



Club Duties

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

January 18th, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Wendi Ferrero & Francine Frisson

Invocation:

Terry Rogers

Introductions:

Dawne Anderson

Rotary Minute:

Lynda Kazanowski

50/50:

Randall Taylor

Sgt @ Arms:

Kris Rongve

January 25th, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Ken Hammer & Sher Holubowich

Invocation:

Kris Rongve

Introductions:

Cindy Bartlett

Rotary Minute:

Brian Kirkhope

50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

Sgt @ Arms:

Neil Sorsdahl

February 1st, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Lynda Kazanowski
& Brian Kirkhope

Invocation:

Darryl Shaw

Introductions:

Ron Blank

Rotary Minute:

Daryl Knievel

50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

Sgt @ Arms:

Dave Thompson

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

January 18th - Club Assembly

January 25th - School District 68 - David Hutchinson

February 1st - Classification Talk - Anna Owens

February 8th - Malawi Girls School - Christie Johnson & Henry Mdyetseni

NOTICES & NEWS

Message from Christine re: media submissions...

Hello everyone,

As you know, we are making a renewed effort for more coverage of our efforts at Rotary in the media.

Anyone making/taking images for media use should follow this protocol :

(I double-checked this with Chris Hamlin from the Bulletin and Glen Olsen from CHEK News:

- Make sure your camera is operating at the Highest Resolution Setting available to you
- When sending photos, pull image off the card, camera or file to "Desktop"
- Send image from "Desktop" as an "Attachment"

Minimum requirements for a 5x7 size image is 180 d.p.i. (dots per inch)

Thank you all!

Christine

Club Correspondence...

Check out the link below for the latest in correspondence to the Club from various sources:

http://www.daybreakrotary.ca/index.php?p=2_8

District 5020 newsletter now online...

Go to <http://docs.rotary5020.org/newsletter1/2011-12/2011-11.pdf>

Please send content and photos for the Weekly Wake-up to robbmowbray@telus.net

Club Birthdays

No Birthdays this week.

Club Anniversaries

No Anniversaries this week.

Meeting Notes - January 11th

notes by Ron Blank, photos by Donna Allen

Here we go again. Karin Mattern handled our fees, Christine Craigie & Denise Larson dispensed the hugs. This time, President Bill Brendon had the podium, and Rod Mont's sax covered the singing.

Dave Perry's Invocation voice was 'basso profundo,' and hopefully he gets over his bronchitis soon!

Guests this morning, 'RES' Lucas le Goaréguer (pronounced 'le gore ray jerr,' as in Jerry) Jeff Boegel brought two guests this morning: Leah Ross & Bev Cole, who volunteer in Nepal.

Sergeant-at-Arms Don Bonner managed to herd the cats to breakfast. (and, belatedly, allowed the guests to jump the line!)



Sher provides the Rotary Minute...

one else had seen the May Edition of Rotary Magazine, which promoted our Sunyani project, from mid-Vancouver Island Rotary Clubs?

Pres. Bill noted our Meeting of 22 February will be canceled, and, instead, we will be attending a five club meeting at Branch #256 Royal Canadian Legion. The goal is to celebrate Rotary in our Central Island, and to bring a guest who will receive a free meal. (Details to come.)

Our speaker this morning was a man who needs no introduction (because nobody did (-) Chris Everett, and his topic was Shelter Box.

Chris related a story of how he has a penchant for French Fries. Not watching the cooking process and, instead, watching a game on the tellie, the resulting house fire destroyed everything. He was sitting in a hotel room, dissipated and forlorn, when a neighbour came in with clothes that she had re-claimed and washed, as well as two photos she had found. He knows what it's like to have lost his possessions in a disaster.



...Guest Speaker Chris Everett...

Shelter Box Canada is a registered Canadian Charity, and is affiliated with the Shelter Box UK. They respond instantly to natural & man made disasters, to those most in need, providing emergency shelter, warmth and dignity. Each Shelter box provides a two compartment tent, for up to 10 people, water purification, cooking equipment, basic tools, stove and other essential equipment for use while homeless, or displaced.

Each box costs \$1,000, which includes materials, packing, transport & distribution worldwide to the final users. Though designed for six months of use, like in Haiti, many are still in use after two years.

In England, they have 500 volunteer packers, who respond within hours to any disaster with locale

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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:**
Bill Brendon
- Past President:**
Patrick Maguire
- Vice President:**
Randall Taylor
- Club Secretary:**
Neil Sorsdahl
- Club Treasurer:**
Anna Owens
- Club President Elect:**
Denise Larson

- International Service Director:**
Francine Frisson
- Community Service Director:**
Christine Craigie
- Vocational Service Director:**
Dave Thompson
- Club Service Director:**
Donna Allen

- Bulletin Editor:**
Robb Mowbray

- Assistant Governor Area 2B:**
Brenda Grice
- District Governor 2011-12:**
David Stocks
- RI President 2011-12:**
Kalyan Banerjee

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*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 Membership Chair, Rod Mont at [mont@islandlaw.ca](mailto:mont@islandlaw.ca).

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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?



specific contents. Shelter Box Response Teams (3 on VI) then take and set-up the boxes at the disaster. Shelter Box also has pre-positioned boxes in six locations worldwide.

Shelter Boxes provide warmth and dignity to the users. As they only provide shelter, Shelter Box liaises with other non-government agencies (NGO's) to ensure a co-ordinated response to disasters.

Beginning with the earthquake in Gujarat India, and most lately the floods in Brazil, Shelter Box International has distributed 113,934 boxes. This past year, 24,000 were sent. As each box is numbered, so you can track your donations from their website <http://www.shelterboxcanada.org/> Good news: from over 7,000 entrants, Shelter Box International was awarded Peoples Choice Charity of the Year for 2011 by JustGiving Awards.



...Terry presents the traditional book donated in Chris's name...

In closing, Chris said there is "plenty of want" in our world and whether you give to one charity or another, it all counts.

Randall Taylor did the 50/50 this week, as he was swapping labour. Bob Wall's contributions allowed him to cut for the win...and lost. Up again, cut for the beverage...and lost. Sorry Bob.

Sergeant Don did his deeds, and many paid. Many also complimented Chris on his heart felt presentation on Shelter Box. That being said, Toast To Rotary.



...Ken provides yet another club banner...



...and some more random photos from the meeting...lots of smiling faces, as usual.



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Have A Great Week!