

Club Duties

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

April 27th, 2016

Front Door Greeters:

Nelson Allen & Ron Blank

Front-of-House:

Karin Mattern

Invocation :

Jeff Boegel

Introductions:

Denise Davidson

Rotary Minute:

Don Bonner

50/50:

Dawne Anderson

Sgt At Arms:

Daryl Knieval

May 4th, 2016

Front Door Greeters:

Dawne Anderson
& Scott Bradford

Front-of-House:

Terry Rogers

Invocation:

Ron Blank

Introductions:

Nick Dunne

Rotary Minute:

Jeff Boegel

50/50:

Patrick Maguire

Sgt @ Arms:

Don Bonner

May 11th, 2016

Front Door Greeters:

Bill Brendon & Don Bonner

Front-of-House:

Terry Rogers

Invocation :

Scott Bradford

Introductions:

Nesh Gatere

Rotary Minute:

Dawne Anderson

50/50:

Patrick Maguire

Sgt At Arms:

Kris Rongve

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

April 27th - Christie Mah, VIU Nurses project in Mexico

May 4th - Russ Burke, VI Leadership Program

May 11th - Terry Rogers, Rotaract / Student Exchange

One Year since the Nepal Earthquake!...

For a good report on the current status of Nepal, one year after the earthquake, check out Saša Petricic's story and extensive photos of a country still very much in ruins at <http://www.cbc.ca/news/world/nepal-earthquake-rebuilding-1.3545875>

Grant Brings Clean Water to Thousands in Ghana...

From Rotary.org...

Worldwide, more than 748 million people live without access to clean water and at least 3000 children die each day from diarrheal diseases caused by unsafe water. Rotary is working to change that. For example, members used a Rotary grant to drill 20 clean-water wells and to repair another 30 in villages across Ghana. The project also included education about and treatment of Buruli ulcer, a debilitating infection that, if left untreated, can lead to disability and death. Nearly 70,000 people will benefit from this initiative. NOTE: to see the video, go to

<https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/news-media/grant-brings-clean-water-thousands-ghana>



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 - Apr. 20, 2016 submitted by Scott Bradford, photos by Donna Allen

Meeting Chaired by President **Eileen Tatton**
O Canada – praise **Rod!**

Guests of Rotary - Mark Bell, Saeko, Sam Muir
Visiting Rotarians - Tessa Bell

Rotary Moment

Ron Blank updated on the 4 Book Boxes Daybreak maintains raising **\$40,000 a year** for Literacy Vancouver Island

Doug, Brian and Ron/Vic maintain boxes and bring sellable books to LVI was provided by Ken Hammer. Ken spoke of all the work of Daybreak Rotarians behind the scenes and in between meetings. Committees, volunteer projects, fundraisers, general support to each other, Board meetings, the Book Box program of on-going pick-ups, communications, and the list goes on.... We should take a moment to acknowledge this collective effort.

No Guest Presentation this week as we had a business meeting.

Business reports:

President report -

Eileen attending a Saturday disaster aid Canada meeting in Ladysmith this Saturday
Presented letter of thanks on the PARTY program

Treasurer report – Anna was away

In Memory discussion

Concern that Nicole was not included in a memorial of some kind

How do we handle appropriate memorials for Rotarians who have passed away

Multi-year commitments put pressure on annual budgets

Board to take ideas from today and discuss

Ideas – create a policy, have set timeframes for bursaries, have a memorial garden we can add names to, find out what other clubs do, look into District Designated Funds for matching dollars

Secretary report – **Ron** – nothing to report but important to use the Secretary e-mail and not his own e-mail (trying to keep separate)

President Elect report - **Neil** – update on May 27th golf tournament – 38 golfers now and needs 60 +. Letters to sponsors and prize donors going out

Community Service Report – **Harry** reported:

Geoff - Poker tournament is on May 1st – looking for players and volunteers

Funds allocation Committee has spent \$3,500 and has a new Chair (**Geoff**)

Rod mentioned the proposed fellowship event **Sher** is working on so important to let her know which day might work for you.

Janet – asked for old ties as she is working on a craft project

Graham – shelter box in Ecuador is now on the ground

Brian – Oktoberfest is set for Saturday Oct 22nd, first committee meeting at Rotary meeting May 4th

International – **Nelson** – the Mid Island group is meeting on April 23rd

50/50 – Donna no luck

Announcements and notes:

Dawn mentioned this Saturday's garage sale for the Salvation Army in Harewood

Go Rotary Go!!



Is Ron making a point or making a pitch?...

Rotary Club Meetings

Monday – Parksville, Bayside Inn, Noon

Tuesday – Nanaimo North, refer to club website at nanaimonorthrotary.org

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:

Eileen Tatton

Past President:

Don Bonner

Vice President:

Evelyn Boegh

Club Secretary:

Ron Blank

Club Treasurer:

Anna Jones

Club President Elect:

Neil Sorsdahl

International Service Director:

Nelson Allen

Community Service Director:

Harry Stephan

Youth Service Director:

Terry Rogers

Club Service Director:

Don Bonner

Bulletin Editor:

Robb Mowbray

Assistant Governor Area 4:

Bev Hilton, Oceanside

District Governor 2015-2016:

Rose Bowman, Chehalis

RI President 2015-2016:

K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran

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 Denise Davidson.

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?

**HAVE A
GREAT WEEK!**

