

## Upcoming Program Schedule

**October 2**  
Jim Ridley  
Principal,  
Lynn Tech

**October 9**  
Wine Tasting!  
Please arrive by 11:45

**October 16**  
Tom Vance  
"Leadership"  
Arlington Rotary Club

**EVERY ROTARIAN**  
**US \$100**  
**EVERY YEAR**

# Group Study Exchange to Brazil

## We Learned A Lot From Grace!



### Grace Martins

was our team's leader to Brazil earlier this year - Grace was our speaker this noon and showed us some great photos of the GSE team in action and told us about the many exciting things they did!

Grace was president of the Rotary Club of Peabody when she took the team and is skilled in more than two languages!



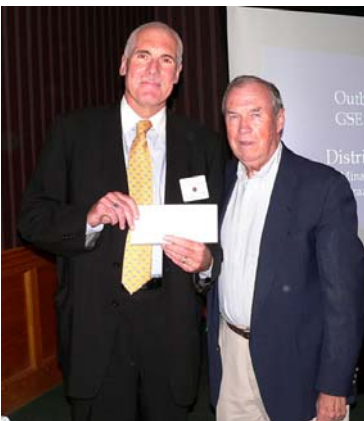
A nice bonus surprise were some guests from Brazil who were hosts to Grace on her GSE tour! Left to right: President Michele Desmarais, Darlenia Guimaraes, Dr. Nelson Mew, a member of the Piumhi Rotary Club in Minas Gerais, Brazil, José Maincio Feneira Jr., our speaker Grace Martins and Valdete Melo.

### Our Giant Pot

is growing again and today there was all of \$35 in it! Jerry Bovardi had BOTH lucky tickets but not to worry, the money is safe!

### Lynn Rotary Donated

\$500 through our Shoe & Stocking Fund to a special drive recently started in Lynn for a young man by the name of Tyler Grillo. Tyler is a paraplegic and loves the beach and the ocean.



The drive was to purchase a special "beach wheelchair" for him to allow him access to our oceanfront areas. It has large soft tires and many other features that make this access possible. The total needed was in the vicinity of \$2,000 and it was achieved!

The picture shows Shoe & Stocking chair Bob Kennedy presenting Past President Mark Kennard a check for \$500!

### Joyce Elliott

as most of our members are aware, has a grandson in Kansas with Leukemia who has been undergoing treatments at a regional cancer center.


Several days ago a dream came true! In Kansas they have something like our local Make-A-Wish Foundation called The Dream Factory. Young Cullen and his family were flown to Boston and he met, in person, Big Pappi Ortiz and Jon Lester at Fenway Park! Ortiz autographed Cullen's Red Sox Shirt! Lester is a cancer survivor and thus was very special.



Then he was taken to Gillette Stadium

and he rolled on the turf and had some wonderful dreams!!

Thanks, Joyce for sharing.

**SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS!**

**Maria Bazzi**  
**Rich Brangiforte**  
**Rich Cuffe**  
**Rev. Bill Hill**



## What Keeps Our Fellow Rotarians “In The Know?”



This past week our Rotary District had its large educational gathering at the Sheraton Ferncroft in Danvers. This year two meetings were combined and it was called a Foundation & Membership Forum - led by District Governor Tom Elliott and many, many talented Rotarians including our district Foundation Chair, Keith Harris.

The photo above was taken at one of the many “break-out” sessions - this one was about our Rotary Foundation. As you can see by the picture, the room was packed - and there were several sessions all meeting at the same time on various aspects of our wonderful Rotary organization!



Have you ever heard of EarlyAct? EarlyAct is a fairly recent aspect of Rotary that introduces young boys and girls to public service - the “helping others” concepts at a very young age! These youngsters were from the Ipswich Rotary Club’s EarlyAct program! They led the opening ceremonies carrying the many flags of several Rotary countries as they marched into the auditorium, placing the flags in the stands behind the podium.

Our guest speaker was Jeff Cadorette, a Past District Governor from Media, PA - a dynamite speaker with a terrific sense of humor!

I hope every Rotarian in our club gets to meet Jeff at some point in the near future!



## We Need Another Lynn Rotarian

on our board of directors for Camp Rotary. The board is called YSM which stands for Youth Service Managers and YSM runs the operations of our club’s main project, Camp Rotary.

Camp Rotary has the distinction of being **the longest continuous running Rotary Club project in the world!**

Do we have a couple of volunteers? YSM meets approximately 5 times each year to vote on the operations of our camp. Please join us! You will have lots of fun and meet some wonderful Rotarians from many other north shore Rotary clubs, too! One of our members has had to resign from YSM due to an occupational change in her career. We need a replacement immediately. Two new members would be even better!!

Thank you!



**At Camp Rotary our overhead “ropes course” is extremely popular!!**

## GREETERS’ SCHEDULE

October 2 - Jim Harris & Virginia Doocy

October 9 - Mark Kennard & Obie Barker

October 16 - Jo Ann Noyes & Gene Hastings

**Please remember, Greeters have to BREAK DOWN also !!**