

Weymouth Rotary Club - No. 6685 District 7950

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TONIGHT'S PROGRAM

Global Nutrition

Michelle Gilman

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

JULY

- 22 District Governor Steve Albright
- 29 Summer Social at Chris DiMambro's house.

AUGUST

- 5 Weymouth 400 George Raymond
- 12 Father Bill's



July Birthdays

- 1 Metri Metri
- 3 Michael Shilling
- 4 Larry Cassese
- 8 Jim Gustafson
- 10 Arthur Connelly
- 11 Paulette Boudrot
- 16 Lois Drukman
- 17 Tom Tanner
- 24 Tony Merlino
- 29 Gary Rayberg

Club News and Announcements July 8, 2019

Pres Lois Welcomed all to this evenings meeting. Our first meeting at the Mad Hatter. Pres Lois announced that a donation of \$100 came from an anonymous donor thanks to the work of a Rotarian. In addition, we received our District Grant of \$1500 for Father Bill's Meal a Month.

See Sergeant at Arms, Larry

Cassese about storing things in the closet. We do not have the space we

New procedure: a communication board on display for people to post announcements.

used to have.

Joe Fucile: Summer social is at Chris DiMambro's on July 29. He promised it won't rain. \$25 per person. Bring

your money next week, Joe will be collecting at the door.

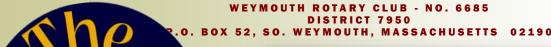
George Raymond II: Golf tournament is August 19 at Marshfield Country Club. Still need golfers and sponsors. Cost is \$200 and starts at 1 pm. Info about the golf tournament is on our website!

Pres Lois introduced our cash raffle winners. Nancy and Jim McDonough.

Judy Rizzo sold the winning raffle ticket (second time she has done this!)

Nancy has presented before the club before. She manages an non profit, the Samantha fund that provides money for school students to participate in social and extracurricular activities.







Karen Johnston, Executive Director of Weymouth Elder Services

President Lois introduced our speaker. Karen's daughter received a scholarship from our club a few years ago. Then Karen bought a raffle ticket and won!

Karen: Four years ago my daughter's scholarship was a big deal in our lives at that time. I was impressed with Rotary and I bought a raffle ticket. The scholarship did make a difference in our lives. One month ago my daughter graduated magna come laude! She is employed at Boston University and she does make waves in the world by donating more. Thank you to Rotary for the scholarship!

Karen is here to represent the senior center and talk about our services. We provide a lot of activities. Summer picnic drew over 300 seniors. Thank you to the Rotary club for sponsoring that event. Tom Rizzo is our MC for our derby event. Weymouth Senior services has a more serious side, and we are here to help seniors with whatever they need: food stamps, housing, food assistance, and technology. We also provide transportation in and around Weymouth and to medical appointments in Boston area. There are 11K seniors in Weymouth we have many actives for them at the center. We do everything we can to offer assistance or to find out were they can get the support they need. We have 180 volunteers to help our every day. Recently we extended our hours for transportation services. We offer 50+ program and activities in the July /August newsletter. The Senior Center is there to do what the seniors want. The Pickle Ball courts have been a hit. We have a medical equipment loan program. We have a network to search for equipment to be loaned to seniors in need.

Rotarians were very thankful for the work of the Weymouth Senior Center.





Happy Bucks



Steve Certa: 14 days ago flew to Sacramento to pick up grandkids to have them for 10 days. Gained 10 pounds. Who eats pancakes every day? snacks all day long? and has ice cream every night?

Our global grant for Safe Passage was approved ten days ago. We spent \$6K with Rotary International for a \$65K grant to send a vocational team to Guatemala to train teachers to learn how to handle kids emotional issues. Thank you!

Tim Cronin: discovered that their treasurer does work for Safe Passage. She is Susana Place! It is so great to have this "it's a small world" experience.

Tom Rizzo: great to see you all, and Dave who uses my fax machine regularly! Sitting at a great table with two guests.

Dave Citron: we had a great Rotary night at Boston Red Sox with Steve Gilman, and DJ, sitting in Bob Petrelli's wonderful seats. Game dragged on and Steve left at top of ninth. Unfortunately Red Sox ate White Sox in a Walk off. Steve caught his train.

Sheri Goscinak: just returned from Tacoma, Washington visiting daughter in the Army. She is planning to move back to Boston July 2020.

Donna Foster: While reading the July issue of Rotarian magazine I saw **Tim Cronin's** letter to editor about climate change!

Jeff Smith: 4 years ago Beth and I decided to live in Florida and nice to visit the club this evening . I wish Lois and the club a successful year.

Steve Gilman: I did not get the train. The uber was a half hour late so missed the train.

Jay Walker: great to see Jeff back. Reunited with three friends last night saw some old kids; the Rolling Stones. Had a great time. Christie lost her job at the middle school in south Boston but she got a position in Duxbury. Everyone is happy!

Pres Lois added a few bucks for Joie Tanner who thought the installation was the best ever. Thanks go to Jim Cavanaro, Donna Foster, Dave Northup, and everyone else making sure we had a great event.

I was at Jake's for dinner the other night wearing a Rotary shirt. Our waitress saw the shirt and she smiled and said the Hull Rotary helped her with a scholarship. Made my night.

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