

Stonebridge Men's Club

Don Marino

It's hard to believe that we are already in the midst of summer, enjoying sunny days at the beach and yes at our Outdoor Pool. Life has opened up again as we are seeing our friends and family more, going out to dinner and traveling. Things are definitely looking up as the virus seems to have let up, hopefully for good.

As I've mentioned in the past, the Men's Club Board has continued to provide free entertainment to engage our members, and frequently the Community as well, through our monthly Zoom events. This has included sports personalities, trivia, comedians, nostalgic looks at TV comedy shows of the '50's and 60's, two presidential historians, a satellite '60s radio DJ as well as insights into the British groups of the 1960's and more. At our meeting on May 24, pop culture historian Sal St. George entertained us with video clips and conversation on "Those Funny Boys from Brooklyn" featuring the Three Stooges, Phil Silvers, Jimmy Durante, Dom DeLuise, Jerry Stiller, Woody Allen, Henny Youngman and Buddy Hackett. We are still laughing at some of

the hysterical moments he presented. Our meeting on June 28 featured John Kenrick, a musical theater and history buff, with a look back at Mel Brooks right on Mel's 95th birthday. Our July 26 meeting will feature Steven Satmur, presenting "Back in the Bronx 1940's-1960's." Whether you are from the Bronx or the other boroughs of New York City, I'm sure you will find his presentation nostalgic. We hope you have continued to enjoy our monthly Zoom presentations.

We now also have a slate of outdoor events scheduled. On July 20 we are returning to Arm and Hammer Stadium in Trenton for an evening of AAA baseball. As seen in our fliers, on August 2 we are holding a non-charity golf outing at Concordia Golf Course. On August 20 we have reserved a private picnic area (food included) at Monmouth Race Track for a night of exciting thoroughbred racing. The Men's Club Board hopes you continue to enjoy our events. Hopefully, we will also be back in the Clubhouse soon, with live events at our monthly meetings.

As the current Men's Club Board's officer terms came to a close on June 30, a presentation and election of the following slate of officers for the 7/1/21-6/30/22 term were held at our June 28 meeting:

President, Don Marino
VP Membership, Stan Fischer
Treasurer, Mark Janofsky
VP Fundraising, Rick Schlanger
Secretary, Mike Silverstein
VP Committees, Charlie Zeichner
VP Activities, Ira Cutler

Many thanks to retiring officers George Fischer for his financial guidance in his three years as treasurer, Frank Zuccaro for serving this past year as VP Committees and Dave Maklan serving as Trustee this past year. We thank them along with the current slate of officers who volunteer their services for the advancement of the Men's Club.

Anyone interested in joining the Men's Club can email Stan Fischer at membership@stonebridgemensclub.com. For more information about the Men's Club, please visit the site at www.stonebridgemensclub.com.

Enjoy the rest of your summer.

