

Upcoming Programs

**Tuesday
November 20**
Pre-Thanksgiving
Celebration with
Coaches, Teams,
Cheerleaders &
More!

November 29
Jim Broadnax
Social
Entrepreneurship

EVERY ROTARIAN
US \$100
EVERY YEAR

A Big Week Ahead! Please Read Carefully! Happy Thanksgiving !!



Bell Ringing at Christmas Tree Shop

Saturday December 15 is filling up fast ! We still need signers-up for between NOON and 3 PM - Please call Adam Sherman with your time preference at 781-789-0863.

This Tuesday

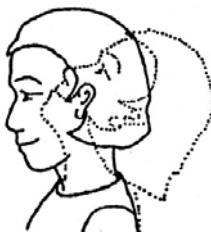
Our Rotary Club and the Lions are co-sponsoring Thanksgiving with our annual "Football Celebration Luncheon" at the Porthole! Please come, and we need two volunteers at the door to write down who is attending from our club!!

Dr. Keith Briggs



was our speaker this week. Keith presented a very interesting outlook on "feeling better" utilizing proper posture, balancing food intake "types" for proper nutrition and minimizing drug intake - especially those items promising miracles!

Keith had our audience practice a few items - tilt the head first left then right, turning the head left and right, back and forth, etc. and told us that the several pounds of the average adult human head, sitting "still" while you might be at your keyboard for several hours, is pressing down on your system in many different ways and a person should remember to relieve this "still pressure" regularly. Keith's office is in Saugus if you care to inquire for more detail.



Our Big Pot

is up to \$528 !! Bob Dugas and Bob Kennedy were sure to win - but they missed !!!

Our Holiday Party

at Virginia Doocy's will be Thursday January 3rd announced Obie Barker this week!



Dot Canessa Dies at 92

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Youth Service Managers

(YSM, Inc.) is the operating arm for Lynn Rotary's Camp Rotary in Boxford. Its annual corporate meeting was held Monday evening at the Danversport Yacht Club.

We had an excellent turnout in a brand new facility and elected new directors and there were many presentations!



Camp Director Rich Cowdell

delivered a fine report on the growth and direction of Camp Rotary and was presented a bonus check by

YSM President Brian M a g r a n e (on the right).

Rich reminded everyone that this year camp will be offering a two-week session for the first time in many years and to date, the sign-ups have been excellent! Thank you, Rich!



Dick Boldi

our general manager received an award too! We probably would not have the great camp we have
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Camp Rotary, Continued

without the tireless efforts of Dick and his spouse Joanne these many, many years!



Passing the Buck

Recognize our club member Dave Richardson? As president of Camp Rotary, Incorporated, a 501-c-3 Corporation, YSM rents Camp for \$1 per year and runs the camp for us! Best one dollar value in the entire world!



Dan Clasby, our chief accountant and President of Daniel Clasby, Inc. of Beverly gave an excellent financial overview of our camp operations and our future prospects!

It's always great to hear positive news such as in Dan's report !!

Bill & Peg Simpson

received a warm thank-you and a large round of applause for their efforts for Camp Rotary for well over 10 years! Bill is retiring as a director of Youth Service Managers.



Virginia Doocy received a special envelope for Catholic Charities' continued support of YSM by having most of our corporate meetings at their Lynn Shore Drive headquarters.



Two New Directors

were elected Monday evening including Mr. Douglas Mauch, CEO of the Chelsea Clock Company and Mr. David Gladstone of Brookline, who has been active in Camp activities for several years and now has his own youngsters attending! Welcome! There are currently 19 active directors of YSM working hard to make Rotary's oldest continuing club project (in the world!) continue to be the very best !!

District Foundation Chair Keith Harris

is again under treatment for a debilitating infection related to his earlier hospitalization a month ago. Keith appears to be responding satisfactorily. His Email address is keith@partnerwithchoice.com if you wish to leave a message of encouragement.

Dot Canessa Dies at 92



BILLERICA — Dorothy Canessa, 92, wife of the late Robert Canessa to whom she was married for 55 years, died Monday at the Life Care Center of Merrimack Valley in Billerica after a lengthy illness.

Bob Canessa was a member of our Rotary Club for several years - a dramatic story told by Bob one Memorial Day was his parachute jump as the sole survivor from a burning bomber during WWII, landing behind enemy lines - and his ultimate survival and escape from a prison camp - to the hushed audience of our club members. We had always known Bob as our fun-loving dance specialist - never imagining his wartime story as being the only survivor of a flaming plane.

He was a sustaining member of the Rotary Foundation, donating \$100 each year. He became a Paul Harris Fellow in July of 1998. Bob was a Rotarian for over 50 years and died in September of 2001. Canessa Terrace in Lynn used to be their home.

Dot and Bob were big in Greater Lynn for many years and were responsible for lavish shows at the New Ocean House Hotel for Rotary and other regional organizations. Dot was born in Denver, Colorado, April 26, 1915. She had lived in Swampscott having graduated from Swampscott High School and lived in Lynn before moving to Billerica five years ago. She had been receiving a copy of *TIPS* in the mail each week!

Dot had been employed as a professional dancer having toured the country with the National Company of "Oklahoma".

She and her husband Bob operated the Canessa Dance Studio in Swampscott and Lynn for more than 40 years until their retirement in 1986. They also produced and directed many shows. She was a member of Chicago National Dance Teachers Association, Dance Teachers Club of Boston and was on the Board of Directors of Home for Young Women in Lynn,

She is survived by her 2 sisters-in-law, Deloris Svenson of Billerica and R. Jeanne Driscoll of Meredith, NH. Also survived by several cousins, 14 nieces and nephews and hundreds of students she considered her family. She was the sister of the late Donald, Jim and Robert Svenson,

A funeral service was held Thursday at the Sweeney Funeral Home, 66 Concord Rd., Billerica.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472. Interment will take place at Puritan Lawn Cemetery, Peabody



Dot & Bob from an old issue of *TIPS*

GREETERS' SCHEDULE

NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday Nov 20 - Thanksgiving Program with Lynn Lions - We need 2 Rotarians at the door !!

Nov 29 - Ron Johanson & Gene Hastings

December 6 - Art Horgan & Dave Richardson

Please remember, Greeters have to BREAK DOWN also !!