

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.

May 4th, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Tiffany Haarsma
& Sher Holubowich

Invocation:

Randall Taylor

Introductions:

Don Bonner

Rotary Minute:

Doug Lum

50/50:

Val Lennox

Sgt @ Arms:

Denise Davidson

May 11th, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Denise Larson & Karin Mattern

Invocation:

Dave Thompson

Introductions:

Bill Brendon

Rotary Minute:

Christine McAuley

50/50:

Val Lennox

Sgt @ Arms:

Bruce Mede

May 18th, 2011

Front Door Greeters:

Christine McAuley & Doug Lum

Invocation:

Nathan Thornton

Introductions:

Christine Craigie

Rotary Minute:

Jim McIvor

50/50:

Randall Taylor

Sgt @ Arms:

Donna Allen

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

May 4th - Classification Talk - Daryl Knievel

May 11th - VTT Team

May 18th - Club Assembly

NOTICES & NEWS

Daybreak family suffers another loss...

Sadly we pass along the news that Daryl Knievel's father passed away last week. Our most sincere condolences and thoughts are with Daryl, Amanda and their family. I'm sure you will recall that we announced only a few short week's ago that Amanda's father passed away. A very tough month indeed for Daryl, Amanda and family...

Daybreak Rotary Nanaimo presents

The Second Annual Community "Shred"...

SATURDAY, MAY 14TH, 10:00 am - 2:00 pm
NANAIMO NORTH TOWN CENTRE,
UPLANDS at OLIVER ROAD

Bring those confidential documents stored around the house to be shredded while you watch!

\$8 per Banker's Box (approx. 22 lbs or 9 kg of paper)
Pick up arranged for 10 or more boxes – for a fee!
Call 250 741 1102 by May 7th

Proceeds to support Rotary's fight to end Polio around the world.

Tell your friends and neighbours.
Shredding by Island Document Storage and Shredding Ltd.

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

Club Birthdays

May 7 Patrick Maguire

Club Anniversaries

May 3 Jim McIvor
May 10 Rod Mont

Meeting Notes - April 27th

wordsmith *Ron Blank*, photos *Donna Allen*

Our last Wednesday of April began with Karin Mattern leading us, A Capella, in our National Anthem. President Patrick Maguire then invited Bruce Mede to give an Invocation, which included a reasonable request for continued good playing from our Canucks.

Denise Larson did the Intro's: with Ron presenting Joy Cameron, Lantzville Rotarian & fellow retiree, Kris Rongve intro'd Doug Pearson, Nanaimo North Rotarian, & retired financier, and Kris Rongve then presented our recent Rotary Youth Leadership Award (RYLA) attendees: Charlotte Gunn, Yusuke Wada (also Youth Exch Std) and Neetu Menon, and all three attend Wellington Secondary.

Whilst Sergeant-at-Arms Dave Thompson was deciding the order of proceeding to breakfast, he managed to bring out the best and worst... Lust, avarice and vulgar sounds were heard from "THE MEMBERS!" Sounded almost like our House of Commons! Worse came to worst, those persons were rewarded!

After our repast, Kris again presented Doug Pearson, and he started with a brief history of RYLA. Doug said it began in Australia in 1959. By 1971, the concept was adopted as a Rotary International Project. The first RYLA in the USA was in our District. In 2011, Districts 5020 (VI and Northwest WA) and 5030 (Seattle area) celebrated our 42th year of RYLA participation. These 110 Rotary Clubs have sent nearly 44,000 students to Pacific Lutheran University, Tacoma WA, for intensive training, over 4 days, on networking, planning, selling and life goals. The cost per student is \$700, which includes travel, meals & chaperones.

Charlotte described the amazing people she met: a holocaust survivor, an art group that taught break dancing to low income areas, and a juggler who taught how to set goals. All speakers had a "really cool" way to present their topics.

Neetu was amazed at meeting so many like-minded youth. One speaker, "who felt that she had to make a difference in everyone's life", particularly impressed her.

Yusuke's favourite was the magician, and he liked the communication with others. Charlotte is involved with leadership in Wellington, and the weekend rekindled her passion and desire. Neetu gained new perspectives on how to help others. "It will affect her life!"



In addition to posing several good questions, Donna also promoted the Interact Club at Wellington Secondary. Joy confirmed the students would promote RYLA training for next year.

Denise Davidson delightedly presented them with "THE BOOK" by Monty Roberts, titled "The Man Who Listens to Horses," as all thing 'horsey' are good!

Val Lennox gave a Rotary Minute with "unfinished business." She has always been amazed and pleased by how Rotarians are willing to pitch in. Her dilemma was the cost to move a chest of drawers. Val offered money for transport & Robb Mowbray quickly jumped in to help. Robb then did the Rotary thing, with him donating the monies earned to Rotary. WELL DONE ROBB!!

Joy Cameron had been quietly soliciting. President Patrick also gave Joy the opportunity to publicly announce the Lantzville Golf Tourney on the 6th of May. (yours truly, along with Doug, Terry & Ben Sedgewick winning the 2Bit Trophy two years running) Joy was also selling tickets for the "Golf Ball Drop", by helicopter, on that day.

Patrick then read a letter of thanx from Honorary Member Terry Akerman, thanking us for the PHF and exhorting us to continue the good work with Literacy. (Side note, Terry's truck was stolen on Tuesday past, and was found, torched, in

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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:

Patrick Maguire

Past President:

Dave Perry

Vice President:

Neil Sorsdahl

Club Secretary:

Eileen Tatton

Club Treasurer:

Cindy Bartlett

Club President Elect:

Bill Brendon

International Service Director:

Rod Mont

Community Service Director:

Christine Craigie

Vocational Service Director:

Dave Thompson

Club Service Director:

Denise Larson

Bulletin Editor:

Robb Mowbray

Assistant Governor Area 2B:

Brenda Grice

District Governor 2010-11:

Robert Martin

RI President 2010-11:

Ray Klingensmith

~~~~~ 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 Neil Sorsdahl at goldendivot@shaw.ca

~~~~~ 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?



the barrens of Wiegles Road, off Doumont. The suspected perps were apprehended, and charges, including B&E are pending).

Our President also read a note from Bud Roworth, Nanaimo North Club, on a special appreciation night for Rotarian Extraordinaire Bruce Coleman, on 12 June, this year.

Neil Sorsdahl promoted our coming Golf Fore Nanaimo Youth, on Friday 27th of May, details on our website, and he asked for any, and all sponsors that we can find. Cost is only \$140, and a \$50 tax receipt will be issued. The Brochure will be printed shortly, and our website will also have links to sponsors. President Patrick is again coordinating the silent auction. Ron is constructing a 'Daybroke Trophy,' for the 'low net' Rotary Team.

Past-Pres Dave Perry is promoting the Rotary District 5020 Conference "Let The Good Times Roll" June 3-5, 2011, at The Hotel Murano Bicentennial Pavilion Tacoma, Washington. Dave has arranged a bus trip that will increase your Rotary fellowship and fun for this event. Contact Dave.

Francine Frisson also thanked Terry for his wonderful help over the past decade, and noted that we now have purchased two outdoor book donation boxes, and locations are being sought. Ken Hammer & Francine have selected another book for reading and fellowship, "title not remembered" and with a show of hands, she will order sufficient copies.

Dawne Anderson handled the 50/50 with Christine Craigie getting a shot at the \$225 pot. "Not to be!" Chris Everett really showed his card skills. He drew an Ace, and was incredulous to discover that it beat Patrick's deuce. (Overheard, "Wanna play some high stakes poker, Chris?")



...Val and the Pres...

Sergeant Dave continued the lightness and fun. Mostly, he lightened our pockets of our weighty coins. Dave managed to cull money from the Allens' for parking; Sher Holubowich line-cutting; Kris for not properly introducing Rotarian guests; Val was happy to announce that Nanaimo will host the National Agility Dog Show; Bob Wall (and others) wanted to play poker with Chris; Donna noted that Ken is now in Ghana, with Blog links on our website; several were happy for the RYLA students, and more so for the Rotary coordinators, and Nelson was allowed to close with us publicizing thanks in Friday's 'Nanaimo Daily News' for our successful 'Swing into Spring' event. Oops, who said "On Monday, VOTE EARLY, VOTE OFTEN!"

President Patrick then closed the meeting with a "Toast to Rotary" and "The Four Way Test" recitation.



...the Gambler and the Pres.

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 Rotary-News

District 5020 newsletter now online...

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/Data/5020/HTML/125319/may1-newsletter.pdf>

Have a Good Week!
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**ROTARY DAYBREAK
 UPCOMING BINGO COMMITMENTS 2010/2011**

Mon., May 20, 2011	11am – 1pm	Terry Rogers & San Mahara
Mon., July 4, 2011	11am – 1pm	Sher Holubowich & Denise Davidson
Wed., Aug. 10, 2011	11am – 1pm	Jim McIvor & Karin Mattern
Sun., Sept. 25, 2011	11 am—1pm	Kris Rongve & Sher Holubowich