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# Beverly Rotary Club Sprocket Newsletter

## IT'S PIAKER TIME



**Matt Piaker**  
Rotary President 2018-2019

From the green of the Thompson Country Club, the making green in the market, we bring you the magic, the pageantry that is Matt Piaker. What can you expect from his honor President Piaker? Typically a complete lack of interest in World Cup matches (Croatia vs France for those who want to know), but a complete attention focus on all things golf or green related. As a fairly new player to the sport he has fallen deep into lure of freshly cut grass (Zoysia NOT Maui Wowie), or the cool antiseptic sting of a 25 foot putt that leans to the left rims the cup and drops in for par or better yet birdie. All this hoopla is just hyperbole since the true power behind the man is pictured at right in the form of Rosemary who keeps this eager doo gooder in check. We look forward to a great year of action, fund-raising and leadership, good luck Rosemary Matt!

A an end of the year note for Maureen, if you look at the photo at right seem a year of speeches has worn on Andrew DeFranza who seems to be spacing out as Maureen drones on and on. Tough crowd to win over especially when they are thinking about CITC's.



### Distinguished Citizen Award

Molly Martins was our Distinguished Citizen 2017, John Thompson. Longtime friend of John, Neil gave a speech that listed the very essence of what this award is about. John's accomplishments are so numerous they couldn't fit in this page. Safe to say Neil keeps excellent company and John is more than a worthy recipient of this award from our club. Perhaps even more amazing Neil kept his intro to less than 5 minutes!!!!



### Paul Harris Fellow

Rick Mooney turned fifty shades of red as he was announced as a Paul Harris Fellow. He was supported by his family who came to cheer him on. He did thank Joanna his wife for being there for everything including TMI details about their private life! Yikes, we thought this was a PG club. If you were keeping score at home Rick went from Petunia Pink to Vermilion Scorch in a matter of seconds. Huzzah Rick well done!



### Paul Harris Fellow

Ed Cahill was very surprised but not as surprised as the club who actually saw Mayor Cahill at a Rotary meeting. Ed is more than deserving this award. As the strong silent type he speaks loud and clear with his deeds. To out do Rick Mooney, Ed was joined by the extended Cahill clan AND the Mooney clan who he married into, and has never regretted it. No fines for Ed this week as Mayor Cahill ponied up some loose change to keep the masses quiet. Congrats Ed knighthood is around corner.



### Paul Harris Fellow

Tom Chatellier the joker from Jerzee, was honored for his massive amount of work done as club treasurer among many other services. Did you know Tom was the head henchman back in the day? Attending Brown before Kennedy and Carter President kids he blazed a trail that wife Michelle commented "is too hot for the printed page". Well done, well earned, Well well well, Weezer fell in the well.



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## Last time at the Beverly Rotary Club...

### REMINDER NO MEETING THIS WEEK

2018-2019 Installation.

Her final meeting as President was called to order by Maureen Trefry at 6:58 pm (Yes, that was 2 minutes early, and we can only imagine Joe Bubrski, at the far end of the room stifling a giggle.)

For the first time this year, the Pledge of Allegiance was led by outgoing Prez Maureen Trefry, followed by Freddie Doeringer and Diane Palter-Gill leading us in song. Andrew DeFranza led us in another invigorating invocation.

"Happy Birthday" was not sung for anyone. Wha' happen'd?!

The following were guests of the Beverly Rotary club: (Too many to count on all of my fingers and toesies!)

**Guests of Rotarians:** (Again, too many to count on all of my fingers and toesies!)

Visiting from other Rotary clubs were: Molly Martins and family.

### Announcements:

If you are not here to attend the annual Beverly Rotary Installation, it is time to skeddadle.

Once again, a special thanks to Landmark School, Bob Broudo, and the cooking and serving staff for hosting the Installation. A shout -out to Sean Goudreau for figuring out how to turn off the sprinklers. Bob reminisced about the various and numerous places that were but are no longer, the changing face of Beverly, and the consistency of Beverly Rotary's contribution to Beverly and the region.

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** NONE. And, in the name of everyone, the scribe offers a well-earned, HALLELUYAH!

Happy dollars and announcements: NONE. Was no one happy? You could have fooled me.

### Program: Annual Installation.

Video Tribute: Lee Yaffa presented a very moving video tribute to Dick Wylie, who recently passed away. Well presented and even more so, well deserved. We will dearly miss you, Dick!

Dinner: And what a feast it was!  
Installation of Officers for 2018-2019: Rick Mooney presided. Then all of the new officers were installed. In case you missed it (absent or intoxicated):

President	Matthew Piaker
First Vice President	David C Olson
Second Vice President	Marshall Handy
Treasurer	Dylan Jones
Assistant Treasurer	Susan Osborne
Secretary	Jacqueline Rapisardi
Directors until 2019	Sean Goudreau Rick Ciolino Frederica Doeringer Susan Gabriel William Scanlon Derek Maxfield Maureen Trefry
Directors until 2020	
Ex-officia	

### Retiring Officers and Directors. Thank you for your service!

Retiring Treasurer	Thomas Chattelier
Retiring Asst Secretary	Almiris Verga
Retiring ex-officio	William Beckman
Retiring Directors	Dave Contarino Christopher Haight Andrew DeFranza

### Presentation of Paul Harris Fellows: Jack Good introduced the presenters.

Bill Beckman presented a Paul Harris Fellow award to our own, charming, Chin Friction, previous president: Rick Mooney. Rick was totally surprised, and he was thrilled to see family members join the crowd. Warm and well-deserved congratulations to Rick, Joanna, and family.

Maureen Trefry presented Mike Cahill, who went then went on to present a Paul Harris Fellow award to our own, unassuming, but always volunteering, and, of course, Mike's older brother: Ed Cahill. Also Ed was totally surprised, and due to the intermarriage between Cahills and Mooney, there were already LOTS of family members in attendance. Mike's presentation was, by a good margin,

the snarkest one. (We can fine Ed for that next week!) Warm and well-deserved congratulations to Ed, Liz, and family.

Don Kelley presented, partially via an enchanting retrospective video show (prepared by whom?) a Paul Harris Fellow award to our own, unassuming, recently retired, but always volunteering, and almost retired rock band member: Tom Chattelier. Again, Tom was totally surprised, and he was thrilled to see family members join the crowd. Warm and well-deserved congratulations to Tom, Michele, and family.

Andrew DeFranza presented, ad-libbing from a speech prepared by Bob Murphy, a Distinguished Citizen award to a previous member, now affiliated with the Wenham Rotary Club, founder of the Academy at Penguin Hall, and, of course, donator of the yearly North of Forty Turkey: Molly Martins. Molly was NOT surprised, although it is not quite clear who let the turkey out of the bag. (Don't tell anyone, but Molly acknowledged that the Beverly meetings remain the most fun to attend.) Warm and well-deserved congratulations to Molly, Al, and family.

Recognition and remarks - Maureen Trefry: Maureen offered parting comments. It was a sorta, almost teary farewell for Maureen, and hearty congratulations to Paul Trefry.

Words from our (new) President - Matthew Piaker: Matt started out by thanking everyone. Matt pointed to the new logo and theme for 2018-2019: "Be the Inspiration." In an invigorating speech, Matt encourage each and every member to continue to be an inspiration. Matt expressed his hopes to continue the legacy of Maureen and the other preceding presidents. Matt declared this year to be the "Year of Collaboration" for Beverly Rotary.

### Raffle Winner:

No raffle, but we were all winners.

Meeting Adjourned: 9:18 pm

Scribe of the week: A slightly cleaned up Neil (the snail) Bernstein.



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