

Weekly Meeting Summary March 30th, 2017:

Hi everyone- With President Sean Brennan and Vice-President Beth Arienti unable to attend, Past Lt. Governor Bob McNeil asked me to run this week's meeting. Bob made a cameo appearance and enjoyed a couple of steak tips before he needed to leave!

Our special guests this week were leaders from the Allston Brighton Kiwanis Club. President Dave Hill as well as long time Kiwanian Bill Margolin and his wife, and Kiwanis member, Bryna Leeder, came to promote the annual Kiwanis Star event which take place on Saturday evening, April 29th at St. Joseph Preparatory High School in Allston. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$5 for children. Typically, there are 12 or 13 singing acts who are judged with prizes to the top 3. Guest host is the always entertaining Dan Andelman, host of The Phantom Gourmet. If you do know any talented singers who would like to audition, the audition fee is \$20 and will take place next Saturday, April 8th, at the Abundant Grace Church in Brighton. For more info, you can contact Dave Hill at [kiwanisstar@gmail.com](mailto:kiwanisstar@gmail.com)<mailto:kiwanisstar@gmail.com>. Over the years, Alan MacKinnon, Greg Karr, Sean, Bob, Barbara McNeil, and myself have been able to attend so hopefully we will be able to represent our club again this year!

We welcomed Kelly Wheaton from Rockland Trust to our meeting again this week. We look forward to inducting Kelly in a week or two into our club!!

Marion Kelly informed us that the Y's Healthy Kids Day will take place on Saturday, April 29th from 10-12. There are opportunities to set up a table either for Kiwanis and/or local businesses. More details to come!

Joe Murphy and the Chef's Table Foundation are joining up with the Corrib Road Race which takes place on Sunday, June 4th. Part of the proceeds if you sign up through Joe will go to the Chef's Table Foundation.

THIS COMING THURSDAY: We do not have any guest speakers scheduled so it will be a regular business meeting at 12:15.

THE FOLLOWING THURSDAY (4/13): Paul Murphy has arranged for us to meet at the Roslindale Public Library. We will be having lunch at the library and will be joined for lunch by members of the library staff! This meeting will commence at 12:15. We will need an RSVP as we will be ordering a special lunch that day. You can e-mail Paul by going to our website [www.kiwanisboston.org](http://www.kiwanisboston.org)<<http://www.kiwanisboston.org>> or by e-mailing him directly at the above address. If you have been unable to attend a meeting lately, this might be a good one to make plans to attend!

For more info on our club and events around town, please check out our website. Warren has been updating the site pretty much daily or whenever news comes in. There is info on May's Softball Game as well as the Night of Celebration for Judy Leon.

Bob will take a tally of our pot for our quarterly drawing. Chances are we will have this drawing some time later in April. In addition, we hope to be able to have an upcoming meeting at the Edelweiss Village at the Deutsches Altenheim. It will be great to see Henry Winkler once again!