NEWSLETTER April 2021





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NEXT MEETING

To Be Determined

Meetings are the second Thursday of each month (except December, July & August) at the Dennis Senior Center, 1045 Rt. 134, E. Dennis at 1:30 PM.

President's Message - April 2021



Fellow members,

Where to begin? It's spring! That should bring some cheer into the air. "April showers bring May flowers" and all that gives us to look forward to. Walking the dog without wearing a heavy winter coat, sitting on the patio with a cup of coffee while you read the morning paper, Red Sox baseball or just being outside soaking up the spring

sunshine. Or maybe even, as the Cape's restaurants open again, enjoying an evening out for dinner with friends. And "what about our Club?", you might ask.

At their recent meeting, the Executive Committee decided to pursue two events to help get Club activities going again. The first, hopefully occurring in late May, would be a "we're back" General Membership meeting updating all on the usual Club business and offer some great entertainment to lift our spirits. The second event, likely in late June when the weather should be cooperative, an RMC picnic, with the usual picnic-style activities and perhaps entertainment was also approved by

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the Committee. At this writing, a team of EC members is in the process of contacting management at possible venues to confirm availability. The problem of course is, despite the recently hyped relaxation of rules on social activities like those we are working toward, the restrictions still prohibit functions like the ones we are pursuing. Current guidance on meeting sizes, types of facilities, opening of town owned properties, and so forth is not in our favor. The recent return of Barnstable, Yarmouth and Dennis to COVID testing Red-Status is further muddying the water. Our hope is that when the vaccine is available to all residents in the middle of this month, a further easing of the rules will follow. So, we go forward hopefully. Hang in there with us. We'll keep you informed.

Golf chairman Paul DeSisto and committee members will never forgive me if I don't mention their continuing outstanding efforts to streamline our tournament registration process. Registration/cancellation/confirmation is now fully automated using our own Club-developed software application. The first event of the season is April 26th at the Ocean Edge Resort in Brewster – and you can register for it and any or all of the other four spring events beginning April 1st via the Club website www.retiredmensclub.com. Check it out, and why not sign up for all five tournaments while you're there?

Some sad news. After a long illness Club member Mark Chludenski passed away on March 6th at the Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. Mark was a five-year member of the Club and a regular player in RMC golf tournaments.

Tom Murphy leads the Club's Sunshine effort. If you are aware of a Club member that needs a little help in this difficult time, let Tom know, we might be able to help. Reach him via the website's Sunshine tab. And while you're there, why not click on the Volunteer tab. We're always looking for help!

So much for April. Hopefully, you've been COVID vaccinated and are feeling well. More and more vaccines are becoming available, but it can continue to be a frustrating time. As I said last month, best advice is to

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check websites and try the Commonwealth's centralized as well as specific pharmacy and clinic telephone numbers regularly. Pay attention to other information sources available, i.e., local radio, social networks like *Nextdoor* and your friends and neighbors. Vaccine appointments can unexpectedly become available, sometimes even in the middle of the night. Perseverance pays!

I'll leave you this month with some medical advice as the battle against weight gain caused by COVID-quarantines continues.

What do we learn from cow, buffaloes & elephants?



It's impossible to reduce weight by eating green grass and salads and walking

Remember, vaccine or no vaccine keep your distance, wash your hands, wear your mask. Stay healthy. Hope to see you soon.

Charlie





April, 2021 Membership Report

With two new members and one termination, we now have **312** members in the club.

New Members:

Gary Innamorati Gary Gyss

30 Little Cove Circle 15 Cromwell

West Dennis, MA 02670 Yarmouth Port, MA 02675

Termination:

Bob Brennan, who has been a member since 2000, relocated to Maine to be with family.

Remember to keep referring potential new members to the website!

Ken Lyman Membership Chairman





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Retired Mens Club

Tuesday 12:30 pm

Ryan Family Amusements-Yarmouth Team Standings

				Points	Points	UnEarned	Y-T-D	Year-To-Date
<u>Place</u>	#	Team Name	%Won	Won	Lost	Points	% WON	WON
1	2	Last Stop	63.5	66	38		53.7	116
2	5	Pacers	57.7	60	44		58.3	126
3	1	Rockets	55.8	58	46		56.9	123
4	4	Steak & Cheese	54.8	57	47		44.9	97
5	6	Veterans	53.8	56	48		56.5	122
6	3	J.V. Team	49.0	51	53		48.1	104
7	8	No Names	36.5	38	66		37.5	81
8	7	Sox	28.8	30	74		44.0	95

Name	Avg	Name	
1 - Rockets		2 - Last Stop	
Steve Williamson	71	Frank Cloran	96
Lou amelia	86	Bill Zellers	90
John Burrell	74	Len Soloman	57
George Cappola	101	VACANT	75
3 - J.V. Team		4 - Steak & Cheese	
John Vanderlinden	91	VACANT	75
John Lynch	88	Joe Bioty	93
Jim Barba	82	Peter Adams	78
Richard Tucciarone	70	Frank Fields	65
5 - Pacers		6 - Veterans	00
Tony Pace	91		
Brian Glinski	82	Ron Steiner	84
Paul Gonyea	79	Bob Janek	79
Keith Froeleiks	82	Jack Puleo	84
		John Doherty	88
7 - Sox		8 - No Names	
Bob Greiss	87	Don Proudman	83
Rob Krupp	79	Mike Roosa	
Frank Stone	75		83
		George Anastas	80
Dick Coughlin	75	John Fanara	81

For the month of March we had 111 bowlers over 5 weeks (average 22). Any & all who are ready to return will be welcomed. Red pin \$10.00 winners are Bill Zellers, George Cappola, Brian Glinski, John Lynch, Ron Steiner. Season ends on May 11. Arrangements are up in the air for a banquet or prizes....maybe both.

Any comments just e-mail and tell me your opinion. Thanks. Jack



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Treasurer's Report

March 31, 2021

	Available <u>Funds</u>	Restricted Funds for <u>Donations</u>	Total <u>Funds</u>
Checking Account Balance (Beginning):	12,098.33	339.00	12,437.33
DEPOSITS:	20.00		20.00
CHECKSNVITHDRAWLS:	(63.20)		(63.20)
Net Change:	(43.20)		(43.20)
Ending Balance:	12,055.13	339.00	12,394.13

SUMMARY		
Receipts:		
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Dues	20.00	20.00
Disbursements:		
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P.O. Box rental	56.00	63.20
Net Change:	(43.20)	(43.20)

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Tuesday, April 20,2021

1PM-3PM

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