



**Club Duties**

**October 25th**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Karin Matterin &

Ken Hammer

**Invocation:**

Lee Odgers

**Introductions:**

Bob Wall

**Rotary Minute:**

Doug Lum

**Sergeant @ Arms:**

TBA

**50/50:**

Christine McAuley

**November 1**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Ron Medd & Alastair Hunter

**Invocation:**

Dave Perry

**Introductions:**

Donna Allen

**Rotary Minute:**

Jim McIvor

**Sergeant @ Arms:**

Jo-Ann Harding

**50/50:**

Christine McAuley

**November 8**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Tony Mengual &

Lynda Kazanowski

**Invocation:**

Darryl Shaw

**Introductions:**

Nelson Allen

**Rotary Minute:**

Lee Mason

**Sergeant @ Arms:**

Bruce Mede

**50/50:**

Christine McAuley

## Weekly Wake-up

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### October 25: Club Assembly

### November 1: Guest Speakers: Bobbi Kurtz & Margot Holmes, Vancouver Island Symphony.

Bobbi & Margot will be talking to us about the VIS Education Program.

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Thank you to Carey McIvor, for her excellent presentation last week on the partnership between Regional District of Nanaimo and Sunyani Ghana. The RDN is assisting the region to develop a waste management program. Disposal of waste is a major problem in Ghana—something we take so much for granted here in Canada. Kudos to the RDN.

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### Rotary Friendship Exchange

Denise Larson gave us a brief overview of the Rotary Friendship Exchange. Some interesting information for the Club.

Rotary Friendship Exchange is Rotary's international exchange program for Rotarians and their families. Friendship Exchange provides participants the opportunity to experience other cultures by staying in the homes of Rotarians in other countries. The program aims to advance international understanding and peace through personal contact across borders while developing interclub relationships for fellowship and service projects. There are three types of programs: Visitor, Team, Uni-vocational.

For more information, please visit Rotary International website.

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### *Did you Know?*

**Bozone Layer:** An invisible cloud that surrounds stupid people and keeps bright ideas from getting through to them.

### *Consider:*

If toast always lands butter-side down, and cats always land on their feet, what happens if you strap toast on the back of a cat and drop it?

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### Club Birthdays

Oct 31—Daryl Kneivel

### Club Anniversaries

**Nov is a slow time for recruiting as we have no anniversaries from now until Dec—Who would you like to recruit?**

### Sell those Grey Cup Tickets!!!

The Grey Cup Party is fast approaching (Nov 19) so we need to get out there and sell those tickets.

#### Rotary Foundation Benefactor

A Rotary Foundation Benefactor is a person who has notified The Rotary Foundation (TRF) that he or she has made provisions in their final estate plans, or made an outright gift of \$1000 US or more to TRF's Permanent Fund. Benefactors receive a commemorative certificate, a letter of appreciation and a blue and gold recognition insignia to attach to their Rotary or Paul Harris pin. A US \$1000 gift to TRF creates a legacy of helping people lead better lives a round the world. There are over 68,000 Benefactors in the Rotary world today. Are you one of them? And remember.....you don't have to write a cheque to become a Benefactor! It is drop dead easy! and it is a way of carrying on your Rotary affiliation after you're gone!

Have you booked your spot for Fireside Chats? We looking to have 100% participation this year. Check your calendars and reserve today.

November 7 @ 7:00 p.m. at the home of Neil Sorsdahl - 6404 LaSalle Drive

November 9 @ 7:00 p.m. at the home of Kris Rongve - 200 Erin Place

November 16 @ 7:00 p.m. at the home of Lee Mason - 3910 Rock City Rd

November 25 @ 5:00 p.m. at the home of Nicole Gosselin - 2321 Whitney Rd.

Everyone will be called the day before the Chat by Dave Perry as a reminder.



Thanks to Darryl Shaw, our bulletin challenge is solved.

Darryl will assist me for the time that Don is away. Thanks, Darryl.

Lee—your “skills challenged” bulletin editor

#### Up Coming Events....

Nov 19: Grey Cup Fundraiser, Lantzville Hall

Nov: Fireside Chats commence. Dave Perry is coordinating these events.

#### Rotary Contacts

##### Club President:

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Nicole Gosselin

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Nathan Thornton

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Paul Geneau

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Erik Frederickson

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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, ABC Restaurant on Mary Ellen Drive, 4 p.m.

Thursday – Lantzville – ABC Restaurant on Mary Ellen Drive, 7 a.m.

