



# The Rotary Way

## NEWSLETTER

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### Program Calendar

#### April 17

Radisson Hotel 12:15  
Ceceile Lacey, Coastway  
Credit Union, Reverse  
Mortgages

#### April 24

Radisson Hotel 12:15  
Ryan Carney, BBB

#### May 01

Radisson Hotel 12:15  
Joint Meeting, GSE Team

### Upcoming Events

**May 02-04** District Conference, Westford MA

**May 10** May Breakfast

**May 10** Dist. Assembly at CCRI, Newport RI

**May 19** Rotary/Chamber Golf Tournament, Valley CC, West Warwick RI

**Jun 23** Dist. Installation at Providence Conv. Center.

### Opening

**Pre-Opening President Henry** reminded us to turn off or put all Cell-phone / pagers etc. on vibration mode or **pay a fine of \$5.00.**

**President Henry** opened the meeting by inviting **PP Paul Wrostek** to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PP Earl Pearson** provided the invocation.

**Brad Logan** led us in a lively rendition "God Bless America".

**PP Bill Palmisciano** reported that we had NO Visiting Rotarians today.

**Dan Scanlon Jr.** introduced his guest, Jimmy Cox from UPS.

**Michael Grande** and **Jan Cervenka** passed the Charity Baskets.

### Announcements

**Pres. Henry** announced:

- Reminded us that our Weekly Meetings start at 12:15 please try to be prompt.
- Informed us of the passing of Dr. Charles Round, on April 1<sup>st</sup>, at the age of 92. Charlie was a Paul Harris Fellow, and active Warwick Rotarian for many years. There will be a memorial service, celebrating his life at the Woodbury Union Presbyterian at 1:00 PM, on Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>.
- The May Breakfast will be held on Saturday May 10, 7:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, at the Pilgrim Senior Center. Sign-up sheets are available for three work periods, (6:45 – 8:30), (8:30 – 10:00), and (10:00 – 12:00). **There will be a meeting of the May Breakfast committee after the April 17<sup>th</sup> weekly meeting.**
- There will be a District Assembly, primarily for Club Officers and Directors, on May 10, at the CCRI facility in Newport, RI
- See **PP Paul Mellin, Pres. Henry, or VP Jeanne** if you are interested in attending the District Conference, May 2<sup>nd</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup>, Westford, MA. **Treasurer Marie Ahlert will be accepting completed applications and checks from those attending the Conference.**

**PP Paul Mellin** announced that there would be a receptacle in place at our weekly meetings through April 24<sup>th</sup>, to receive items for the District 7950 initiative in support of our veterans. Warwick Rotarians are encouraged to contribute "Wish-List" items or cash for delivery by those attending the District Conference. **Carolyn Dutra and VP Jeanne are heading a committee for those wishing to contribute to the purchase of a bench to be placed on the VA Medical Center grounds.**

**VP Jeanne** spoke of the upcoming District Assembly on May 10<sup>th</sup>, and asked for a show of hands of those members other than Officers or Directors who might be attending. She also asked for a show of hands for those planning on attending the District Governor Installation to be held at the Providence



### Birthdays

04/11 Bruce Jacobson

04/13 Christine Harkins

### Quotes of the week

“Hell is a half filled auditorium.” Robert Frost

“Show me a sane man and I will cure him for you.” Carl Gustav Jung

“Vote early and often.” Al Capone

“If I were two-faced, would I be wearing this one?” Abraham Lincoln

“Few things are harder to put up with than a good example.” Mark Twain

“Hell is other people”. Jean-Paul Sartre

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Convention Center, Monday evening, June 23<sup>rd</sup>. In addition to the new District Governor, all new Club Presidents in District 7950 will be sworn in by the featured speaker, Rotary International President Elect D.K. Lee.

### \$Happy Bucks\$

**PP Joe McGair** assumed the helm, and with the able assistance of **Tom Sweeney** collected a very respectable **\$102**.

**PP Joe** is proud and happy to have been a Warwick Rotarian for 28 ½ years. **PP Paul “the Polish Prince” Wyrostek** after 6 weeks basking in the sun at Marco Island claims it’s always nice to be back home.

**Linda Rhault’s** daughter has been elected to the National Honor Society, her boy friend celebrated his 60<sup>th</sup>, and she thanked all who made the House of Hope celebration last Saturday night an outstanding success.

**Dan Scanlon Jr.** for the look on his guest’s face during our opening song, also for his appearance tonight as a competitor in the “Dancing with the Stars” with his partner, Amanda. They are first up before a crowd of 560.

**Scott Seaback** on his company’s (RI Temps Inc.) 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

**PP Larry Goldberg** remembering being present when Charlie Round made a hole-in-one.

**Brian Wallin** remembering Charlie Round as a Chief of Surgery at Kent Hospital.

**Dan Pendergast**, remembering the huge hands of Charlie Round and the long abdominal scar from a 1960’s Gall-Bladder operation.

**PP Bob Haigh** in memory of Charlie Round.

**PP Bill Palmisciano** remembering Charlie Round, and a re-Classification talk when Charlie brought in an artificial hip replacement device and explained the procedure in detail.

**Fred Corbett** thanking **Mike Holland** and his Staff for their great work.

**Kristen Marcks** sadly announcing that today would be her last meeting as a Warwick Rotarian, as she was accepting a position at Foxwoods which would effect her attendance, she also thanked **PP Don Morash** for introducing her to, and sponsoring her membership to the Rotary Club of Warwick.

**Max “Hello, Remember Me” Dittleman** has recently finished a very long stretch of intense activity, and is now happy to be able to re-establish his membership.

**PDG Jim Rassol** had the pleasure of meeting our latest outbound Youth Exchange Student, Cordelia Brewster, LaSalle Academy student, who lives in Conimicut. She will be traveling to Japan, and is studying the Japanese language at LaSalle.

**PP Don Morash** is sorry to hear that **Kristen** is leaving, and that he is proud to have sponsored such an active and committed Rotarian.

**Helen Taylor** joined Rotary 22 years ago, and was sponsored by Dr. Leland Jones.

**John Howell** is also sad to hear that **Kristen** is leaving, but, looking at the positive side, maybe she can arrange a \$Million Meal at Foxwoods.

**Phil Slocum** thanking his Dad, George, who started the Slocum Agency some 59 years ago.

**Ed Tavares** hearing the Happy Bucks were at \$99 bumped the total to \$102.



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**Program**

**Got Milk???**

