

Here is a summary of March 1st, 2018 today's meeting:

- President John gave Jim Hennigan the floor to remind us of the upcoming Fundraiser for Mary Mulvey Jacobson's Families In Need. The Fundraiser is scheduled to be at Costello's Tavern, Jamaica Plain on Saturday March 24th from 8pm-11pm. Cost of tickets are \$25 per ticket. For tickets visit <https://tinyurl.com/MMJFamiliesinneed> or by mailing a check to : Families in Need, PO BOX 320113, West Roxbury, MA 02132. E-mail WRBPA2@gmail.com with questions about donations or tickets.
- Tonight is the big night! Our Trivia night will be at Brannelly's in Roslindale. The event starts at 7:30, but show up early for food and drink. Cost will be \$10 per person or \$60 for a team of six. Ken and Jan Cunningham will be donating a Lottery Scratch Ticket Board to be raffled off. Thanks to all our members who will be representing our club!
- Keep in mind that our Kiwanis/YMCA, co-sponsored "Comics for Kiwanis" Charity Event, that has been confirmed to be on Friday, May 18th starting at 8pm at the Elks Club in West Roxbury. Tickets will be \$30 per person, which will include a BBQ dinner and desserts. Comics will include Tony V, Chance Langton, Hugo Maienza and Michele Mortensen! Tickets will be limited to 250 Contact yours truly to purchase tickets. As well, you can purchase tickets on our web site. We are selling ads for the program. Full page ads are on sale for \$125 and half page ads for \$65. Go on line to our web site for ad sheets and please help out by soliciting a couple of ads!
- Reminder; there will be a Governor's Visit Dinner on Tuesday March 27th at the Morse Tavern, 85 East Central Street, Natick, MA 01760. This function will be sponsored by the Natick Club and will begin at 6:30pm. Cost will be \$20 per person. We hope to have a good showing of our members representing our club.
- on Thursday, March 15th, we will be having our annual St. Patrick's Day feast. As usual, the lunch will be sponsored by Alan MacKinnon and The Gardens Cemetery. Thank you Alan!
- Since we are thanking Alan, we need to thank him again for supplementing today's lunch with sandwiches from the Corrib Pub. This was great timing as our regular lunch was a bit late.
- President John has requested that I spread the word that the Rose's Bounty Food Pantry is in need of volunteers for the following dates; Friday March 9th at 3:00pm to unload the delivery from the Greater Boston Food Bank. Saturday March 10th from 1pm -2pm for set up and 2-4pm for the Food Pantry, then 4-5pm for clean-up. Finally on Tuesday March 13th from 10-11am for set up and 11am-1pm for Food Pantry, then 1-2pm for clean-up.
- If you have not done so at all or recently, please log onto our Web-Site. Vice President Warren Frank has worked hard to make it a first class destination to go if you need to confirm information in regards to upcoming events, purchase tickets, find links to related sites, etc. Find our website at www.kiwanisboston.org. You will need a password (westrox2001) to get into the members only sections.

I believe that is all for now. See many of you tonight.

Bob McNeil