

Retired Men's Club of Arlington

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE/NEWSLETTER FOR June 2025 46th Anniversary

We lost the following brother members, may they Rest in Peace.

John Santosuosso Arlington date of death 5-22-2025

UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

6/11/2025	Jay Stone	Movies, special effects
6/25/2025	William Koehler, Ph.D	The Origins of WW1

The Singing Grandpops: are still in need of singers (you really do not need singing ability) to join the Singing Grandpops. Contact Ray Carmichael, or Tom Woodbury. The Grandpops are the ambassadors of the Club, bringing joy and happiness wherever they go. You will enjoy this special activity.

The Singing Grandpops now have a Facebook page: Singing Grandpops – RMCA

June 6	Brightview, 1 Symmes Rd Arlington	2:00 Friday
June 13	Santa Maria, 799 Concord Ave, Cambridge	2:00 Friday
June 19	Atria, 42 Mall Road, Burlington	3:00 Thursday
June 27	Eastpointe, 255 Chelsea Ave, Chelsea	2:00 Friday

Practice on Wednesdays at 10:00 am except on RMCA meeting days, when practice is after the meeting.

BOWLING is over for this season but we'll be starting up again in September, watch for details. Enjoy your summer!

CRIBBAGE: Monday mornings at 9:30 in lower Church Hall. Brush up your skills by coming down and playing. Dues are \$8.00 per week. Note that women are allowed to play. They do not have to be related to Club members. Great prizes to all that participate. Our last Cribbage tournament resulted in payouts of approximately \$1600.00. Our amount of participants are approximately 30-35. Thanks to John Boudreau as Chairman and Bill Young as Assistant.

Whist Players Wanted: *Bob Coffey would like to begin a Whist Card Game. If interested in playing whist, please call Bob at 781-933-7930. Games would be held in the Hall area.*

Poker players wanted: Games are played on Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 10:00 to 2:00 in the lower Church Hall. The stakes are 10/20 cents with a \$5 buy-in. Come on down and enjoy a friendly game with fellow club members.

Golf League has started and is always looking for new players.

2025 RMCA GOLF LEAGUE APPLICATION

NAME:_____ **RMCA**

MEMBERSHIP#_____

STREET:_____ **TEL.# ()**_____

CITY:_____,**MA. ZIP**

CODE:_____

EMAIL ADDRESS:_____

Complete & provide \$65 payment to RMCA GOLF LEAGUE. Give the above information and mail payment to:

Mike Comer

Chris Ciano

7 Marcus Road

49 Wilbur Avenue

Wilmington, MA. 01887

Arlington, MA. 02476

\$65 - 2025 membership cost includes:

- **Membership in the RMCA Golf League**
- **Participation in cookout (August 5th) (rain date August 12th) and closest to pin contests**
- **Senior Greens Fee provided to RMCA Golf League members**
- **Members only invitation to free League celebration luncheon at Reading**

Mandarin (currently scheduled for October 7th)

Due to tee time requirements, Reedy Meadow has reserved a 9:00-9:20 tee time for the league.

Miscellaneous : Get involved! You only get out of it what you put into it. Do nothing, get nothing.

DUES ARE DUE!!!: Again, one of our goals is to increase our membership. 350 renewal letters were sent out for 2025. 197 members have renewed their dues for 2024. Dues remain at \$35. 1000 RMCA brochures will be distributed to members to reach out to your friends, relatives, neighbors etc. If each of you brings in one new member, we can double our membership. Membership has been increasing during the past few months. As a result of the pandemic, many workers have decided to retire, and they are looking for something to do. If you know one, then sign them up as a new member and if they do not like what we offer then they do not have to pay or if they do pay their dues, they can ask for a refund. Attached to this newsletter and on our website is a membership card, so cut it out and give it to your neighbor, relative, friend and meet and make new friends. Note that they do not have to be retired or from Arlington. Also, note that the membership application now contains a contact name and phone number in case of an emergency. New membership cards will be issued at regular meetings.

ESTATE PLANNING: Please note that the Club is a 501(C)(3) charitable tax-exempt organization so any donations to the Club are tax deductible on your tax return. The exemption certificate is posted on our website. New from the IRS is that you can take a distribution from your IRA as part of your Minimum Required Distribution and donate it to the Club and it will NOT be included in your taxable income and get lifetime income from the annuity payments. Please think about this option in your estate planning. Another suggestion is a donor advised fund where contributions are fully deductible and are distributed to your favorite charities including RMCA. See you soon at a meeting!

Mac Moran, RMCA President

RMCA OFFICERS 2024 - 2026

OFFICER/COMM.	CURRENT HOLDER PHONE
PRESIDENT- MAC MORAN	781-899-8908
VICE PRES- PHIL STE. MARIE	781-894-6157
TREASURER- JOHN VIEIRA	781-249-0769
SECRETARY- TOM CORDIMA	781-325-3255
MEMBERSHIP- JOE DIBACCO	978-486-4395
ASST. TREASURER- JOHN BOUDREAU	781-858-3159
ASST. SECRETARY-	
ASST MEMBERSHIP- CHARLIE CIAMPA	781-643-4155

These are the trips that have already been planned.

RMCA 2025 TRIPS

DATE	TRIP DESTINATION/DESCRIPTION	COST
4-June	MOHEGAN SUN, GEORGE'S OF GALILEE	\$160
	LOBSTER OR RIB EYE	

2-July	LAKE SUNAPEE LUNCH CRUISE	\$140
	BAKED CHICKEN/VEG LASAGNA	
20-Aug	NEWPORT PLAYHOUSE, BUFFET,	\$160
	PLAY "IT'S JUST SEX", CABARET SHOW	
17-Sept	INDIAN PRINCESS, SLATER'S REST	\$145
	BAKED COD/STEAK TIPS/CHICK PICATA	
1-Oct	CAPTAIN JACK/FOXWOOD CASINO	\$135
	LOBSTER OR PRIME RIB	
3-Dec	SALEM CROSS INN/MGM CASINO	\$125
	BRIGHTLIGHTS, CHICKEN POT PIE/SALMON	
9-11 Dec	WASHINGTON HOTEL AND RESORT	see flyer

RMCA MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

January 1, 2025, thru December 31, 2025, DUES \$35.00 Renewal_____

Information_____

New_____

Name: _____MI_____

Address: _____

City: _____State_____Zip_____

Email Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____Phone_____

Cash Amount_____Check #. _____\$_____

Please mail application along with payment made to: RMCA

Mail to: John Vieira, RMCA, P.O. Box 195, Arlington, MA 02476-0002

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