



Club Duties

If you are unable to fulfill your duty,
PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT,
then let the meeting chair know.

July 11th, 2012

Front Door Greeters:

Ev Mudryk & Terry Rogers

Invocation:

Michael Leduc

Introductions:

Kris Rongve

Rotary Minute:

Dawne Anderson

50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

Sgt @ Arms:

Denise Davidson

July 18th, 2012

Front Door Greeters:

Kris Rongve & Darryl Shaw

Invocation:

Doug Lum

Introductions:

Neil Sorsdahl

Rotary Minute:

Nelson Allen

50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

Sgt @ Arms:

Don Bonner

July 25th, 2012

Front Door Greeters:

Neil Sorsdahl & Eileen Tatton

Invocation:

Jim McIvor

Introductions:

Randall Taylor

Rotary Minute:

Cindy Bartlett

50/50:

Darryl Shaw

Sgt @ Arms:

Kris Rongve

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

July 11th - Francine Frisson, School District 68

July 18th - Club Assembly @ NYSA

July 25th - Teresa Pring, Habitat for Humanity

NOTICES & NEWS

2012-2013 Executive...

Meet your new Executive for the this year... (from the left)
Chris Everett, Vice President,
Doug Lum, Vocational Service,
Francine Frisson, International Service,
Neil Sorsdahl, Secretary,
Anna Jones, Treasurer,
Darryl Shaw, Community Service,
Denise Larson, President,
Bill Brendon, Past President.
Missing from the photo are
Randall Taylor, President Elect,
and Donna Allen, Club Service.



NOTE OF MEETING LOCATION CHANGE:

The meeting on Wednesday, July 18th will be held at Nanaimo Youth Services (NYSA) at 290 Bastion Street. (enter at the back off of the side street hill).

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/newsletter1/2011-12/2012-06.pdf>

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

Club Birthdays

July 15	Michael Leduc
July 17	Eileen Tatton
July 18	Robb Mowbray
July 19	Bill Brendon

Club Anniversaries

July 11	Wendi & Dave Ferrero
July 11	Ron & Linda Blank
July 16	Francine Frisson & Jaap Tuinman

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Rotary District 5020 / Club # 31160

Meeting Notes - July 4th

notes by Ron Blank, photos by Darryl Shaw

Hugs this morning came from Karin Mattern & Robb Mowbray. Money was collected by Nathan Thornton, resplendent in a tie. Today was President Denise Larson's first official day heading our meeting. (Yup! She needs the microphone to keep this group responding.) Rod Mont's sax brought us under control for our anthem.



New Prez Denise Larson officially takes the helm...

Chris Everett got away with one this morning, asking for Guests, then Rotarians. Neil Sorsdahl presented Retired USAF Brian Mazerski, and Kris Rongve intro'd our speaker Lynda Avis and her husband Bruce. Anna Owens shared Daryl Stech. No Rotarian visitors.

Ken Hammer jumped in for a contemporaneous Rotary Moment and related how the Ghanians were thrilled with their visit with us. They particularly appreciated their home stays with us. They were also impressed by how successfully the five Rotary Clubs of Nanaimo worked together.

Rod Mont will be coordinating guest speakers this year. He wants to add Classification talks by having members speak on interesting topics related to their careers.

Lynda Avis is the President of the Nanaimo Auxiliary to Nanaimo Regional General Hospital. Bruce, though we know him through the Parole Citizen Advisory Committee, was here to handle the A/V equipment.

Lynda's purpose was to raise awareness of their Auxiliary. Their purpose is to raise funds for the care and comfort of the patients. "Yes, we are little old ladies in red smocks, but we are a great deal more!"

Their volunteers range from 16 to 88 years of age. They average over 40,000 volunteer hours/year, with dramatic impact on patients, family members & visitors.

Their motto "It is better to light a candle than complain about the darkness." Beginning in 1899, ladies banded together with the "object to aid the hospital." Funds were raised by afternoon teas, auctions, cook books (reputed to have first Nanaimo Bar recipe) and fancy dress balls. They also hold biannual sewing sales in June & December.



...Ken Hammer provides a Rotary Moment...

In 1913, they loaned \$800 to the hospital to meet their payroll. Since 1996, more formal records have been kept of the donations to Nanaimo Hospital Foundation.

100 volunteer Candy Strippers help patients with their meals and assist in medical day care. The Grade 8-12 students gain work experience and generational skills, and the Auxiliary funds \$8,000 in bursaries/year.

The Thrift Store, opposite Quality Foods at Northridge Centre, has 70 volunteers and generates their

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

- International Service Director:**
Francine Frisson
- Community Service Director:**
Darryl Shaw
- Vocational Service Director:**
Doug Lum
- Club Service Director:**
Donna Allen

- Bulletin Editor:**
Robb Mowbray

- Assistant Governor Area 2B:**
Barry Sparkes
- District Governor 2012-2013:**
Judy Byron
- RI President 2012-13:**
Sakuji Tanaka

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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?



largest funds, at \$27K/month. For the new Emergency Department opening in October, they've donated \$335K for equipment.

The Auxiliary Gift shop in the hospital has gift ware and personal items galore. They recently funded \$225K for patient telemetry monitors. Since 1996, the Auxiliary has donated over 2.56 million to our Hospital.. Little old ladies in red, indeed. What a marvelous impact for our community!

50/50 doesn't have much to share, as Anna took it two weeks ago. Wendi Ferrero stood in for Randall, Cindy Bartlett missed the money and Ron cut a seven to the Pres' six.

Sgt Davey Thompson informs that you don't have to be at Rotary to get fined. Doug Lum pays, as he waves at passing cars and poor Karen is at the top of the ladder. Kris paid for missing badge, Francine was, we all know what, and also paid for her absent badge, She thanked Dave for his Remax Tent. (Is that a paid advert?) Chris & Christine are off to Paris, London & Cornwall for 3 weeks. Sher Holubowich is happy having a new puppy in the office (It's Denise D's). That being the end, "Four Way & Toast!"



...Our regular photo provider is on vacation but sent us this pic of their "little bit of heaven" at Surfside in Parksville... Thanks, Donna. Hope you and Nelson are having fun in the sun!...



...This table was found in Ron Blank's garage. Does it look familiar? Is it yours? Perhaps from last year's Shredding Event? Email or call Ron to claim it.

**ROTARY DAYBREAK
UPCOMING BINGO COMMITMENTS 2012**

- Tues, July 17 11am – 1 pm
Denise Davidson Terry Rogers
- Sat, August 25 11am – 1 pm
Anna Owens Ken Hammer
- Wed, Oct 3 11am – 1pm
Chris Everett Doug Lum
- Mon, Nov12 11am – 1pm
Dave Thompson Daryl Knievel
- Fri, Dec 21 11am – 1pm
Denise Larson Robb Mowbray



Have A Great Week!