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A MONTHLY BULLETIN OF THE BC CLUB OF CAPE COD



SEPT 8 ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

SUPPORTING VETERANS

The annual tournament will be held at Dennis Highlands Golf Course starting at 8:00 a.m. A barbeque lunch is at 1:00 and non-golfers can join the BBQ for \$35.00. To register go to

www.bcclubofcapecod.com/events

TUES, SEPT 26

EAGLEFEST

Join the club for a "Jesuit Juice" Brew on Tues, 9/26 at 4:00 at Barnstable Brewing - a BC family brewing establishment - in Hyannis. Cost is \$15. per person and includes one beer flight. Questions contact Maureen O'Leary at

mso417@me.com.

WED, OCT 25

BACK TO THE HEIGHTS!

Stay tuned for information about a BC Club trip to the Heights. Featuring BC Historian Jim O'Toole and author of *Ever to Excel*, BC Cape alum will convene in Gasson to explore BC's past, present, and future!

Questions contact Mary Ellen Joyce at mejphd@gmail.com.



2023 SS LOBSTER ROLL MEMORIES

Another year of Lobster Cruises goes into the record books for attendance, food, and fun! Two full voyages sailed out of Sesuit Harbor in July and August. BC alum shared libations and lobster with friends old and new.

And, remember, solo alum, the BC Club is a warm and welcoming group. You will be fast adopted by others and made to feel like family. Sign up for a Club event and become part of a vibrant alumni community!

BCCCC Edu-Events Off to a Roaring Start!

On August 10, our Edu-Events launched with a memorable talk by BC alum and former MA Lt Gov Tom O'Neill, III. The event was held at the Hyannis Kennedy Museum and Gov. O'Neill spoke about the relationship between his father and JFK.

The theme of the afternoon was "to make a difference," an ethos shared by all BC alum regardless of their field of endeavor. O'Neill relayed stories about a time when politicians were true public servants striving to make life better for all Americans. To rekindle that spirit, attendees were reminded of the importance of staying active and engaged in civic life.

The sell out event included an opportunity to tour the Museum exhibits following the talk. Overall, an inspiring afternoon and one which will long be remembered.

Thank you, Governor!



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: JOHN FOLLAS, CGSOM 1977

The Club is fortunate to have as our new Treasurer, John Follas, who earned his MBA at CGSOM in 1977. A native of northwestern Ohio, John is an Eagle Scout who participated in BSA National Jamborees in 1953, 1955, 2013, and 2017. He continues his involvement in Scouting as a current member and past President of the Executive Board of the Cape and Islands Council.

With an early interest in aviation, John soloed in a Piper Tri-Pacer at the age of 18. After receiving a BS in Mechanical Engineering from Southern IL University, John came to the Boston area in 1967 to work for GE Aircraft Engines in Lynn. Ten years later, he became a Sales Specialist and manager with CT and MRI diagnostic imaging modalities as they emerged.

He met and married Carroll Beegan (Regis 1961) in May 1972. They have 2 sons, a granddaughter, and 3 great-grandchildren. Apart from his background in aviation, the native Ohioan also enjoys the sea. He and Carroll lived on their boat "Draiocht" ("magic" in Gaelic) in Charlestown, MA for more than 3 years. They have been members of Allen Harbor Yacht Club (Harwich Port) since 1992. Thank you, John, for serving on the BCCCC Board!

