

Y's Men of Westport/Weston, Inc.



NEWSLETTER <http://www.ysmenwestportweston.org>

May 2, 2013

Enlightenment • Fellowship • Community service in retirement

THURSDAY MAY 2

James H. Canton, Chief Executive Officer, has a long record with *The Hole in the Wall Gang Camp* since it began in 1988. During that time he has been a counselor, unit leader, Assistant Director and for eight years, Camp Director. He was appointed as Chief Executive Officer in the spring of 2002. As Camp Director, Mr. Canton led the development of various programs to extend the healing touch of Camp throughout the year. What began as a summer camp in 1988 serving 288 children has grown, under Mr. Canton's leadership, to a year-round center serving more than 20,000 children and family members annually.

THURSDAY MAY 9

Thomas C. Foley "Tom" is a former U.S. Ambassador to Ireland, Connecticut businessman and was the Republican candidate in the 2010 gubernatorial election in Connecticut.

THURSDAY MAY 16

To Be Announced

THURSDAY MAY 23

Picnic – See Below

IN MEMORIAM

Vincent "Vince" DePierro

New Members

Last Name	First Name	Phone
Buchman	Robert	203-344-5292
Taranko	Steve	203-254-7030

BOARD MEMBERS 2013–2014:

Officers: President, Brian Strong 1st VP Marty Yellin; 2nd VP Program Chairman, Arthur Greenberg; Secretary, Chris Lewis; Assistant Secretary, Roy Fuchs; Treasurer, Elliott Netherton; Assistant Treasurer, Les Wolf; Past President, Roy McKay.

DIRECTORS COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Community Service, Peter Powell; Historian, Peter Sternbach; Membership, Larry Hirsch; Communications Committee, Bill Balch; Trips & Events, John Skinner.

DIRECTORS AT LARGE:

Peter Shih, Ted Voss, Dan Wilder

NON-BOARD MEMBERS– COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Art Editor, Hank McIver; Audio Visual Support, Mario Sa Couto; Ancient Mariners, Mario Sa Couto, Brian Strong; Backgammon, Woody Bliss, Larry Hirsch; Book Club, Dick Troxell, Bruce Allen; Bowling, Al DeLardi, Carl Liba; Bridge, Mario SaCouto, Bob Sussman, Lawrence Waterbury; Camera Club, Interim leader Bill Balch ; Collectible Club, Rick Towers, Tony Valenti; Coffee, Mario Ottaviano; Facilities, Harry Audley; Family Y Liaison, Pete Wolgast; Genealogy Club, Woody Bliss, Fred Rosen; Golf, Kirk Gillies; Health, Austen Doolittle, Bob Fatherly, Steve Raffel; Hiking, Chris Lewis Malcolm Davies; Hoot Owls, Jorgen Jensen, Mike Burke, Peter Chelico, Nat Magida; Internal Financial Reviewer, Stu Rogan; International Discussion Group, Mike Belaga, Peter Nathan; Investment Group, Brian Strong; Jazz Group, Brian Strong; Layout Editor, Paul Cohen; Legal, Alan Nevas; Macintosh Users Roundtable, Sal Mollica, Peter Sternbach; Medical Advice, Arthur Ashman, Richard Ellis, Len Flom, Marty Krauthamer; Memoir Writing, Bob Fatherly; Newsletter Editor, Steve Raffel; Photographers, Larry Untermeyer, Bill Balch; Public Relations, John Brandt, Ed Bloch, Roy Fuchs; Skiing, Stu Weisberg; Table Tennis, Bruce Allen; Tennis (Winter), Otis Crawford; Tennis (Summer), John Luscombe; Video, Bruce Allen, Austen Doolittle; Web Site, Bill Balch.

ANNUAL MEETING & PICNIC:

Our Annual Meeting and Picnic will be on Thursday, May 23 from 10 AM to 2 PM at the Sherwood Island State Park Pavilion. This is a great way to wrap up a wonderful year and enjoy the fellowship of your friends. This year we have a fun filled program including music by Hare and Sternbach followed by a delicious picnic lunch. Please let us know if you are coming by signing up at the next meeting – cost only \$10.00.

TRIPS & EVENTS

May 6 – The Trip to the Federal Reserve Bank and Federal Hall will take place on Monday, May 6, 2013. Guided tours are set for both venues. Lunch will be at

Fraunces Tavern. Transportation will be by Metro North, Subway and by Foot. The trip is all filled and cannot accept any new members.

May 21 – Y's men/ Long Wharf theatre group "Clybourne Park" Wednesday, May 21 at Long Wharf Theatre 1:00 PM "Behind the Scenes" 2:00 PM Play 4:30 PM Talk Back.

Sep 19 – Take the Y's Men's bus to enjoy the Rodgers & Hammerstein musical "Carousel" at the Goodspeed Opera House. Price is \$107 per person. Includes lunch at the Griswold Inn in Essex. Contact **Warren Rossell** 226-5357.

For latest information and more details please visit the T&E Section of the club website.

BOOK CLUB

The Book Club will meet on Thursday, May 16th at 1:30 in the Board Room at the Family Y. The book to be discussed is "Love in the Time of Cholera" by Gabriel Garcia Marquez.

COLLECTORS' CLUB

The Collectors Club will end the year with a special event. Member **Bob Weiss** has invited us to his house to experience his marvelous and nationally-known collection of hundreds of antique US mechanical banks (and several antique cars). This will be at 1 PM on Tuesday, May 1, at 24 Wedgewood Road in Westport. Due to space limitations, if you'd like to attend this special session, please notify **Rick Towers** (Towersme@aol.com or 227-6530).

GOLF OUTING

May 15 Longshore Spring Golf Outing First Tee Time 12 Noon Florida/Step Aside Scramble. Randomly assigned Foursomes compete as a team. A very friendly format. Open to all Y's Men. No Rec or Golf Passes required. No Handicaps Necessary) Callaway Scoring System Will be Used to determine winning "net" team). Prizes will be announced at the May 16th Regular Meeting for Low Net Foursome Low Gross Foursome Closest to the Pin, Closest to the Line, Longest Drive. \$40 Cash Payment on the First Tee. Casual gathering at Mario's after the round. Sign up at the Travel Desk or email KirkGillies@aol.com

TENNIS - SUMMER

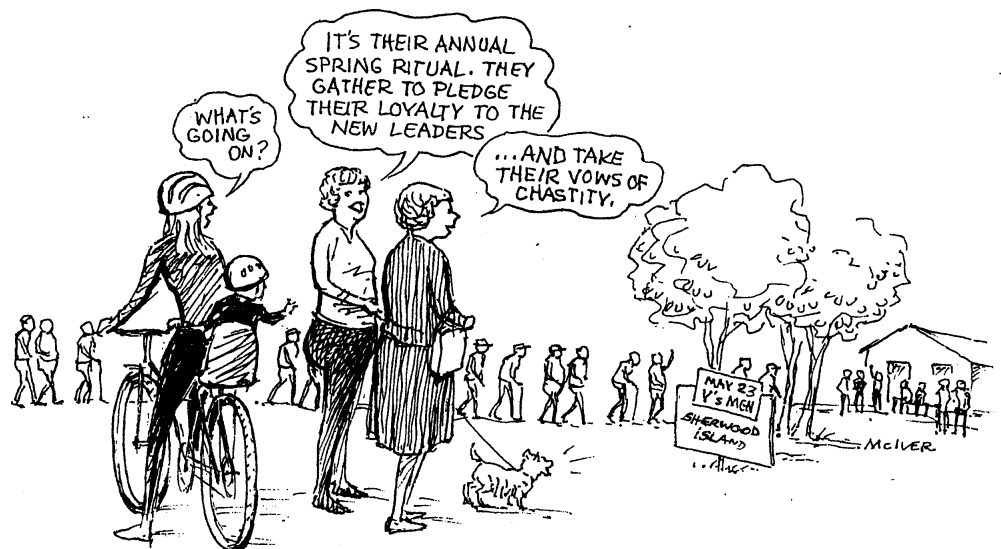
Summer tennis begins Tuesday May 21. We play on Tuesdays and Fridays 8:00 to 9:30 at Longshore. For more information call **John Luscombe** 227-0393, **Peter Kohlbrenner** 227-0137 or **Otis Crawford** 341-0290. We have three groups of 12 and are always in need of subs. We have 5 courts on the days we play. If you have been a scheduled or substitute player during the indoor season you are on the sub list or playing list for the summer. If you have not played and want to play please call John, Peter or Otis. A tennis pass for Westport residents is the least expensive way to play. We need to collect \$45 to pay for tennis balls and to pay for the privilege of reserving the courts for the season (\$1000). The summer schedule will soon be on the Tennis Web Page of the Y's men's Web site. We are starting later this year due to playing longer indoors.

MEETING SCHEDULE

May 2	James H. Canton
May 9	Thomas C. Foley
May 1	To Be Announced
May 23	Annual Meeting and Picnic

TRIPS & EVENTS

Federal Reserve
Clybourne Park
"Carousel"



Editor—Steve Raffel
Production—Paul Cohen
Mailing—Lou Rolla
Website—Bill Balch