

Club Duties

September 10th, 2008

Front Door Greeters:

Lynda Kazanowski & Daryl Stech

Invocation:

Denise Larson

Introductions:

Peter Koch

Rotary Minute:

Marijka Van Rooyen

50/50:

Sheila Forrest

Sgt @ Arms:

Bruce Mede

September 17th, 2008

Front Door Greeters:

Nicole Gosselin & Eileen Tatton

Invocation:

Lee Mason

Introductions:

Dave Perry

Rotary Minute:

Henri Van Amerongen

50/50:

Sheila Forrest

Sgt @ Arms:

Neil Sorsdahl

September 24th, 2008

Front Door Greeters:

Val Lennox & Nelson Allen

Invocation:

Patrick Maguire

Introductions:

Robb Mowbray

Rotary Minute:

Karin Mattern

50/50:

Darryl Shaw

Sgt @ Arms:

Moira Steele

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

September 10th - Brenda Hammer, Nursing in Kandahar

September 17th - Ron Blank, Club Assembly

(focus on youth programs as it is New Generations Month)

September 24th - Henri Van Amerongen, Classification talk

NOTICES & NEWS

Fellowship opportunity and fundraiser at Bailey Studio ...

Tickets are available for the next great Bailey Theatre production: *Nurse Jane Goes to Hawaii!!* Sunday September 21st - \$13.00 per ticket. This is a fundraiser for breast cancer!! Let's get a group together and go. It is supposed to be a really fun play. They are hoping everyone will dress Hawaiian or like a nurse!!

If you would like to go, please contact Christine McAuley directly with the number of tickets you need.

United Way Kicks Off...

The annual United Way Kick Off Breakfast is coming up on Monday, September 22nd at the VI Conference Centre. For info, see the poster image on the right.



Club Birthdays

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| Sept. 15 | Christine Craigie |
| Sept. 19 | Val Lennox |
| Sept. 22 | Wendi Ferrero |
| Sept. 26 | Christine McAuley |
| Oct. 8 | Cathy Robson |

Club Anniversaries

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| Oct. 8 | Daryl Stech |
| Oct. 9 | Neil Sorsdahl |
| Oct. 10 | Doug Lum |
| Oct. 11 | Donna & Nelson Allen |

Meeting Notes - September 3rd

submitted by Val Lennox

Dave Perry was filling in as President Ron Blank was away. Donna introduced guests Sylvia Redl and Tabitha Mede (Bruce's Daughter) through the Youth Exchange Program. Rod Mont reminded those who need to pick up Attendance Bars, please see Rod.

- 1 year:** Ron Blank and Bruce Mede
- 2 years:** Daryl Stech
- 3 years:** Nathan Thornton, Jo-Ann Harding
- 4 years:** Kris Rongve and Bill Brendon
- 5 years:** Caran Carr, Denise Larson and Ron Medd
- 6 years:** Nicole Gosselin
- 8 years:** Denise Davidson and Patrick Maguire
- 9 years:** Donna Allen, Neil Sorsdahl, and Jim McIvor
- 12 years:** Don Bonner
- 13 years:** Nelson Allen, Brian Kirkhope,
- 16 years:** Rod Mont



Guests Tabitha Mede (left) and Sylvia Redl

Chris Everett wanted to remind everyone about Tom Henderson coming to Ladysmith about the Shelter boxes Sept 13th. Doors open at 6, meal is at 7. Tickets are \$40.00 See you there. There have been 18 tickets sold.



Dave Perry is happy to exchange banners with Sylvia Redl from Bavaria...

Jo-Ann Harding was handing out bookmarks and encouraged everyone to go to the Chemainus Theatre to see "The Miracle Worker" the story of Helen Keller, running Sept 11-Oct 25.

Donna is looking for volunteers to help with the Cruise Ship welcomes and the selling of our Chocolates. We will be at the Bastion Sept 21st (Sun) Sept 24th (Wed) Sept 30th (Tue). We will be indoors if it rains and outdoors if it is not. All the Clubs are involved so please come and show our Nanaimo Rotary Daybreak faces.

Bruce introduced his guests Sylvia Redl from Bavaria and Tabitha Mede who went to German on a short term exchange.

Sylvia Redl is 18 yrs old student who will graduate in 2 yrs, she lives in Bavaria, it has 16 states, she lives close to Austria in a village of 300 people and she jokes probably just as many cows. She has two sibling's 20 yr old sister and a 12 year old brother. Her parents own a small grocery store in a nearby village. Sylvia says that Germany has the highest education and the lowest unemployment rate and it is a great place to live. Her interest in joining the Rotary Youth Exchange Program is so she can travel and learn and believes the best way to learn is to live in the culture. She went to the United States for 3 weeks and experienced the greatest place on earth "Disney Land", the Oregon coast and "BIG SHOPPING MALLS".



...Brian Kirkhope is happy to be back...

Sylvia wanted to thank the Rotarians for allowing her to learn about our country and that she has been here 4 weeks and says Vancouver Island is the most beautiful place on earth.

Tabitha Mede Left July 1st for 5 weeks only because as she was going to be turning 19 while she was away. She stayed with the Redl family outside of Munich. Sylvia showed Tabitha 3 weeks around Germany and they spend 5 days in the Mediterranean. Tabitha learned the history and cul-

Rotary Club Meetings

- Monday – Parksville, Bayside Inn, Noon
- Tuesday – Nanaimo North, Frith-Radcliffe Auditorium, Kiwanis Village, 6:15 p.m.
- Wednesday – Nanaimo Oceanside, ABC Restaurant on Mary Ellen Drive, 5 p.m.
- Thursday – Lantzville – ABC Restaurant on Mary Ellen Drive, 7 a.m.
- Friday – Nanaimo – Coast Bastion Inn, 12:15 p.m.

Rotary Contacts

- Club President:**
Ron Blank
- Club Secretary:**
Nicole Gosselin
- Club Treasurer:**
Nathan Thornton
- Club President Elect:**
Dave Perry
- Bulletin Editor:**
Robb Mowbray
- Foundation Chair:**
Don Bonner
- Assistant Governor Area 2B**
Brian Kirkhope
- District Governor 2008-09:**
Brian Beagle
- RI President 2008-09:**
Dong Kurn Lee

Bingo Volunteers

- Oct. 10 Don Bonner & Bev Wilson
- Dec. 26 Val Lennox & ???
- Feb. 13 Dave Thompson & Nathan Thornton
- Feb. 20 Ken Hammer & Denise Davidson

Make-ups

To ensure that your make-up information is properly recorded, send any info on extra meetings attended, extra committee work, service projects, online work, etc. to Rod Mont (mont@islandlaw.ca).

Please send content and photos for the Weekly Wake-up to Robb Mowbray at robb@theatrebc.org.

FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?





...Caran Carr is always happy...

ture of Germany before her arrival here August 4th. She presented a wonderful slide show of Castles, Churches, Italy, and the Alps and of her family and new friends. Tabitha is eager to keep up her German by taking courses.

Dave Perry received a flag that Sylvia brought from Bavaria and we passed on our flag for her to take home. Ken Hammer thanked both the girls on behalf of our Rotary club and a book will be donated on their behalf.



...Moira Steele is happy to be wrapped up in her work on the 50/50 draw.....

Jim McIvor in his clever wisdom spoke about volunteering in his Rotary Minute. He reminds all of those that helped with the Grey Cup last year of who they were and with a smile volunteered them again this year., also requesting more volunteers to step up to help. Darryl Shaw has an autographed football from the BC Lions for this year Grey Cup to be won!! It will be held at the Lantzville Hall Nov 23, 2008. He says the money will be going to those that are in need, who that will be is still in the works and we will hear more about it soon.

Dave Perry wants you to think about next year Executives as Nathan Thornton and Nicole Gosselin will be stepping down. He is enthusiastic and says it will be an Olympic Year.

No one has won the 50/50 yet!!! Were getting to the wire, purchase your tickets!!!



...and Moira just gets happier.....

It was a very happy meeting all round!



...Don is, of course, very, very happy collecting money as Sgt-at-Arms.....

Some Photos from the August 27th Meeting...

