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**BARNSTABLE NEWCOMERS CLUB  
MEETING MINUTES  
APRIL 16, 2014 MONTHLY MEETING**

This was the sixth meeting of the 2013-2014 season. An active social time occurred between 7:00PM and 7:20PM as members socialized with other members over coffee, Soda, and Desserts that were provided by club members.

Jack Strudwick, President, called the meeting to order at 7:30PM.

Meeting Minutes

A motion was made, seconded, and voted on to accept the March 2014 meeting minutes. They are available on the Club website ([www.barnstablenewcomers.com](http://www.barnstablenewcomers.com))

Guests and New Members:

Mary Jane Melia (stand in for Joe & Rosemary Mooney), noted that there were no guests or first time members in attendance.

Treasurer's Report:

Mary Mohan, Treasurer, provided the Treasurer's Report. As of March 31 the Club's bank account held a balance of \$3,178. As of this April Meeting, BNC has 185 paid up members. A motion was made to accept the report, seconded and accepted.

Election of Officers for Fiscal Year 2014-2015

In accordance with the club By-Laws new Club Officers were elected at the April meeting. They will begin their term on July 1, 2014, which is the start of the Club's fiscal year. The elected Officers are:

President: Tom Broderick  
Vice President: Vacant (No Nominations)  
Secretary: Karen Maier  
Treasurer: Mary Mohan  
Membership: Mary Jane Melia  
Past President: Jack Strudwick

Changes to the Activity Coordinators:

Bridge Duplicate:	Mary Mohan
Dine In :	Peg Fraser
Mah Jong:	Kathy McIntosh
Dine Out:	Ron Lyons
Holiday Dinner/Dance	Jim & Mary Mohan

The full listing of Activity Coordinators will be included in the incoming President's Autumn 2014 letter.

#### Business Meeting Adjournment

A motion was made, seconded and accepted to adjourn the business portion of the meeting at 7:45PM and move on to the speaker.

#### Speaker of the Evening

Mr. Chip Bishop was the speaker for the evening. He discussed his experiences while working for President Jimmy Carter and discussed the content of the two books he has written. He also responded to several questions from the membership related to his working experiences.

The evening ended at approximately 9:00pm.

#### Next Meeting: **Wednesday May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00PM.**

The May meeting is our last until next September. We have planned it to be a social occasion with a **Make-your-own-Sundae buffet** followed by entertainment by '**Great Scott' the Magician**. He's excellent at magic tricks. I think you'll enjoy him.