



*Club Duties*

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

**May 8th, 2013**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Chris Everett & Wendi Ferrero

**Invocation:**

Kris Rongve

**Introductions:**

Nathan Thornton

**Rotary Minute:**

Wendi Ferrero

**50/50:**

Randall Taylor

**Sgt @ Arms:**

Dave Thompson

**May 15th, 2013**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Francine Frisson & Ken Hammer

**Invocation:**

Neil Sorsdahl

**Introductions:**

Bob Wall

**Rotary Minute:**

Sher Holubowich

**50/50:**

Randall Taylor

**Sgt @ Arms:**

Denise Davidson

**May 22nd, 2013**

**Front Door Greeters:**

Sher Holubowich  
& Lynda Kazanowski

**Invocation:**

Eileen Tatton

**Introductions:**

Donna Allen

**Rotary Minute:**

Francine Frisson

**50/50:**

Wendi Ferrero

**Sgt @ Arms:**

Don Bonner

# Weekly Wake-up

*Upcoming Programs*

- May 8 Dawne Anderson, 125 years of the Salvation Army
- May 15 Dr. John Snively - Dentistry for the Mayan communities in Guatemala
- May 22 Club Assembly

## NOTICES & NEWS

*Community "Shred" this coming weekend!!...*

*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](http://www.daybreakrotary.ca/index.php?p=2_8)

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

*Club Birthdays*

May 7 Patrick Maguire

*Club Anniversaries*

May 10 Rod & Heather Mont

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*Meeting Notes - May 1st notes by Terry Rogers photos by Donna Allen*

Meeting chaired by our returning President Denise Larson all tanned and healthy after her trip.  
Rod Mont led us in O' Canada.

**Greeters**

The Huggie Twins, Christine Craigie and Denise Davidson, make it worthwhile getting up early on Wednesday mornings.

**Invocation**

The scribe looked for a little divine intervention to assist the point production of his hockey team drafted in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Daybreak NHL Playoff Pool.

**Visiting Rotarians**

Barry Sparkes, our Assistant District Governor.

**Guests**

Nada

**Rotary Minute**

Donna Allen told us that in their trip to Ghana they had attended a Wasa event. She advised that Wasa is an organization which provides support for women that have lost their mates. At this event, Donna got to know Rosemary, who subsequently introduced Donna to Joyce, a young adult who had just recently lost her parents in a motor vehicle accident. Joyce wanted to be a nurse but had no financial means to achieve this goal. Donna advised that \$700 would fund one year of post secondary schooling in Ghana. Donna and Nelson funded Joyce's upgrading required to enter Nursing. Although Joyce was not successful in passing the courses required for Nursing, she was able to get trained as a Customs Officer. She works at the border of the Ivory Coast and Ghana, which has had some civil strife. Donna confirmed that Joyce is doing well and commented how rewarding it is to, not only, financially support young people to achieve their career goals, but also to get to know them.



*...Darryl was back and enjoying his greeting from the Huggy Twins...*

Randall Taylor advised that our club will be reciprocating the Nanaimo North club for their help on our Swing into Spring. We will need volunteers to staff their fundraiser, a Dinner Theatre event @ the Yacht Club, to be held June 8 and 9<sup>th</sup>. Our involvement will be similar to that of the Tigh-Na-Mara night. A sign-up sheet will be distributed next week.

Patrick Maguire distributed a sign up sheet for the P.A.R.T.Y. program. He also confirmed that the shredding fundraiser is scheduled for May 11/2013 from 10am to 2pm at the North Nanaimo Town Centre parking lot and that he will be distributing a sign up sheet next week.

Neil Sorsdahl advised that 68 golfers have signed up for our golf tourney scheduled for May 17/13. We need more sponsors and brochures are available for pick up.

**Guest Speaker-Robb Mowbray**

Robb is involved in the upcoming Theatre BC North Island Zone Festival. Robb provided a little history, informing us that, before 1923, there

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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.



*Denise was back and in charge...  
...Donna gave us a Rotary Minute...*



*Rotary Contacts*

- Club President:**  
Denise Larson
- Past President:**  
Bill Brendon
- Vice President:**  
Chris Everett
- Club Secretary:**  
Neil Sorsdahl
- Club Treasurer:**  
Anna Jones
- Club President Elect:**  
Randall Taylor
  
- International Service Director:**  
Francine Frisson
- Community Service Director:**  
Darryl Shaw
- Vocational Service Director:**  
Doug Lum
- Club Service Director:**  
Donna Allen
  
- Bulletin Editor:**  
Robb Mowbray
  
- Assistant Governor Area 2B:**  
Barry Sparkes
- District Governor 2012-2013:**  
Judy Byron
- RI President 2012-13:**  
Sakuji Tanaka

*Make-ups*

To ensure that your make-up info is properly recorded, send any info on extra meetings attended, extra committee work, service projects, online work, etc. to Membership Chair, Denise Davidson at [ddavidson@islandadjusters.com](mailto:ddavidson@islandadjusters.com)

*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?



was very little theatre production in Canada. In an effort to promote community theatre production, the federal government provided funding through the school boards. Over the years, community theatre groups have formed throughout the country. In our province, there are currently approximately 70 to 80 community theatre clubs which are member groups of Theatre B.C. (incorporated in 1932). The province is broken down into ten zones. Every year each zone holds a festival and all clubs within the zone are invited to attend. At the festival, all attending clubs perform a play which gets critiqued afterwards by an adjudicator while the audience is present. In addition, the next day there is a further evaluation known as the Coffee Critique, where audience and participants involvement is encouraged. The process is designed to be educational not only for the participants, but also for the audience.

One play will be chosen to represent each Zone at the provincial "Destination Mainstage" festival in Kamloops in July.

The North Island Zone Theatre Festival, hosted by the Nanaimo Theatre Group, will be held at the Bailey Studio from May 13 through May 18. The following plays will be competing:

May 13- Nanaimo Theatre Group- Les Belles Soeurs directed by our own Robb Mowbray

May 14- ECHO Players of QualicumBeach- The Memory of Water

May 15- Portal Players of Port Alberni-The Attic, The Pearls and 3 Fine Girls

May 16- Courtenay Little Theatre- The Winslow Boy

May 17- Theatre Now! of Powell River- Afterwords

All plays start at 7:30 pm and the cost is \$15 per play or \$65 for all five. Tickets can be purchased at nanaimotheatregroup.com

The Adjudicator is Michael Armstrong.



...Robb (your editor) got to be front and centre for a day as the guest speaker...  
...Look how tanned and happy Denise looks...

**Draw 50/50**

Dawne Anderson advised that there is \$55 in the pot. The six of spades was pulled, no winner. In addition, the wine will age one more week as there was no winner for that either.

**Sergeant-at-Arms**

Neil Sorsdahl, in a particularly benevolent mood, did not issue any fines and let happy bucks rule the day. Patrick Maguire took the opportunity to thank the club members collecting soap and Sher gloated about her team selected in the hockey pool.



We then tested our aging memories with a recitation of the 4 way test.



...Neil passes the bucket so we can pass the bucks - happy bucks that is...  
...Nobody wanted to sit with Darryl!? - you go away for a few weeks and look what happens!



**ROTARY DAYBREAK  
UPCOMING BINGO COMMITMENTS 2013**

- Wednesday, June 5 11am-1pm Denise Davidson & Eileen Tatton
- Monday, July 15 11am-1pm Terry Rogers & ?
- Saturday, Aug 24 11am-1pm Leanna Plug & Kris Rongve

**Have A Great Week!**