

Upcoming Programs

March 27

Our Wonderful Students!

April 3

To Be Announced

April 10

Jonathan Blodgett,
Essex County
district attorney

EVERY ROTARIAN
US \$100
EVERY YEAR

Jan Reardon - "Opening" A New Bank!

Happy Anniversary, Everyone! Lynn Rotary 90 Years Old !!



Club Member Jan Reardon

is a life-long Lynn resident. She graduated from Lynn English and Salem State with a degree in elementary school education.

She started her career at the Security National Bank's West Lynn branch. Later she worked for Eastern Bank and Shore Bank prior to joining East Boston Savings in 1992.



Currently assistant vice-president and branch officer, she recently managed the opening of the new office in Wyoma Square.

Jan transferred to our club from the East Boston club and for several years has been a RYLA volunteer at Camp Rotary. Jan is a Paul Harris Fellow!

She told us of some of the fun promotions she has worked with getting the new branch up and running including "pet days" with kids and all sorts of animals, and a "free cash day" when people could scoop up money [your editor watched Maria Bazzi's eyes open WIDE at that one!]

Thank you Jan !!

It's Our 90th!

Your editor announced to our club near the end of our meeting that our club will be officially celebrating its **90th year on June 19th!!**

Several of our newer members did not realize that Lynn Rotary was founded as the **360th Rotary Club** worldwide out of, what is now over 32 thousand clubs!

Camp Rotary, our top project, is the oldest continually running club project in the WORLD!!!

Ron Johanson and Jo Ann Noyes collaborated on our celebration party at the Peabody Essex Museum in 1993 with the Salem Rotary Club for a wonderful party!! Our continued thanks to you both !!

Our President on TV !



Thursday afternoon, Mark and Gene were hosted by Community Access TV, locally referred to as CAM - Community Access plus Media at the Comcast studios on Tremont Street in Lynn.

Our interviewer, Cassie Vitale (left, above) asked about our club, what we do for the community and what Rotary is all about!

An added enjoyment to the event was the realization that both Cassie, and one of the key camera operators, had been enthusiastic attendees at Camp Rotary !! Hooray !!!

Thanks to all for the opportunity to talk about our club and about Rotary to a wide audience!

If you can get Lynn cable on your TV please look for the program !!

Who Is This?

Another well-known Lynn Rotarian, PP Jim Harris, was a featured interviewee on a similar program!!

Jim was a participating Lions club activist with fellow Lions club member



Donna Hartshorn. (on the right)

They discussed the many features of Lions club activities in the region and told viewers of how we all help those needing service clubs' assistance.





William H. Gates Sr. at the R.I. Salt Lake City Convention, in June

[In your TIPS editor's opinion, he was the best speaker of the entire convention!]

"I would submit that you have two big tasks ahead of you. First, you need to keep pushing on polio until the task is done. I have been celebrating your achievements, and you deserve these plaudits and more, but we cannot forget: Polio still destroys families in India, Nigeria, Pakistan, and Afghanistan. When you wipe it out there, then it will REALLY be time to celebrate.

Second, you have to devise your next campaign. You have to decide how to use your wallets, your legs, and your lungs in the future.

Given what I know about Rotary, I want to urge you in the strongest possible terms:

THINK BIG.

- THINK BIG, because anything less would be a waste of your potential.
- THINK BIG, because thinking any smaller would betray the optimism you have earned the right to.
- THINK BIG, because big ideas are what the world needs from you.

For Rotary, when I say think big, I am not suggesting a scattershot approach. You can think big while remaining focused. Your polio campaign is massive, yet targeted.

Think about what you did with polio in less than 25 years. Then add all the experience and wisdom you gained from that effort. Then add to that the advantages of new scientific discoveries and new technology over the last few decades.

Every Lynn Rotarian should give generously to our Rotary Foundation for the elimination of POLIO from our world !!

Our Lynn Raffle!

President Mark found members Jan Reardon and PP Ilia Stacy as the members bound and determined to break the bank!

Relax, members, the money is safe!!

OUR CLUB AUCTION AND FUND-RAISER IS CLOSING ITS RANKS!

Thursday several Rotarians turned in many, many more gifts and forms **but we still need more to equal last year's total value** of gift items!!

Also requested were large (3 feet??) baskets to hold some of the received donations to make special "gift auction baskets" !!

Do any of our members have any such jumbo baskets they can donate? Please call Bob Kennedy at 1-781-334-4093 or Maria Bazzi at 1-781-599-0096 or Virginia Doocy at 1-781-593-2312

The call also went out for more wine items, nice wines in groups of 2 - 4 or 6 bottles that can be grouped as a special "gourmet" item.

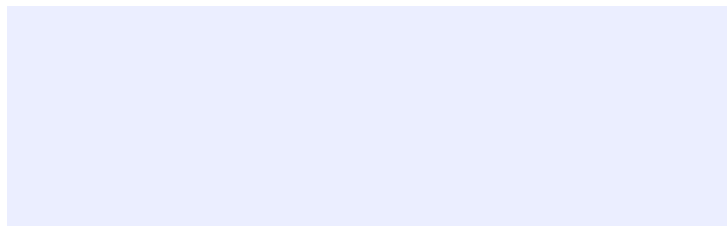
Please help !!

Special Guest

A special guest today was Nahant newsletter publisher Donna Hanlon who not only enjoyed lunch but donated several beautiful jewelry items to our auction!

Thank you, Donna !!!

Donna was a member of our club a few years ago and hopes to return in the future !!!



GREETERS' SCHEDULE

March 27 - Jerry Bovardi & Adam Sherman

April 3 - Tom Newhall & Gene Hastings

April 10 - Patty Tarr & Rob Eydenberg

Please remember, Greeters have to BREAK DOWN also !!