

**Newsletter Date:** 

## August 5th, 2009



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# If you are unable to fulfill your duty, could you please find a replacement or let the President know you are unable to attend.

## Upcoming Programs

August 5th - Net Neutrality and What It Means For You - Don Bonner

August 12th - Membership Presentation - Jeff Boegel

August 19th - Club Assembly

# Weekly Wake-up

### August 5th, 2009

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

Neil Sorsdahl & Jeff Boegel

Club Duties

#### Invocation:

Ricki Kristianson

#### Introductions:

Caran Carr

#### **Rotary Minute:**

Donna Allen

#### 50/50:

Randal Taylor

#### Sat @ Arms:

Don Bonner

## NOTICES & NEWS

Rotary Daybreak Team wins Award at Lantzville Club's Tourney...

Members of the Rotary Daybreak pose with Lantzville club members for the presentation of the "Twisted Club" Team Award at last week's meeting.

#### August 12th, 2009

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

Don Bonner & Denise Davidson

#### Invocation:

Denise Larson

#### Introductions:

Wendi Ferrero

#### **Rotary Minute:**

Dawne Anderson

#### 50/50:

Randal Taylor

#### Sqt @ Arms:

Bruce Mede

#### July 29th, 2009

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

Nicole Gosselin & Daryl Shaw

#### Invocation:

Christine McAuley

#### Introductions:

Brian Kirkhope

#### **Rotary Minute:**

Daryl Stech

#### 50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

#### Sgt @ Arms: Dave Thompson



#### Club Birthdays

August 2 - Darryl Shaw August 8 - Ron Medd August 15 - Denise Larson

#### Club Anniversaries

August 15 - Daryl Knievel August 15 - Dave Thompson August 18 - Denise Larson

## Meeting Notes - July 29th, 2009

## submitted by Val Lennox

Daybreak Rotary's July 29 business meeting was graced by an influx of visitors from the Lantzville Rotary Club. The group presented the 'twisted club' Rotarian team trophy from Lantzville's spring golf tournament to the Daybreak team, headed by past-prez Ron Blank. The trophy goes to the 'least worst team' from a Rotary club. The tournament raised \$6,000 for cancer research.



Lantzville Rotary's Barry Sparkes is about to award the Twisted Club trophy...

As the first business meeting of the new Rotary year, despite doldrums of summer, there was promise of action ahead.

Vice President Bill Brendon said he was continuing to work on the events template. He also reported on the second poker tournament, Dog Days of Summer, held the previous Saturday. Despite praise from players for the professionalism of the event, the number of participants still wasn't high enough – possibly because it was bathtub race weekend and there were many competing events. A third poker tournament is planned for this fall.

He will also be organizing fireside chats for this fall and will be seeking hosts.

Secretary Eileen Tatton is setting up her Internet and Printer connections, to get ready for the coming year.

Treasurer Cindy Bartlett distributed a proposed budget for 2009-2010. Highlights were: Gaming Account Revenue: \$16,500 in Bingo funds

\$1,200 from 50/50

\$2,500 from the Grey Cup Lottery

General Account Revenue: \$10,000 from the Golf Tournament

## Rotary Club Meetings

Monday – Parksville, Bayside Inn, Noon

Tuesday - Nanaimo North, Frith-Radcliffe Auditorium, Kiwanis Village, 6:15 p.m.

Wednesday - Nanaimo Oceanside, 3rd Street Fieldhouse, 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:** 

Dave Perry

Club Secretary:

Eileen Tatton

Club Treasurer:

Cindy Bartlett

Club President Elect:

Nicole Gosselin

**Bulletin Editor:** 

Robb Mowbray

**Foundation Chair:** 

Dawne Anderson

Assistant Governor Area 2B

Brenda Grice

District Governor 2009-10:

Alex Alexander

RI President 2009-10:

John Kenny

Bíngo Volunteers

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 Jeff Boegel

dorack@shaw.ca

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

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- 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?



\$3,000 from the Christmas Auction \$5,000 from the Grey Cup Party \$1,500 from a Polio fundraiser \$1,000 from misc. sources

Club Operations (meals, Sgt. At Arms, dues) were expected to raise \$9,900. Foundation was projected to receive \$2,250.

Total revenues and expenses were anticipated at \$32,650.

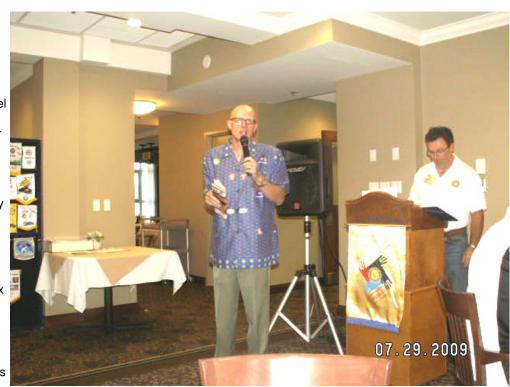
Reporting on club service, Rod Mont invited new members to become involved in the club. Anyone with a proposed event can submit one of the newly developed event proposal forms to President Dave or to Rod. There will also be regular fellowship meetings.

Moira Steele invited club members to submit their ideas for fellowship events. There will be a meeting in the coming week to discuss fellowship events for the year.

Speaking to membership, Jeff Bogel said the club has three new members pending. There will be a membership talk on August 12.

Denise Larsen announced continuing discussion with the City of Nanaimo for a proposed community service project.

Neil Sorsdahl said the fund allocation committee had held its first meeting and reviewed 15 requests which had come in over the past six months. Three requests were approved: \$500 to the Island International Children's Festival, \$500 to the Load the Lockers program; \$500 to the Canwest Raise a Reader program. Four of the groups requesting funds have been invited to speak to the club.



...and we had to include a photo of Ken's shirt from Ghana!

Neil added that the club's spring golf tournament will be held next May at Cottonwood and will continue to support local youth groups: the Child Development Centre, the Boys and Girls Club, and Nanaimo Youth Services Association.

Patrick Maguire said he and Jim McIvor are organizing programs for the year and will be beating the bushes for guest speakers. Club members were invited to contact him with ideas. He thanked Ken Hammer and Francine Frisson for their work on the program over the past two years.

#### The student exchange program is still seeking host families.

For those who requested it, here are the words for the Banquet Earth Grace by Linnea Good, which opened the meeting: Chapati, Chapati, Curry and Rice, Burrito, Taquito, Spaghetti and Spice
Dim Sum, Egg Foo Yung, Two all beef patties, special sauce on a bun
Hands across the table, hands across the sea, Sharing in the banquet of the Earth.
Thanks

To hear it, go here and click on the title:

http://www.linneagood.com/main/06video/jb/flash/index.html