



Club Duties

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

August 7th, 2013

Front Door Greeters:

Ron Blank & Jeff Boegel

Invocation:

Bill Brendon

Introductions:

Chris Everett

Rotary Minute:

Ev Mudryk

50/50:

Bill Brendon

Sgt @ Arms:

Neil Sorsdahl

August 14th, 2013

Front Door Greeters:

Don Bonner & Bill Brendon

Invocation:

Graham Calder

Introductions:

Wendi Ferrero

Rotary Minute:

Anna Jones

50/50:

Dawne Anderson

Sgt @ Arms:

Dave Thompson

August 21st, 2013

Front Door Greeters:

Graham Calder
& Christine Craigie

Invocation:

Denise Davidson

Introductions:

Francine Frisson

Rotary Minute:

Leanna Plug

50/50:

Ron Blank

Sgt @ Arms:

Denise Davidson

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

Aug 7 Bill Brendon & Randy Spensley - Kidney Foundation
Aug 14 TBA
Aug 21 Club Assembly - Business Meeting

NOTICES & NEWS

President Randall with the NYSA team ...



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

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

Club Birthdays

No Birthdays this week.

Club Anniversaries

No Anniversaries this week.

Meeting Notes - July 31st

notes by Ron Blank photos by Donna Allen

Our venue for our regular Wednesday meeting was again downtown. Steve Arnett invited us to Nanaimo Youth Services Association (NYSA) and we were feted in their One Stop Kitchen.



Rod Mont roused us with his sax for our Anthem with Randall Taylor presiding

Denise Davidson asked for intro of guests:

Rod intro'd NYSA Board members Sue Creba, Chair and Mike Hunter. Steve, NYSA Exec Director presented Lee Wilson, One Stop Coordinator, Breakfast volunteers extraordinaire Gord Fuller and Bill Satchell and student Kendall Wilson.

After breakfast, Steve took the floor and said "How honoured and appreciative we are to have you here in this special kitchen funded by Rotary Daybreak members. This area is a place of refuge and comfort for those in need during winter and summer and "you have touched the lives of hundreds of young people."

Steve shared that chef Gord Fuller also runs their Youth Housing programmes and Bill Satchell is a long time volunteer with NYSA. Steve described the youth employment programme that Kendall Wilson was attending. Bladerunners prepares students with limited experience with Foodsafe, First Aid and other training that prepares them for work.

Kendall explained that, with her programme, she will be soon taking the skid-steer exam as a Bobcat operator. Her programme focuses on construction skills. Other courses focus on tourism and food service. They meet and learn "from a lot of good people and it's lots of fun!" Near the end of her course they get two weeks in house. (On the job) Students often get hired after their practicum.

Kendall thanked us for our time and attention.

Steve said these programmes "divert young people, leveraging them back into the economy and teaches inclusion into the community." One Stop gives them a safe place to hang out and begin their journey into becoming contributing members of society. "Imagine where she's going and how she will be able to stand up for herself!" (INDEED!)



Pres Randall said "We've also done well for ourselves with the association with NYSA." Donna added "What works so well: we're partners in what we do. Consider our Golf Tourney and the help from NYSA."

The Vancouver Island Exhibition (VIE) runs from August 15-17 and Randall says "We need volunteers to promote Rotary." Contact Randall or Bob Fenty for times.

Dave Thompson, wearing his Funds Allocation hat, said last week's speaker, Liz DeMattia with the Nanaimo Science Centre (NS³), needs volunteers to help with their programmes. For businesses, they have five programmes for 20 kids that need funding for \$800 each. Dave will also share details via email.

The Alberta Flood has hit Bill Brendon's Western Financial Group (WFG) particularly hard as their headquarters is in High River, AB. There are 120 families with no homes and many WFG staff are also affected. Mark your calendars for 24th August, 5PM at Landlubber Pub beer & burger from 5-8 PM for 15 bucks. Canny Bill is trying for support from the Clippers and VI Raiders.

Another coming event is the Nan/Lantz Rotary Club's presentation of the acclaimed "Good Timber" play at the Port Theatre on Tuesday 20th

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Rotary Contacts

Club President:

Randall Taylor

Past President:

Denise Larson

Vice President:

Club Secretary:

Neil Sorsdahl

Club Treasurer:

Anna Jones

Club President Elect:

Chris Everett

International Service Director:

Community Service Director:

Vocational Service Director:

Club Service Director:

Bulletin Editor:

Robb Mowbray

Assistant Governor Area 2B:

Barry Sparkes

District Governor 2013-2014:

Peter Taylor

RI President 2012-13:

Ron Burton

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*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)

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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, 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.



at 1 PM for \$25. Robb Mowbray or Bill have the tix. You can also buy 10 tix for \$220 ("Its songs and stories are of unique, well-painted characters; that are blissfully and completely unaware of a big picture beyond the swing of the axe or the whistle of the locomotive. After a song or two, we're not concerned with anything but relaxing and hearing the alternately bawdy, touching, and comedic stories of life in the woods (and, of course, nights on the town)." - Vancouver Weekly newspaper.)

Youth Coordinator Doug Lum advised they need a host family from Mid December to End Mar for 18 years old Swedish Exchange Student Sara Lindhagen. She arrives on 14th August. If you have any short day trips or events that you want to share, especially before school starts, call Doug to include Sara.

We finished before eight, paid fines and shared our good news items. Randall administered the Four Way Test. Off we went to our days in Rotary.



**ROTARY DAYBREAK
UPCOMING BINGO COMMITMENTS 2013**

- Saturday, Aug 24 11am-1pm Leanna Plug & Kris Rongve
- October 3 - Thursday 11am - 1pm Ron Blank and Dave Thompson
- November 16 - Saturday 11am - 1pm Kris Rongve and Sher H

End of Summer Fellowship

There will be a potluck BBQ for Rotarians and spouses (and families) at Jodi and Terry Rogers' place on September 7th, *weather permitting*.