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# The Main Event

### Induction of Louis Preziosi as a New Member of the **Rotary Club of Yarmouth:**

DG Steve Albright inducted Louis Preziosi as a member of the Club. The message from Lou: Lou thanked John Herr for the invitation to the club, and how quickly he found himself fitting in – a Rotarian for life but didn't know it until now! Louis served 36 years in the Army National Guard and in education. Despite being a New York Yankee's fan, Louis received a welcome round of applause!





"Friendship was the foundation rock on which Rotary was built and tolerance is the element which holds it together" Paul Harris

## Membership Message from Jill Albright:

Jill shared the Membership Survey results with the club, and the goal to involve NEW members and MORE members, along with the focus on developing newer members for long term membership and club sustainability.

Jill reminded us that we are a great club, but always with room for mprovement. The suggested action plan includes:

Personally asking members to volunteer

Speaking about project content and time commitment

Defining committee responsibilities

Increasing frequency of club assemblies

Net gain of 2 new members per year

Publish successes with the community

Communicate regularly with members

Share the gift of Membership! Every member is on the Membership Committee!!

#### \$\$\$\$ Happy Bucks: \$\$\$\$

Paul Tardif (via Jim Seymour) – Leave Early Buck **Jim Seymour** – Membership and personal invitation is key **Dave Akin** – Cruise with the Carnevalis; Curly; Paw Sox Allison McEachern – Thank you to Steve Albright and Paw Sox

Janice Matheson – Golf carts!

Carol Woodbury – Princess Nadia, her 1st grandchild!!

Mary Lenihan – Thanks to Jill and Membership Survey

John Cooke (via Steve Albright) – Greetings from Disney World!!

**Steve Albright** – Great night at the Paw Sox!

John Herr – Welcome to friend and newest member Louis!

Louis Preziosi (Our Newest Member!) – Thanks to John Herr and happy to be a member!

High tide and waders don't match

**Paul Chatelain** – Gifts of Trees instead of Mugs

**Doctor Bruce** – Tree Survey from Space; 1,000,000 trees needed to consume 3/4 of the carbon

**Iim Saben** – New Members on Seaside Festival Float Committee **Pat Armstrong** – Clamming Sunday and help from Mike Duffy;

Jill Albright – Thank you for the support of the membership survey **Mike Duffy** – ACME Laundry Quohogs – suds, anyone?

Curley Carey – New member Lou; Nancy Gardner; Golf Committee

#### **Rotary's Vision Statement**

"Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change - across the globe, in communities and in ourselves"

#### **Announcements**

#### Opening:

Greeter Phil Morris welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests, and David Akin recognized Allison MacEachern's son Jake who had the opportunity to throw out the first pitch at the Paw Sox game, thanks to DG Steve Albright passing him the ball.

#### **Golf Tournament Update:**

Jim Seymour happily shared the levels of contribution thus far, and that 84 golfers are registered. Keep the foursomes and sponsors and raffle and auction items coming!



Rotary Night at the **Pawsox** 

Happy Birthday!!!! 9/7 Bob Lindquist

Happy Anniversary!!!!

9/9 Tom & Martha Zurn 9/10 Matt & Sarah Fitzsimmons 9/10 Paul & Martha Tardif 9/10 Tom & Sue Tomasik

CONNECTS

# **BROWN BAG**

September 6 October 4 November 1 December 6 January 3 February 7 March 6

### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

9/10 K. Livingston & F. Mastromauro 9/17 Rafi Chaprut & Charlie Adams 9/24 George Davis & Mike Karras 10/1 Bill Lemoine & Steve Albright 10/8 Mike Duffy & 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

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

# FRONT DESK

9//6 Ken Jenks & Ann Knell 9/13 Chantel Rice & M. Fitzsimmons 9/20 Jimmy Walker & Tom Ulrich 9/27 Rafi Chaprut & John Cooke 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

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

#### **GUEST POLICY**

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

# **GREETER**

9/6 Peter Murray 9/13 Bernie Nugent 9/20 Bud Nugent 9/27 Howie Onik 10/4 Joe Potzka 10/11 Jim Ouirk 10/18 Chantel Rice 10/25 Mike Riley 11/1 Jim Saben

#### Calendar

September 6—District Governor Steve Albright

September 22—Fund Raising Bike Ride for Habitat for Humanity See Paul Chatelain for details

September 24—Golf Tournament

September 28—District New Member Orientation

September 28—District Motorcycle Ride

October 26—Vibrant Club Training—White's of Westport

**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