

Newsletter Date: January 6th, 2009



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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 6th, 2009

Front Door Greeters:

Jim Jeffries & Brian Kirkhope

Invocation:

Bruce Mede

Introductions:

Randall Taylor

Rotary Minute:

Francine Frisson

50/50:

Wendi Ferrero

Sqt @ Arms:

Neil Sorsdahl

January 13th, 2009

Front Door Greeters:

Denise Larson & Doug Lum

Invocation:

Don Bonner

Introductions:

Ron Medd

Rotary Minute:

Ricki Kristiansen

50/50:

Dave Thompson

Sgt @ Arms:

Kris Rongve

January 20th, 2009

Front Door Greeters:

Jim McIvor & Neil Sorsdahl

Invocation:

Ron Blank

Introductions:

Christine McAuley

Rotary Minute:

Daryl Knievel

50/50:

Dave Thompson

Sgt @ Arms:

Daryl Stech

Weekly Wake-up

upcoming Programs

January 6th - Nanaimo Telephone Visiting Society - Christine McCubbin

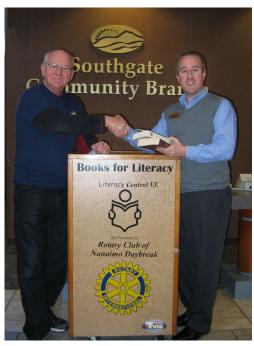
January 13th - TBA

January 20th - Club Assembly

NOTICES & NEWS Literacy Manaimo donation boxes ...

Rotary Daybreak's newest book donation box for Literacy Nanaimo is now located at the entrance of Coastal Community Credit Union at Southgate Mall...

Ron Blank with Assistant Manager Ian MacCaskell of CCCU's Southgate branch.



...more on the newest Books for Literacy donation boxes in "Meeting Notes" on page 2.../

Club Birthdays No Birthdays this week.

Club Anniversaries

No Anniversaries this week.

Meeting Notes-December 30th

submitted by Ron Blank

ROTARIANS! Herewith, the last Weekly Wake-up from the first decade of the second millennium. Whoa! That sure sounds impressive! Then again, the lofty goals and the good deeds of Rotarians are impressive. Congratulate yourselves!... OK, back on track, our meeting began on an interesting note. Member resourcefulness resolved the day: muffins arrived in the hands of the good Doctor Ken Hammer. Coffee arrived shortly thereafter. Not to worry!

This was our Club Business meeting, with a twist. Our seating was pre-arranged, with groupings for Service Projects, chaired by Denise Larson, and Club Administration, chaired by Rod Mont. Each avenue of service was then discussed, to highlight our many projects, and to educate everyone on the workings of our Club. Several members were in both avenues for service, and table-hopping was required. (Except for the reticent Swiss Miss) We all learned something, and enjoyed the camaraderie.

Two new members have been proposed:

Sarah Staniforth (of Origins) with her classification of Marketing, and, Barb Denike, with her classification of Music Education.

Lastly, I wanted to recognize the help of our Bruce Mede, and Mike Carson, owner of Signs Now. Below is the copy that I sent to the Nanaimo Daily News. Unfortunately, they shortened the copy and did not use the pictures. Their input makes our project successful.

Newest Location

Southgate Branch of Coastal Community Credit Union has graciously allowed Rotary Daybreak Nanaimo to locate our Book Donation Box inside their front entrance at Southgate Centre. Assistant Manager lan MacCaskell accepts the box from the builder, Rotarian Ron Blank. As part of our Rotary Daybreak Literacy Projects, we have built and maintain four Boxes in Nanaimo, with donations going directly to Literacy Central V.I. Updated signage compliments of Mike Carson of Signs Now

Largest One Yet!

Too many books overwhelmed the Book Donation Box located in Country Club Centre. As part of Rotary Daybreak's Literacy Project, we support Literacy Central V.I. by building and maintaining the donation boxes. Builder Ron Blank presents the largest of our four boxes to Country Club Centre Manager Dave Mills. Bruce Mede, of Adonai Millworks cut and banded the wood and Mike Carson of Signs Now provided the signage. Past Rotarian Terry Akerman certainly needs his pick-up truck. He empties the boxes every week from Woodgrove, Northtown and Country Club Centres and delivers them to Literacy. These seemingly innocuous donations contribute about \$20,000 in annual sales to Literacy Central VI.



Ron Blank presents the largest of our four boxes to Country Club Centre Manager Dave Mills

Book Donation Boxes located at: Main Entrance, (N) Woodgrove Centre (by Toys-R-Us) Centre Hallway, Northtown Centre (behind London Drugs) West Entrance, Country Club Centre (by Save-On-Foods Coastal Community Credit Union, Southgate Mall

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:

Dave Perry

Club Secretary:

Eileen Tatton

Club Treasurer:

Cindy Bartlett

Club President Elect:

Patrick Maguire

Bulletin Editor:

Robb Mowbray

Foundation Chair:

Dawne Anderson

Assistant Governor Area 2B

Brenda Grice

District Governor 2009-10:

Alex Alexander

RI President 2009-10:

John Kenny

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 Jeff Boegel dorack@shaw.ca

Please send content and photos for the Weekly Wake-up to Robb Mowbray at robb@theatrebc.org.

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?

