

Y's Men of Westport/Weston, Inc.



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THURSDAY OCT 3

Joseph Agris, MD, is the author of a book entitled "Tears On The Sand" which is about an American Doctor's mission of Mercy that becomes his search for the World's most wanted man, Osama Bin Laden.

THURSDAY OCT 10

Joseph McNay is the Chairman of Essex Investment Management Company LLC, which is responsible for changing investment policies of the class of Yale 1954, when the Yale 1954 reunion President decided that the present investment policies were not creating enough income for their 50th class reunion. This new effort came to be called the 54/50 fund. Joe was asked to handle their fund instead of Yale. Joe took their modest present class fund and turned it into a staggering \$114 Million.

THURSDAY OCT 17

Danielle Ogden is the Director of Education at the Westport Art Center. She will be talking about WAC gives back program dealing with "Homes for the Brave," a homeless shelter in Bridgeport for military veterans, using various techniques from the art world.

THURSDAY OCT 24

Brian Nurnberger is the Founder of "Simply Smiles," a local charity dedicated to providing a better life for children on the Cheyenne River Indian Reservation in South Dakota and in the poorest regions of Oaxaca, Mexico. Their funding comes from local donations and the sale of coffee which "Simply Smiles" manufactures in Mexico.

THURSDAY OCT 31

Donny Beaver founded HalenHardy, a member of the Marcellus Shale Coalition which manages the Environmental, Health & Safety of their Shale Oil Operations.

FUTURE MEETINGS

Nov 7 **Jim Hines**, *Democratic U.S. Representative, CT's 4th Congressional District*
Nov 14 **Jim Greenberg**
History of the Chocolate Industry
Nov 21 **Tony Boucher**, *Republican Deputy Minority Leader of CT State Senate*

IN MEMORIAM

John Vornle

NEW MEMBERS

Last Name	First Name	Phone
Bancroft	Donald	203-557-8374
Salm	Harold	203-226-5026
Tetrault	Curt	203-454-3397

ANNUAL DUES

To renew your membership for 2013-2014 you need to pay your dues. The annual dues are \$50, but increase to \$60 after Nov. 1. Make your check payable to the Y's Men of Westport/Weston. Payment along with the renewal form (available on the website under Membership) may be mailed to P.O. Box 167, Westport, CT 06881-0167 or put in the "Membership Renewal" box on the Trips & Events table at a Thursday meeting. Direct questions to **Elliott Netherton**, Treasurer.

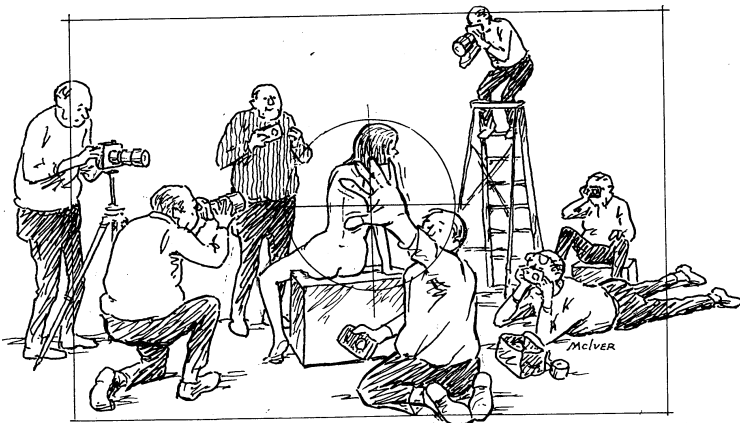
BOOK CLUB

At its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, September 19, the book group discussed "Mrs. Dalloway" by Virginia Woolf. The group found this landmark novel by one of the twentieth century's leading novelists to be a challenging and rewarding read. **Dave Thompson** led the discussion. Chosen for discussion on October 17 was the Russian classic "Dead Souls" by Nikolai Gogol. This will be the second work by a Russian author which the group has selected within the past twelve months; the other one was "Fathers and Sons" by Ivan Turgenev, discussed last November. For this November, the group gave the nod to "So Long See You Tomorrow" by William Maxwell.

The group meets on the third Thursday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00 PM in the Board Room at the Westport Family Y. All Y's Men are welcome! Dave Thompson, Bruce Allen and Dick Troxell are the book club leaders if you have any questions.

CAMERA CLUB

SAVE THIS DATE: October 25. This is the date of the GALA opening of the Y's Men Camera Club and Westport Senior Center Tenth Annual Photo Contest and Exhibition. Entries for the EXPO will be accepted from September 12 to October 10. Get your application forms and EXPO Rules from the Camera Club desk at Y's Men General meetings, from the Senior Center or from the Camera Club page on the Y's Men website. Make arrangements to purchase print mats from **Buddy Rubin** at (203) 454-0445 or from the Camera Club desk. You don't have to be a member of the Club to participate. There are great awards for contest winners. Good exposure (pardon the pun) for all entrants.



Check out what's going on with the camera club...

GARDEN CLUB

The Garden club is winding down our year. Tuesday, October 1, 10 AM we visit Frances Palmer's wonderful Dahlia garden in Weston. Dahlias bloom until frost and are great right now, photographers take note. Wednesday, October 15, we have trip in combination with Trips and Entertainment to McLaughlin's winery in Sandy Hook, We will carpool from Merritt Pkw. Exit 42 at 10 AM and view Fall colors on the way up. Wine tasting followed by lunch at a great local diner. Bring your wife. Our last event for the year will be a presentation about garden planning in early November.

GOLF

Seven Y's Men teams braved gorgeous weather and great course conditions (with the major exception of the now infamous waffle greens) on Wednesday September 18th at Longshore and were rewarded with a wonderful day of competitive golf. The Longshore staff and pro's were great. The winners were as follows. "Low Gross Team" with a Par Round of 69 was the threesome of Chuck Foster, Dick Hagan and Bill Haas. The "Low Net Team" consisted of Tord Carmel, Bob Galan, Preston Koster and Gun Moen also recording a 69. Closest to the Line on #6 was Dick Hagan. "Closest to the Pin" on #8, Peter Knight. Bob Galan clocked the "Longest Drive" on #14 landing somewhere out there past 200 yards. And "Closest to the Pin" on #15 was Bill Hass. Once again many of the participants gathered afterwards at Mario's to relive and relate the good shots, extending a great day just a little longer.

TRIPS & EVENTS

- Oct 13 Rhinebeck Air Show
 - Oct 18 Museum of American Finance NYC
 - Oct 20 Downtown Cabaret Man in Black
 - Oct 22 /dubber /2 LaPoella, Norwalk
 - Oct 29 Aircraft Carrier Intrepid Museum NYC
- Details and sign up at the Trips and Events table.

WALKING/HIKING CLUB

On October 8th the Tuesday Walking group is going to walk the Appalachian Trail from Cornwall CT to Kent CT. All walkers and hikers are invited to take part. This includes the Wednesday, Friday and Sunday Hikers with wives, girl friends and significant others. Contact **Art Greenberg** for more details.

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