

Newsletter Date: March 22nd, 2023



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Weekly Wake-up

Club Duties

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

March 22nd , 2023

Front Door Greeters: Karin Mattern Front-of-House: Denise Larson Tech Set-up & Run TBA Inspiration: Doug Lum Introductions: Linda Koshman Rotary Minute: Sheila Forrest 50/50: Zel Hopson Sot at Arms **Duane Seibel**

Linda Koshman

Meeting Notes:

Robb Mowbray

In Person Meetings Taking Place!!!...

Mar 29th - Kerry Isham, Nanaimo Women Helping Women

In-person meetings are now at Nanaimo Golf Course for meetings AND breakfast will be served! Please confirm by Monday noon on DaybreakRotary.ca

Mar 22nd – Robin McQueen, Book: Understanding Conflict: Bridging Theory & Practice

Upcoming Programs

Fireside Chats starting Thursday!!...

At Rod and Jill's - March 16; Graham and Vicki's - 22 March; and Darryl and Amanda's - 23 March

Cheque Presentation...

Apr 5th – TBA

This is from Sun Mar 12. \$2000 to the Snuneymuxw Jr All Native Basketball tournament 70-90 teams descending on Nanaimo March 19-24. This donation is in support of the participant's dance/pizza nite on Wednesday March 22



Link to Daybreak Calendar...daybreakrotary.ca/events/

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(AT)telus.net

Meeting Notes: Kris Rongve

Sgt at Arms Sher Holubowich

Club Birthdays No Birthdays this week.

Club Anniversaries No Anniversaries this week.

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Meeting Notes:

March 29th, 2023 Front Door Greeters:

San Mahara & Scott Manson Front-of-House: Denise Larson Tech Set-up & Run TBA Inspiration: Caitlin Lundgren Introductions: Denise Larson Rotary Minute: Cathy Graham 50/50: Zel Hopson Sgt at Arms **Duane Seibel**

April 5th, 2023

Front Door Greeters: **Bonnie Murrell** & Darlington Okwudibe Front-of-House: Sheila Forrest Tech Set-up & Run TRA Inspiration: San Mahara Introductions: Doug Lum **Rotary Minute:** Terry Gwilliam 50/50: Wayne Peddie

Meeting Notes - Mar. 15th, 2023 by Rod Mont, photos by n/a

The meeting started with President Graham acknowledging that we are meeting on the territory of the Snuneymuxw First Nation, Rod Mont playing O Canada, and Denise Larson giving the inspiration. Karin Mattern led the introductions of our guests Iyla Christie and Lisa Garvie.

In the Rotary moment, Ken Hammer outlined the many ways that Rotary gets involved with youth. These include the Rotary Youth Exchange (RYE), Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA), Rotaract and Interact. In addition to these international aspects of youth projects, our club is also involved with the Junior All Native Tournament (<u>www.irallnative.ca</u>), NYSA, Boys and Girls Club, Child Development Centre and a youth program with the Nanaimo Art Gallery. Ken passed around a volunteer sheet regarding the Junior All Native Tournament.

Evelyn Boegh reminded us of the five club Trash Pick-up starting at 9 AM on Saturday, April 22nd at Northfield Park. Last year, we picked up over a ton of garbage in one morning! Ev is looking for volunteers to help organize the event.

Our guest speaker was lyla Christie. Iyla is in grade 8 and attended RYLA Vancouver Island at Camp Qwanoes last fall. Iyla had pictures from RYLA and shared her experience there. One of the things that she learned was that leaders are not circles but are like horseshoes because they are open to change.

San Mahara announced that he is looking into changing the Hike to Mt. Everest Base Camp to a different hike and experience in Nepal.

Rod Mont reminded members to sign up for fireside chats. Rod and Jill are hosting March 16th, Graham and Vicki on March 22nd, and Darryl and Amanda on March 23rd. The fireside chats next week are full.

President Graham and Bonnie Murrell discussed a new opt out system for breakfasts being considered by Daybreak Rotary. In order to cut down on the administrative time in determining attendance for our regular meetings and to ensure that the club meetings have sufficient food for those who attend, we are looking at having all members sign up for automatic payments for breakfast. Members who always attend will then no longer have to register for breakfast every week. Anyone who will not be attending any given meeting will have the option each week to opt out by Monday at noon in order not to be charged for breakfast. Details are still being worked out for this proposal. Grahan and Bonnie encourage feedback. A start date has not yet been set.

Sheila Forrest read a thank you note from Rebecca Ryane who was one of our guest speakers last week. Rebecca enjoyed meeting everyone and is now considering joining a Rotary club in the Parksville - Qualicum Beach area. Doug Lum announced that the golf tournament committee has been active. Members were encouraged to donate prizes.

A Happy Birthday was sung to Doug Ozeroff. Zel Hopson did the 50/50 which was won by Doug Lum. Denise Davidson did the honours as Sergeant-at-Arms.

Rotary Club Meetings

Wednesday – Parksville, Bayside Inn, 5:45 bi-monthly 1st, 3rd Tuesday – Nanaimo North, Nanaimo Golf Club, 6:10 pm Every other Wednesday – Nanaimo Oceanside, Nanaimo Golf Club 5 p.m. Thursday – Lantzville – 2nd, 4th, 5th Friday – Nanaimo –Nanaimo Golf Club, 12:00 p.m.

Rotary Contacts

Club President: Graham Calder Past President: Janice Krall Vice President: Rod Mont Club Secretary: Bonnie Murrell Club Treasurer: Anna Jones Club President Elect: Dave Thompson

International Services Director:

Duane Seibel

Public Image & Community Services Director: Jodi Rogers Youth Services Director:

Terry Gwilliam

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Denise Davidson Member Services Director:

Jeff Boegel

Bulletin Editor: Robb Mowbray

Assistant Governor Area 4: Ken Hammer District Governor 2022-2023: T. Dale Roberts RI President 2022-2023: Jennifer Jones

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?

GREAT WEEK!

- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?