

# A Message from Jonny

Dear All,

Timed with Dr. Wilhelm Conrad Roentgen's discovery of the X-Ray (Nov. 8, 1895), we celebrate the vital work performed by **our radiologic technologists** around the country each November. Here at BIDMC, this celebration aims to draw attention to the important role that our technologists play in the delivery of safe and effective patient care around the clock, 24/7/365. We are truly blessed to have such an outstanding team of technologists, ever-ready to jump in and provide consistently outstanding service.

Also this month, we recognized **National Nurse Practitioner Week**, which strives to raise public awareness of all that this critical role entails. To all of our wonderful NPs, we salute and thank you for your exceptional work, and are delighted to know that you are such an integral part of our care delivery team. You provide such tremendous talent and support to our department, for which I thank you. The quality of our clinical work is a direct reflection of the superb contributions of both our technologists and NPs, and for this, our entire department is extremely grateful.

And with Thanksgiving just a few days away, I would like to take this opportunity to thank each member of the Department of Radiology. Your compassion, dedication to excellence and display of respect to each person who walks through our doors is inspiring. **I wish all of you a happy and restful Thanksgiving with your loved ones,** and I would like to extend an extra-special thank you to our Radiology faculty and staff who will be working over the holiday to ensure the health and well-being of our patients. I am especially grateful for your service this time of year and hope that you will also have a chance to pause and recharge over the holiday.

Sincerely, Jonny

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# **Celebrating Our Techs**

On Nov. 14, our department hosted its **17th Annual Imaging Technologist Recognition Dinner** at The Alden Castle in Brookline. This event is a chance to formally recognize our imaging technologists and their important role in patient safety and care. In addition to dinner and mingling in the Castle, the evening included staff accolades and an engaging talk by guest speaker **Loretta Laroach**, an internationally renowned author, humorist, and stress-management consultant.



Pictured above are Chelsea and Lexington staff enjoying a fun evening at the Castle



Our MRI staff smiling for a group photo around the reception dinner table



Go Team Orange! Pictured above are members of our Ultrasound section wearing their new techappreciation T-shirts on Nov. 22

### **National Nurse Practitioner Week**

During this month's National Nurse Practitioner Week, we recognized our NPs/PA with a special breakfast, accolades, and flower arrangements in appreciation for all that they do for our patients, their loved ones and each other. To all those pictured below and to those who are not, we sincerely thank you!



Pictured from left to right: Linda York, MRI; Tali Fudim, IR; Rebecca Arth, IR; Marcelline Previlon, IR; Emily Larkin, Cardiac CT; Mary Jane Devine, IR; and Jon Underhill, IR. Not pictured: Micheala Windhol, Lead NP; Yolanda Perez-Shulman, IR; Katherine Schmid, IR; Nancy Littlehale, Breast Imaging; and Sarah Ghanem, IR

# **Radiology Joins the Twitterverse!**

Last week, our department officially launched a dedicated Radiology Twitter account! This will be a place for us to share stories that highlight our people and brand and communicate our clinical, research, and academic news. If you have your own Twitter account, it would be wonderful if you would follow <u>@BIDMCRad</u> and invite your colleagues to do the same—especially as RSNA approaches! Click the button below to follow along and support the first chapter of our social media portfolio.

Follow us on Twitter!

# **Countdown to #RSNA19**

The 105th Scientific Assembly and Annual Meeting in Chicago is right around the corner. For those attending, don't miss our BIDMC Radiology <u>presentations</u> or our Alumni Reception on Tuesday, Dec.



3, 6–8 p.m., at the University Club of Chicago. To have your presentation details added to our flyer or RSVP to the reception, <u>please email Lindsay Oslund</u> by the end of the day today, Nov. 26. Good luck to all our presenters and exhibitors!

### **The Art Gallery**

Spotlighting the creative talents of our department



A dazzling photo of Utah's Arches National Park by Radiology Resident Kevin Sun, MD

### **Radiology Holiday Party Tickets**



You and a guest are invited to the 2019 HMFP Radiology Holiday Party on Friday, Dec. 13, at Commonwealth Hall, Seaport World Trade Center!

#### **Event Details:**

Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres: 7–8 p.m. Dinner and dancing: 8 p.m.–midnight Tickets: \$20/person Please pay by cash or check to HMFP Radiology by Monday, Dec. 9

#### Colleagues selling tickets are:

Amanda Faria – Rosenberg 302 Ana Cordero – Rabb 3 Carlos Silva – CT Gina Monteiro – Shapiro 4 Film Library Jane Corey – 1101 Beacon St. and Mobile Ultrasound Janet Carpenter – Lexington Judy Farina – Chelsea Meghan Connolly – Ultrasound Nick Bucci – Diagnostics Robert Butler – Chestnut Hill William Hallett – BID Needham

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**Footnotes** 



- Are you a resident, fellow or faculty interested in teaching our undergraduate medical students? Lectures are one hour each and pre-made slides are available for most topics to minimize prep work. Click our <u>Google Drive file</u> to sign up. For additional questions, contact Radiology Clerkship Coordinator <u>Ceejay Powell</u> <u>Francis</u>.
- Apply to Run in the 2020 Boston Marathon: Do you—or does someone you know—want to run the 2020 Boston Marathon? Team BIDMC is currently <u>accepting applications</u>.



#### **Thanks for reading!**

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