** – Oct. 1 is the Eldridge Farm Foundation 6th Annual Party: "Locals Helping Locals."

• **Tom Tomasik**: Aug

BROWN BAG

October 7
November 4
December 2
January 6
February 3
March 3
April 7
May 5
June 2

CALENDAR

Sept 16 Dr. Bruce Gordon—Advanced Directives
Sept. 17 First Responders Day (Kevin Lennon)
Sept 23 To Be Announced
Sept. 26 Golf Tournament
Sept. 29 CCYP at CC Airport
Oct. 7 Blood Mobile
Oct. 7 Yarmouth Rotary Food Pantry Collection
Nov 17 District Foundation Dinner Venus de Milo

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 & Literacy
Janice Matheson

December 1, 2016
Holiday Auction

MEALS ON WHEELS
9/20 Jan Tkaczyk & John Herr
9/27 Chantal Rice & Scott Vandersall
10/4 Ken Jenks & Carol Woodbury
10/11 Tom Tomasik & Fran Webb
10/18 Ron Hawes & S. Albright
10/25 Jill & Steve Albright
11/1 Dave Aiken & Matt Johnson
Substitutes Steve Albright Frank-Mastromauro **MEETS**
at the Yarmouth Senior Ctr.
528 Forest Rd., South Yarmouth
9:30 A.M.

FRONT DESK

9/16 Peter Murray & Bernie Nuggent
9/23 Bill Savicki & Tom Ulrich
9/30 Ann Knell & Dave Botting
10/7 Steve & Jill Albright
10/14 Bill Lemoine & Norme Weare
10/21 E. Stocchetti & G. Davis

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

Sept 16 Charles LoBue
Sept 23 John Lynch
Sept 30 Frank Mastromauro
Oct 7 Janice Matheson
Oct 14 Dorcas McGurrin
Oct 21 Linda McKnought
Oct 28 Phil Morris

October
Economic & Community Development
George Davis