



Club Duties

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

Feb 7th, 2018

Front Door Greeters:

Scott Bradford & Bill Brendon

Front-of-House:

San Mahara

Invocation :

Bonnie Murrell

Introductions:

Terry Rogers

Rotary Minute:

Kris Rongve

50/50:

Patrick Maguire

Sgt At Arms:

Denise Davidson

Meeting Notes:

Randall Taylor

Feb 14th, 2018

Front Door Greeters:

Christine Craigie & Denise Davidson

Front-of-House:

San Mahara

Invocation :

Ev Boegh

Introductions:

Eileen Tatton

Rotary Minute:

Terry Rogers

50/50:

Bill Brendon

Sgt At Arms:

Daryl Knieval

Meeting Notes:

Bill Hardy

Feb 21st, 2018

Front Door Greeters:

Rod Fay & Ken Hammer

Front-of-House:

San Mahara

Invocation:

Doug Pearson

Introductions:

Randall Taylor

Rotary Minute:

Dave Thompson

50/50:

Randall Taylor

Sgt @ Arms:

Don Bonner

Meeting Notes:

Janice Perrino

Weekly Wake-up

Upcoming Programs

Feb 7th - Julie Bevan and/or Ken Hammer, Nanaimo Art Gallery

Feb 14th - Holly Bright, Crimson Coast Dance, BodyTalk Program

Feb 21st - Business Meeting

Ron, Patrick and Graham in Guatemala...

Ron Blank is in Guatemala again and Guatemala just blew its top! ...

Volcan Fuego demonstrating nature's power with an incredible eruption this morning. I am currently about 10 kms from the base of the volcano. We can hear explosions coming from the crater and the smoke and ash are billowing 1000's of feet into the air. The volcano is about 3700 meters high. The pyroclastic flow down the left side into the valley on the left is sliding into a highway we were on yesterday as we returned from the Pacific Coast. The locals don't seem to be paying it much attention. All I can say is "WOW" -Graham



Fireside Chats...

Four Fireside Chats have been scheduled as follows:

Rod Mont – Friday, February 9th at 7pm

Ev Boegh – Sunday, February 11th at 2pm

Kris Rongve – Tuesday, February 20th at 6:30 pm

Dave Thompson – Wednesday, February 21st at 6pm

Sunshine Ladies reminder...

A reminder...If any members know of another member who is ill or who has had a death in the family, please let our Sunshine Ladies, Sher or Donna know, so that they can send out a card on behalf of the club. Thank you.

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 - Jan 31st/2018 submitted by Randall Taylor, photos by n/a

Ev Boegh led this week's meeting, opening with 'O Canada' followed by invocation.

Ken Hammer found no visiting Rotarians this morning so he led a show-of-hands with acknowledgment of years of Rotary service from our club members. Cathy Manson attended as a guest this morning.

Sergeant at Arms, Kris then assigned table order and breakfast began.

Rotary Minute was provided by Dave Perry who described finding Rotary's affect during his recent trip through Singapore and Sri Lanka. Dave said he was astonished at the many places where he saw the Rotary Wheel emblem. "We can change lives" was Dave's comment with encouragement for us to continue our support of Rotary.

Ev announced that we still require two host homes for Fireside Chats. Fireside Chats will take place on the long-weekend of February 9th to 11th.

Ken Hammer and Rod Fay created a flip-chart list of club functions which will be expanded to create a calendar of all club events. Club events list will be provided to members when completed.

Guest Speaker:

San Mahara provided this morning's presentation. San planted the idea that our "Trek for Nepal" could be expanded to include a trek to the base camp of Mount Everest.

Through slides and video, San showed how it would be possible to have a group of Rotarians and other supporters climb Mount Everest to the altitude of 5,000 metres (base camp). This would be a fund-raising event for Nepal. Expanding the opportunity to all members of our Rotary District would add to the success of this project.

San has relatives in Nepal who can assist with the arrangements and who have an agency which will provide guides during the trek to base camp. It was noted that the trek/ climbing ranges from moderate to fairly challenging.

This will be a 15 day trek, plus the travel time to Kathmandu, Nepal. The trek would start by flying out of Kathmandu to the start of the climb. Best time of year is mid-September to mid-December. More information or to express interest in this event, please talk to San.

Draws and Final Announcements:

50/50; Bill Brendon had a chance to find the Queen of Hearts, but no luck. Dawne Anderson won the Foundation draw.

All that was left to do was pay our fines, offer Happy Bucks, recite the Four Way Test, and say our goodbyes.

Rotary Contacts

- Club President:**
Nathan Thornton
- Past President:**
Neil Sorsdahl
- Vice President:**
Doug Lum
- Club Secretary:**
Ron Blank
- Club Treasurer:**
Doug Pearson
- Club President Elect:**
Evelyn Boegh

- International Service Director:**
San Mahara
- Community Service Director:**
Dave Perry
- Youth Service Director:**
Scott Bradford
- Club Service Director:**
Donna Allen
- Member Service Director:**
Ken Hammer

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Robb Mowbray

- Assistant Governor Area 4:**
Bev Hilton, Oceanside
- District Governor 2017-2018:**
Tom Carroll
- RI President 2017-2018:**
Ian H.S. Riseley

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 Denise Davidson.

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
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Tuesday – Nanaimo North, Nanaimo Golf Club, 6:10 pm
- Wednesday – Nanaimo Oceanside, Longwood Meeting Rm upstairs 5 p.m.
- Thursday – Lantzville – ABC Restaurant on Mary Ellen Drive, 7 a.m.
- Friday – Nanaimo – Coast Bastion Inn, 12:15 p.m.

HAVE A GREAT WEEK!

