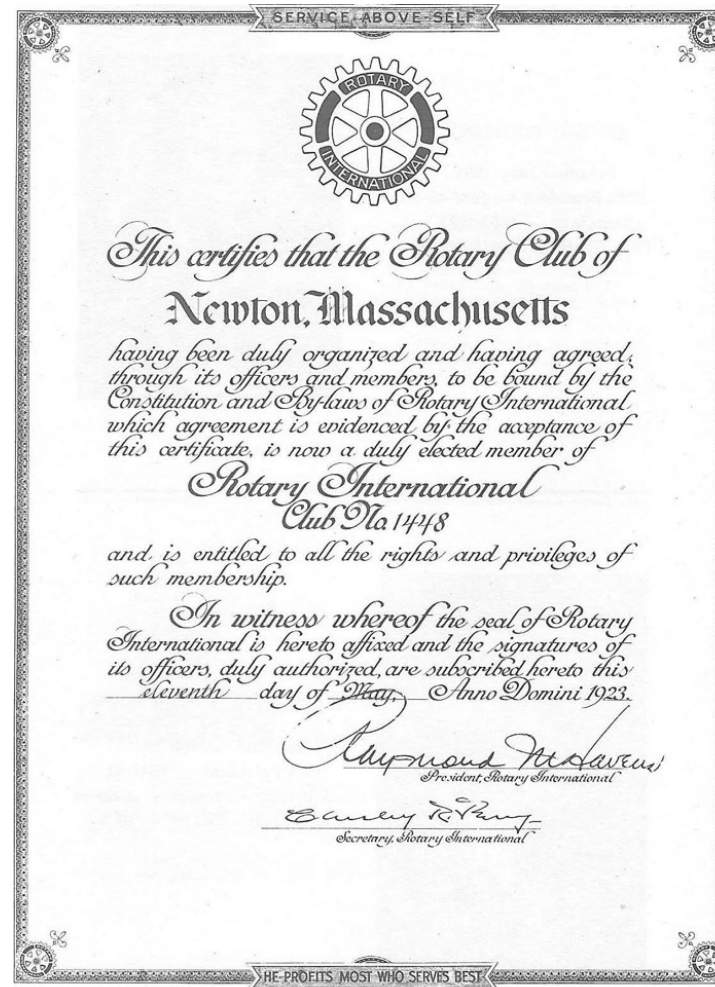
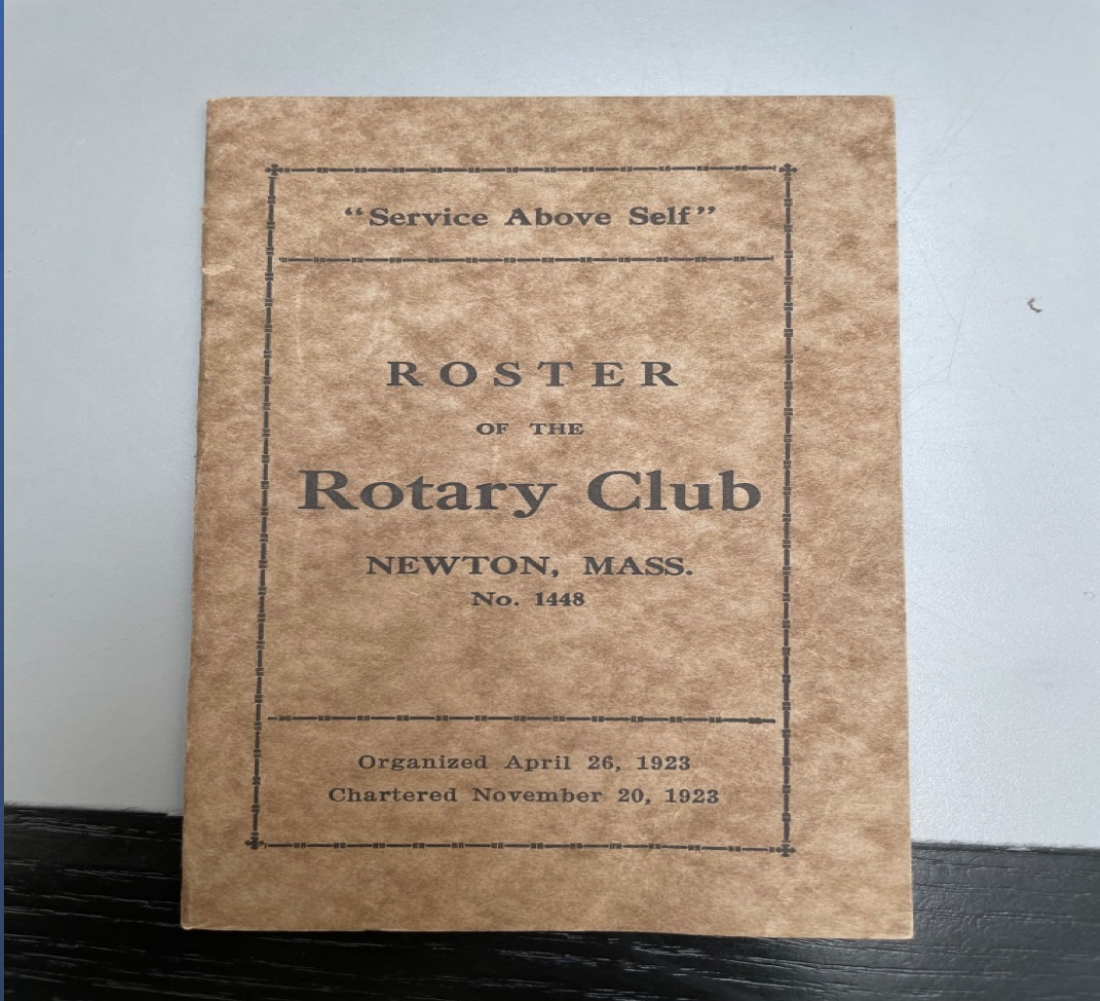




The Original 1923 Charter





Programme

INFORMAL RECEPTION 6.30 to 7.00

SONG "America"

INVOCATION

REV. CHARLES H. MOSS
Past President Rotary Club of Malden, Mass.

BANQUET

REMARKS

Mr. WILLIAM T. HALLIDAY
President Rotary Club of Newton, Mass.

ROLL CALL OF CLUBS "Make it Snappy"

ADDRESS OF WELCOME

Hon. EDWIN O. CHILDS, Mayor of Newton
Member Rotary Club of Newton, Mass.

ADDRESS and PRESENTATION OF CHARTER

Judge ROBERT W. HILL, of Salem, Mass.
Past Governor Thirty-first Rotary District

ADDRESS and ROTARY CHARGE to Newton Members

Mr. DANIEL F. SULLIVAN
Governor Thirty-first Rotary District

ADDRESS

Rev. EDWARD CUMMINGS
President World Peace Foundation
Member Rotary Club of Boston

SONG "Star Spangled Banner"

DANCING

... Menu ...

SEAFOOD COCKTAIL

CREAM OF TOMATO AUX CROUTONS

ROLLS

CELERY

RADISHES

OLIVES

ROAST MILK-FED CHICKEN

CRANBERRY JELLY

POTATO CROQUETTES

HUBBARD SQUASH

APPLE, CELERY AND NUT SALAD

ANCRE CHEESE AND CRACKERS

RASPBERRY BISQUE

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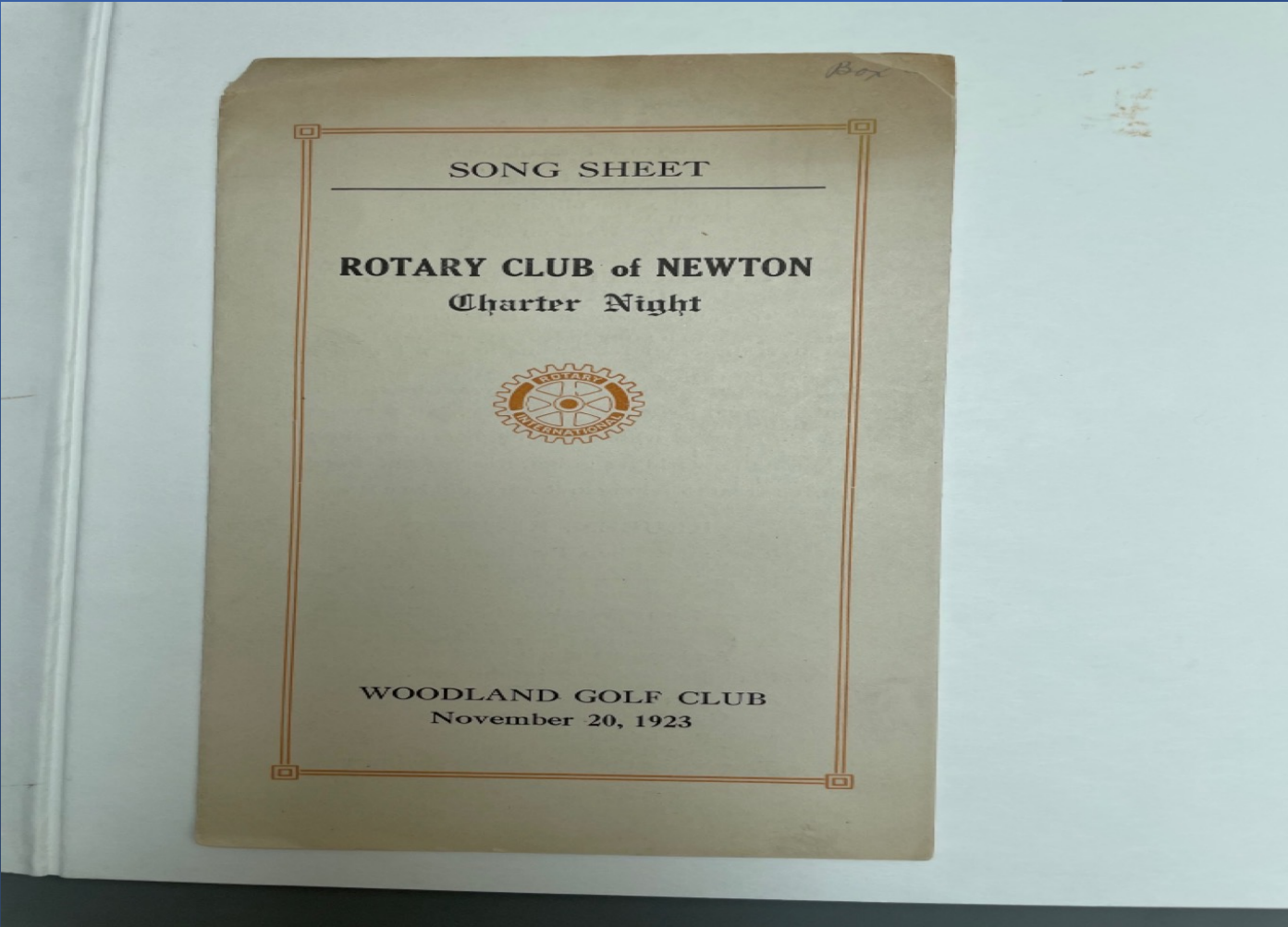
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List of Members

WILLIAM A. ALEXANDER.....	Knitted Goods
FRANCIS L. BACON.....	Public Schools
*HARRY W. BASCOM.....	Y.M.C.A. Secretary
*FRED R. BASLEY.....	Lumber Dealer
*JOHN C. BRIMBLECOM.....	Newspaper
*HON. EDWIN O. CHILDS.....	Lawyer
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*JOSEPH W. CROWELL.....	Tires
HAROLD T. DOUGHERTY.....	Librarian
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*WALTER H. GREGG.....	Undertaker
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*JOHN P. HARVELL.....	Telephone Service
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*ARTHUR L. LEBARON.....	Cordage Manufacturer
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*MARSHALL C. SPRING	Masons' Supplies
*VINCENT C. STANLEY	Fire Alarm Boxes
*RAYMOND T. STUART.....	Contractors
*THOMAS J. SULLIVAN.....	Wool Shoddy Manufacturer
G. WILBUR THOMPSON	Plumbing and Heating
*DUNCAN WRIGHT	Yarns

*CHARTER MEMBERS

Club Organized
 April 24, 1923, by Rotary Clubs of Boston and Malden
 William T. Halliday, Special Representative
 Assisted by
 William E. Bamburgh, Past Governor, 31st Rotary District



1

AMERICA

My country! 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died
Land of the pilgrims' pride
From ev'ry mountain side
Let freedom ring!

2

ITS GREAT TO BELONG TO ROTARY

(Tune, "It's Nice to Get Up in the Morning")

Oh, it's great to belong to Rotary and be a Rotarian
To meet the other fellow and to help him if you
can
To call him Dick or Harry, or Jim or Bill or Dan,
Oh, it's great to belong to Rotary, and be a Rotarian
Oh! it's great to belong to Rotary, and serve your
fellowman;
He profits most who serves the best upon the Ro-
tary Plan;
Around the world it's going, this "Brotherhood of
Man";
Oh, it's great to belong to Rotary and be a Rotarian

3

REUBEN, REUBEN

Reuben, Reuben, I've been thinking
Would they make me ride the goat
If I made an application
To become a regular "Rote?"
They do say that these here fellers
Are the liv'est bunch agoin'
Well, you know I'm from Missouri
And can stand a lot of showin'.
Find their object is just boosting
Anything that comes their way.
One good turn deserves another—
Guess that they have come to stay.
Well I've joined them and believe me
I'm not sorry that I did.
They've just poked me full of ginger
Now I think that I'm some kid.

First they asked me "What's my business?"
"None of yours." I said darn quick,
Then they said that I was welcome.
'Cause that business didn't conflict.
At the luncheons I am reg'lar
You bet I watch what I'm about.
If you're absent only four times
They just tell you to get out.
Well, now fellers, I am with you
In anything you take hold
But let's quit this gol-darn singing
'Fore our luncheon gets too cold.

4 **LI'L LIZA JANE**

I'se got a gal and you got none, Li'l Liza Jane,
I'se got a gal and you got none, Li'l Liza Jane,
Chorus {Ohe, Liza, Li'l Liza Jane,
{Ohe, Liza Li'l Liza Jane.
Come my love and marry me, Li'l Liza Jane,
I will take good care of thee, Li'l Liza Jane.
Chorus

Liza Jane done cum ter me, Li'l Liza Jane,
Bof as happy as can be, Li'l Liza Jane
Chorus

Ev'ry mawn'in when I wakes, Li'l Liza Jane,
Smell de ham and buckwheat cakes, Li'l Liza
Jane
Chorus

Never mo' from you I'll roam, Li'l Liza Jane,
Bestest place is home, sweet home, Li'l Liza
Jane.
Chorus

Come my lads of Rotaree, Li'l Liza Jane,
Lift your hands and rise to me, Li'l Liza Jane.
Chorus

5 **ANNABELLE**

Oh, Annabelle! Oh, Annabelle! you've made a wild
man out of me
'Cause ev'ry day—in ev'ry way—you got me jeal-
ous as can be;

There's just one thing worries me, dear;
You've got six engagement rings, I hear.
I've got a Ford—I've got a flat,—
There's only one more payment due---
I've got a dog---I've got a cat---
And honey, all I need is you.
I won't even fret or fuss if your mother lives with
us,
Oh, Annabelle! Oh, Annabelle!
When will the bells ding dong for me?

6 **PRESIDENT "BILL" SONG**

(Tune, "Peggy O'Neil")

If his heart is big and true
That's President "Bill"
If his greeting's warm to you
That's President "Bill"
If his mission is Rotary-bent
If he looks like the President
Fine personality
Splendid mentality
That's President Bill.

7 **STAR SPANGLED BANNER**

Oh, say can you see, by the dawn's early light,
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's
last gleaming,
Whose broad stripes and bright stars, thro' the
perilous fight,
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gal-
lantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting
in air,
Gave proof through the night that our flag
was still there.
Chorus

Oh, say, does that star-spangled banner yet
wave
O'er the land of the free and the home of the
brave?



Newton Rotary Club A Community Resource

- **Charter Night For the Newton Rotary Club**
 - November 20, 2023, at the Woodland Golf Club
 - Over 200 Rotarians & Rotary Anns attended
 - Many - the Melrose, Quincy, Lynn and Salem clubs
 - First Board meeting was held on May 4, 1923
 - William T. Halliway- First President – Treasurer of the Newton Trust Co.
 - At an early meeting- President was directed to write a letter to the Newton Welfare Bureau endorsing the sale of Health Stamps.
 - Regular meetings – held at the old Newton Club on Walnut St
 - Charge for membership - \$1.25 (.\$.75/meal, \$.25 for the Newton Club and \$.25 for Newton Rotary).
 - Outings included visits to Mashbee Island on Buzzards Bay and Ladies Nights – Luncheons were moved to Normandie Restaurant at Norumbega Park.



Precedent Was Established

- ➔ In 1923 – a Boys Work Committee was formed – main charter – Financial assistance in the form of Scholarships (\$300 scholarship was established. Over the years students representing \$.
- ➔ In 1925 -Voted to not pay for any speakers at weekly meetings
- ➔ In 1926 -Club changed from a calendar year to our present July 1 to June 30th (fiscal year)
First Club President – Bill Halliday was sent to the Rotary International Convention in St Louis & subsequently (1936) established a Rotary International Convention Fund (used to defray President's expenses in attending the convention).
- ➔ In 1926 – Board of Directors authorized the Treasurer to bill each member in advance for luncheons and dues



Early Years of the Club – the Community Service Function

- Financial Assistance was Provided for:
 - Medical Treatment for a Polio Victim
 - Newton Welfare Bureau Christmas Program
 - Newton High School Musicale
 - Summer Camperships for Boys Scouts of the Peabody Home
 - Newton Scouts attending the Boy Scout Jamboree
 - The purchase of a wooden leg for a young Newton Boy
 - The payment of rent for a family where the wage earner was unemployed.

Newton Rotary sponsored the following clubs:

Concord in 1931

Brookline in 1938

Wellesley in 1946 and in conjunction with Brookline in 1966, co-sponsored Chestnut Hill Club



Only took six years to repay the Boston Club for its Sponsorship

Signs of the Times seen in the Club's History

- ➔ In 1930 – Mayor of Newton (Sinclair Weeks) asks Rotary to form committee to fight unemployment.
- ➔ Ladies night postponed to use funds to hire a man from the unemployment Bureau at City Hall.
- ➔ Christmas party gifts of 10¢ was wrapped in \$1 given to the chairman of the Rotary Club Unemployment Committee for distribution.
- ➔ Forest fire burnt out Nobscot area- financial assistance by the Rotary club = planting of 3900 new trees at this scout camp.
- ➔ At its 450th meeting achieved 100% attendance in 1931.
- ➔ In 1933, the Rotary International Convention was held in Boston – Newton Rotarians staffed the reception & Hospitality committees & supplied cars and drivers donated by club
- ➔ In 1933, the club formally approved a declaration supporting Pres. FDR program to lift the country out of depression

DURING THE PERIOD OF 1939-1943



Luncheon Speakers were authorities on the Far East, World Trade, European Governments & subjects of similar foreign concerns



Membership difficulties b/c of military services or changes in employment.



The club purchased War Bonds & encouraged members to do likewise

50th Year 1973

ROTARY CLUB OF NEWTON

OFFICERS 1973 - 1974

Chester L. Mosher, President
 John D. Fox, Vice President
 Joseph A. Craven, 2nd Vice President
 David S. Nixon, Secretary Alex R. Miller, Treasurer
 John P. Hurney, Sargent-at-Arms Artemas P. Richardson, Club Advisor

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

John B. Gregorian
 Thomas D. Keery
 Wallace A. Moyle, Jr.
 Keith C. Nelson
 Robert W. Spate

ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE

Wallace A. Moyle, Jr., Chairman
 Thomas H. Larsen, Vice Chairman
 William H. Rockwell, Jr., Vice Chairman
 Jack C. Hoover, History Editor
 Richard D. Thompson, Master of Ceremonies

Melvin A. Andell	John P. Hurney
John M. Balcom	Thomas D. Keery
Anthony J. Bibbo	Charles W. Laffin
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John D. Fox	Lewis M. Sherer, Jr.
Philip R. Holmes	Charles E. Smith
	Carnig J. Thomason

OUR PRESIDENTS

*William T. Halliday	1923-1925
*Ira S. Roe	1925-1926
Duncan Wright	1926-1927
*Cecil W. Clark	1927-1928
Arthur H. Ellis	1928-1929
*Charles D. Ansley	1929-1930
*Edward Mallus	1930-1931
Frank L. Richardson	1931-1932
*Walter L. McCammon	1932-1933
*Harry H. Hanson	1933-1934
Lyscom A. Bruce	1934-1935
James B. Melcher	1935-1936
*Walter H. Gregg	1936-1937
*Frank R. Clark	1937-1938
*Paul Ellicker	1938-1939
A. Norman Needy	1939-1940
*John J. Cahill	1940-1941
*Charles H. Meeker	1941-1942
*Mathew F. Ruane	1942-1943
*Herbert N. McGill	1943-1944
Orville O. Clapper	1944-1945
Warren W. Oliver	1945-1946
*Philip A. Enholm	1946-1947
Harold B. Gores	1947-1948
*Dwight Colburn	1948-1949
*Alfred P. Hartshorn	1949-1950
*Frank M. Simmons	1950-1951
*Fred A. Hawkins	1951-1952
E. Graham Bates	1952-1953
Charles E. Hilliard	1953-1954
*Richard J. White	1954-1955
Edwin F. Weidig	1955-1956
*Albert M. Kreider	1956-1957
*Raymond C. Wass	1957-1958
Theodore D. Clark	1958-1959
Alex R. Miller	1959-1960
Charles E. Smith	1960-1961
William Scar	1961-1962
Robert C. Deacon	1962-1963
Richard D. Thompson	1963-1964
Willard S. Pratt	1964-1965
*George A. McKenna	1965-1966
Walter H. Phillips	1966-1967
Carnig J. Thomason	1967-1968
Donald P. Frail	1968-1969
Stafford E. Davis	1969-1970
Minoru Horiuchi	1970-1971
Jack C. Hoover	1971-1972
James W. Stanley	1972-1973
Chester L. Mosher	1973-1974

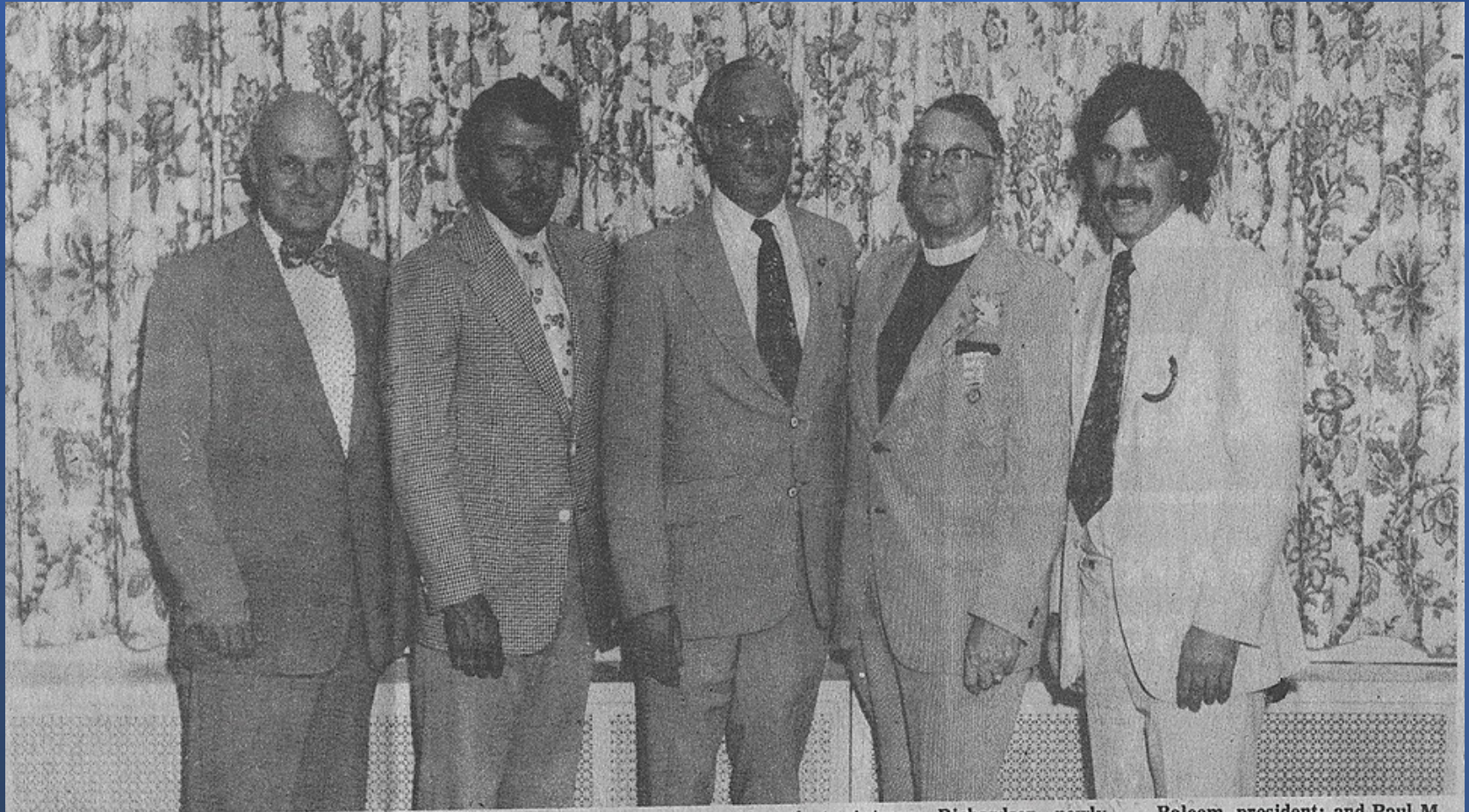
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1973 Roster

CLUB ROSTER

Lincoln Alvord	Thomas D. Keery ←
Melvin A. Andell	Robert Keyho
Adolf Andersen, Jr.	Charles W. Laffin
John M. Balcom	Thomas H. Larsen
Stanton D. Barclay	Alan R. Lukens
Carl A. Bartel	*Archie MacDonald
E. Graham Bates	Lawrence W. MacDonald
Anthony J. Bibbo ←	Willoughby M. Marshall
Richard E. Bolton	Sidney A. Marston
William S. Brines	Carlton P. Merrill
Carl O. Christenson	Alex R. Miller
†*Orville O. Clapper	William S. Morgan
Gilbert P. Clark	Chester L. Mosher
Thomas V. Cleveland	Wallace A. Moyle, Jr.
†*John E. Cox	Keith C. Nelson
Joseph A. Craven	David S. Nixon
Stafford E. Davis	Frederick C. Ober
Robert C. Deacon	*Warren W. Oliver
Mario DiCarlo	John B.G. Palen
Peter H. DeFoggio	Walter H. Phillips
Herbert G. Dunphy	Lewis S. Pilcher
Alan C. Epstein	Willard S. Pratt
Bennett A. Evans	William J.C. Pucciarelli
Joseph D. Ferrone	John Recco, Jr.
John D. Fox	Richard W. Reynolds
Donald P. Frail	Paul S. Rich
Gerard Gentile	William H. Rockwell ←
George A. Goodman	Arthur S. Scipione
Arthur T. Gregorian	Lewis M. Sherer, Jr.
John B. Gregorian	Murray E. Sholkin
*Charles E. Hilliard	Charles E. Smith
Philip R. Holmes	Reginald E. Smith
Jack C. Hoover	Robert W. Spate
Minoru Horiuchi	J. Ralph Stout
John P. Hurney ←	*Kurt H. Theophile
Richard A. Jones	Carnig J. Thomason
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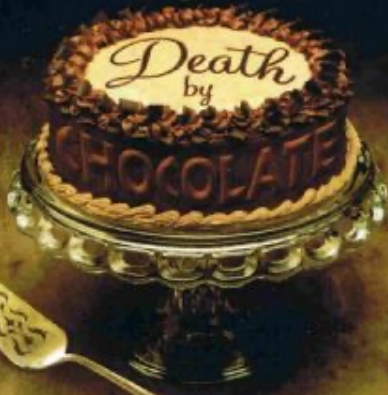




The 1978-79 officers of the Newton Rotary Club inducted recently are (from left) Chester L. Mosher, treasurer; Philip R. Holmes, president-elect; Artemas Richardson, newly elected director of Rotary International; the Rev. John Balcom, president; and Paul M. Kerrissey, vice president.



Dying for chocolate? Come to the 9th Annual



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Sunday, March 1, 2015

1:00 - 4:00pm

American Legion Post 440
295 California Street, Newton

For information & tickets visit

RotaryNewtonFestival.org

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JCC, 333 Nahanton Street, Newton Centre, MA 02459

Tickets Available at NewtonHasTalent.com

Rotary  | Addiction Prevention Seminar

**Please join us to learn how YOU
can help fight addiction in your community.**

Tuesday, May 29th 6pm – 9pm
The Price Center
27 Christina Street
Newton, MA 02461

To Register, Visit Rotary7910.org

Objectives of the Seminar

- Learn about the driving forces of addiction, and how to raise awareness and initiate change that will effectively work to reduce rates of addiction.
- Collaborate with other community members and professionals on how to prevent addiction.
- Find out how to replicate this seminar in your own community.

Rotary understands that addiction, like polio, is a preventable global disease. Rotarians in clubs across the country are mobilizing to bring solutions to the epidemic. This program is the launch of a new initiative to unite Rotary Clubs, the community, the public health sector and drug prevention specialists to raise awareness about what perpetuates addiction and about ways to be part of the solution.

The short, interactive seminar has been designed for easy replication and scalability for Rotary Clubs, individuals, and community organizations across the country to deliver in their communities and regions.

This program is designed for anyone in the community who is interested in taking action to reduce drug use and addiction.

**This program is hosted by the Rotary Club of Newton.
RotaryNewton.org**





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