

# Rotary Club of Nanaimo **DAYBREAK**

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## Club Duties

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

### May 18th, 2016

#### Front Door Greeters:

Graham Calder  
& Christine Craigie

#### Front-of-House:

Terry Rogers

#### Invocation :

Denise Davidson

#### Introductions:

Janet Gilmour

#### Rotary Minute:

Scott Bradford

#### 50/50:

Bill Brendon

#### Sgt At Arms:

Dave Thompson

### May 25th, 2016

#### Front Door Greeters:

Sher Holubowich & Nick Dunne

#### Front-of-House:

Terry Rogers

#### Invocation:

Janet Gilmour

#### Introductions:

Ken Hammer

#### Rotary Minute:

Graham Calder

#### 50/50:

Bill Brendon

#### Sgt @ Arms:

Denise Davidson

### June 1st, 2016

#### Front Door Greeters:

Denise Davidson & Ken Hammer

#### Front-of-House:

Sher Holubowich

#### Invocation :

Nick Dunn

#### Introductions:

Sher Holubowich

#### Rotary Minute:

Don Bonner

#### 50/50:

Dawne Anderson

#### Sgt At Arms:

Daryl Knievel

# Weekly Wake-up

## Upcoming Programs

May 18th - Business Meeting

May 25th - Nick Dunn, Classification Talk

June 1st - Nelson Allen - Foundation

## Golf Tourney on Friday, May 27th!...

The golf tournament is next week. Are you signed up to golf? Have you brought your prizes and donations in? Have you approached any sponsors? Neil needs our help to make this event another success!



You can contact Neil at [goldendivot@shaw.ca](mailto:goldendivot@shaw.ca) to confirm any other the above means of support.

Tee-off is at 1:30 pm on Friday, May 27th.

## Shredding Event is another success...

See page 2 for some more photos of the event...



Please send content and photos for the Weekly Wake-up to [robbmowbray@telus.net](mailto:robbmowbray@telus.net)

## Club Birthdays

May 23 Nelson Allen

## Club Anniversaries

May 19

Nathan & Michelle Thornton

May 21

Randall & Andrea Taylor

May 22

Brian & Louise Kirkhope

*Meeting Notes - May 11, 2016 submitted by San Mahara, photos by Donna Allen*

Guests - Three exchange students, Outbound Sam Muir, Inbound from Columbia Daniel Valdiri and Saeko Yabe from Japan. Bob Fenty from Downtown club.

Ron Blank updated about our upcoming annual shredding events for Polio plus. He estimated that around \$2000 could be raised through this event and we need volunteers.

Terry Rogers introduced our exchange students. Saeko gave updates about her stay in Nanaimo and gave introduction about her home town. Her city is famous for hot springs. Her dad is an engineer and she has two brothers. She mentioned that Japan is a very safe country and invited everyone to visit. They have 18 world heritage sites in Japan. Saeko has been taking part in Track events and she goes to Dover Bay High School.



*Our guest speakers, exchange students Daniel and Saeko with Terry and Pres Eileen...*

Daniel spoke very passionately about his home country, Colombia, which is famous for coffee and Amazon rain forest. It is a very biodiverse country with lots of natural beauty. He loves his country and will be happy to go back, but he likes Nanaimo, too. They have a big family farm and he invited members to visit his place. His mom is a dentist, who is going to be in Nanaimo very shortly. He'd like to bring his mom to our club. The club has extended an invitation to his mom. He goes to Dover, as well, and is enjoying his stay here in Nanaimo.

Bob mentioned that we have a new inbound student from Norway, but we need more host families. Each family will host for 3 months and will get some funding for hosting to cover some basic cost. It is time again to select a Rotarian of the year. Rod Mont wants us to think about one. Neil Sorsdahl reminded about our upcoming Golf tourney and asked everyone to come out to play.

Dave Perry gave an update about his fundraising on MS walk.

Happy bucks and some fines were collected and the meeting was adjourned.



**HAVE A GREAT WEEK!**

*Rotary Contacts*

- Club President:**  
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- RI President 2015-2016:**  
K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran

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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 Denise Davidson.

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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?

*Rotary Club Meetings*

- Monday – Parksville, Bayside Inn, Noon
- Tuesday – Nanaimo North, refer to club website at [nanaimonorthrotary.org](http://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.

