

Harvard Club of **Fairfield County** Newsletter

The objectives of the Club shall be to promote fellowship among its Members, foster the Harvard spirit, advance the interests and welfare of Harvard University, provide scholarships to Harvard College for qualifying candidates, cooperate with the Harvard Alumni Association, and carry on the Harvard ideal of service to the community and country.

Coming Events

Harvard University Global **Networking Night 2014**

Vinoteca Greenwich, 33 Lewis Street, Greenwich, CT, Monday, 1/13/14 at 6 - 9 pm. Join fellow local alumni for Global Networking Night. It's a great opportunity to explore and expand your Harvard Network at this delightful wine bar.

Early Stage Investing As part of our Financial Speakers Series, on Thursday, January 30th we will have four distinguished experts discuss the highly attractive, less efficient and under allocated universe of smaller hedge funds.

Ted Seides (MBA '99), the Co-Founder of Protégé Partners, will lead the joined on the panel by Steve Galbraith, the Founder & Managing Member of Herring Creek Capital; Eugene Lee (AB '90), the Co-Founder & Co-Portfolio Manager of Fort Warren Capital; and Jos Shaver, the Managing Partner & Portfolio Manager of Electron Capital Partners.

Special event at the Stamford Symphony

Block tickets club members and spouses for 3/2/14 performance.

In the Spring we will hear from Raymond Sokolov '63, former restaurant critic for the New York Times.

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Message from the President

We had a great year. We got to visit a brewery, learn how the beers were crafted, and taste the products. We heard from defense expert Dr. Charles Stevenson '63 who exposed the ways our foreign policy is broken and ineffective, due to the competing agendas between State and Defense Departments, and the inequalities in funding. We also had a great brunch before the Harvard Yale football game in New Haven.

In addition, we ushered through the interview process 41 Fairfield County applicants to Harvard and 22 were accepted Early Action for the class of 2018, which is an amazing percentage.

See below for more exciting activities this Winter and Spring.

If you are not already a member, join online or with the enclosed card. With your discounts on dinners and activities, your membership could be free.

Winter and Spring Activities

Harvard / Yale Hockey at Madison	
Square Garden	1/11/14
Global Networking Night, Stamford	1/13/14
Early Stage Investing	1/30/14
Stamford Symphony	3/2/14
Harvard Yale Basketball	3/7/14
Raymond Sokolov, '63	
Restaurant Critic NY Times	
Club Golf Outing at Millbrook	April 2014
Nicholas Delbanco '63	May 2014
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Annual Dinner	
Professor Elisa New, speaking on "Moby	
Dick in the era of BP"	June 2014
Global Networking Night, Stamford	June 2014
Shakespeare on the Sound	Summer 2014

Harvard Club SIG News

The planning meeting for the members of the Cooking SIG will be January 24. Club members who join will participate in cooking / planning dinners and attending new restaurants with new friends.

Anyone interested in joining should email me, Bill McKinney: bill@4cmg.com





Drew and Bill at our dinner in March



Harvard -Yale Football Game New Haven



Global Networking Night in Stamford



Class of 2017 Summer party

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Harvard vs Yale hockey at Madison Square Garden

Rivalry on Ice featuring America's most famous college rivals. Yale and Harvard face off at Madison Square Garden on **January 11th**! In addition to the heated nature of the rivalry, both teams have much at stake in the second Rivalry on Ice game. Yale is coming off its first national championship after finishing off the 2013 Frozen Four with a win over the

No. 1 ranked team. For Harvard, the coming season marks the

26th anniversary of their historic 1989 NCAA Hockey Championship, in which current head coach Ted Donato was voted "Most Outstanding Player" in the championship game.

Tickets in the Club's Seat Block are \$50. Tickets will be mailed shortly before the game date.



Records in Admissions to the College

A record 22 applicants from a big range of schools were admitted Early Action to Harvard yesterday afternoon. It is a phenomenal group of kids. Only 41 students applied Early, so this is quite an acceptance rate for Fairfield County.

For those of you who interviewed an early action candidate, thanks for your in depth, thorough reports and for getting them done in such a timely manner. If one of the students you interviewed is on the list below, please reach out to them as soon as possible to congratulate them and encourage them to attend Harvard.

We encourage any HCFC members who are interested in joining our enthusiastic team to contact Schools and Scholarships Committee Chair Jennifer Zonis at <u>jenzonis@yahoo.com</u>.

We are especially interested in members who live in the Wilton/Ridgefield/Danbury area where we are short of interviewers.

EARLY ACTION ADMITS FOR THE CLASS OF 2018

Nicholas Abbott - Greenwich HS Gita Abhiraman - New Canaan HS Eric Anderson - Greenwich HS Travis Anderson - Greenwich HS Andrew Badinelli - Homeschool (Brookfield) ZachryBai - Greenwich HS Jill Detrick-Yee - Wilton HS Rebecca Dolan - Greenwich Academy Katherine Evans - Greenwich HS Stephanie Ferrarie - Brookfield HS Graeme Hewett - Ridgefield H Hollis Jomo - Greenwich HS Daniel Hughes - Brunswick Catherine Lacy - Darien HS Caroline Miao - Greenwich Acd Austin Milunovich - Brunswick Romana Pilepich - Bethel HS Jackson Reynolds - Brunswick Sarah Rodriguez - Greenwich H Robert Ross - New Canaan Alexander Sedlack - Darien HS Fiona Young - Greenwich HS

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