

**Newsletter Date:** May 31st, 2023

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## **Club Duties**

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

## May 31st, 2023

Front Door Greeters:

Sheila Forrest & Mike Garvie

Front-of-House:

Jodi Rogers

Tech Set-up & Run

TBA Inspiration:

Dave Perry

Introductions:

Robb Mowbray Rotary Minute:

Caitlin Lundgren 50/50:

Zel Hopson

Sgt at Arms Wayne Peddie

## **Meeting Notes:** Linda Koshman

#### June 7th, 2023 Front Door Greeters:

Cathy Graham & Terry Gwilliam

Front-of-House: Sher Holubowich Tech Set-up & Run

TBA

Inspiration: Wayne Peddie

Introductions:

Bonnie Murrell

Rotary Minute: Daryl Knievel

50/Ś0:

Zel Hopson Sgt at Arms

Denise Davidson

#### June 14th, 2023

Front Door Greeters:

Graham Calder & Terry Gwilliam

Front-of-House: Sher Holubowich

Tech Set-up & Run

Inspiration: Wayne Peddie Introductions:

Bonnie Murrell Rotary Minute: Daryl Knievel

50/50:

Zel Hopson Sgt at Arms Denise Davidson **Meeting Notes:** 

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## 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:** Rod Mont

> Club Birthdays Donna Allen

June 1

#### Club Anniversaries

No Anniversaries this week.

# Weekly Wake-up

# **Upcoming Programs**

May 31st - Sean Gallagher & Colleague, Nanaimo Arts Council

June 7<sup>th</sup> – MORNING MEETING CANCELLED (for June 9<sup>th</sup> New Board Installation)

June 14th - Leslie Sunday, Palliative Care for Children

#### In Person Meetings Taking Place!!!...

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



### Meeting Notes - May 24th, 2023 by Jill Mont, photos by Cathy Manson.

President Graham MC; Rod Mont - O Canada - tenor sax

Guests: Caitlynn brought Abbie Vomacka, Nicola Crowhurst - here to present a cheque for Nigerian Bore

Hole, Lauren and Shane Rogers, Veera Lahdensuo, Leslie Domino

Dawne - Invocation

Doug Lum - **Rotary Minute** -thanking the women on our committees who are actually working to get the work done. Women were only allowed in Rotary starting in 1989 and Doug reflected on that must be when stuff actually started getting done.

Nelson Allen awarded Rotary Foundation Paul Harris + 3 fellowship award to Denise Davidson.



Graham-We are \$3.50 short per member of donations to the annual fund to receive the next level of grants if anyone wants to go to Rotary.org and donate.

**Presentation Janice Krall** - Hospital Foundation, talked about an infant cuddle cot for when families lose a baby. NRGH received funding to get one. The family that spearheaded this singular project has continued with this and they raised over \$35,000 in one week and were able to purchase 5 more for other Vancouver Island hospitals.

Our Rotary club donated \$500.00 to this.

Doug Lum introduced our **Guest Speaker Rob Hunter** of the Nanaimo Clippers. Rob asked "what is behind what they do". The path to the NHL is changing. NCAA is becoming much more popular. Players coming in from across North America and streaming to NCAA, 40% go this route. Attendance is recovering, up 41.5% since 2021-2022. Sponsorship is up 39% as well and is seeing growth and works hard to meet the \$1.5 million annual budget. New owners are excellent team managers and have been able to start donating back into the community. New players



coming up one of whom is being scouted by NHL and another who is excited to be part of the community. Billeting is a big part of having these players here and are always looking for billet families. Some of our 50-50 \$ have gone to loaves and fishes, Snuneymuxw indigenous basketball, 205 Air Cadet quadron, Salvation Army, etc etc

 ${\sf Q}$  & A. BCHL is leaving Hockey Canada.  ${\sf Q}$  - How will this look? A - Better opportunity.

**Presentation** - Nicola Crowhurst introduced by Rod Mont. Joint concert by Island Time Saxophone Quartet and Island Brass fundraising to help complete the water system of the Nigeria Bore Hole Project our club is funding. The concert was attended by 100 people. Nicola presented a cheque.

Dawne Anderson thanked Bonnie and Tanya for helping with Salvation Army tea.

Bill Brendan - he would like to have help for Poker Tournament June 25. Moose Lodge 2;00 pm, \$100.00 entry fee. Bill looking for restaurant gift certificates. Watch for Email for more details.

Doug Lum - Friday is golf tournament. Still could use a couple of volunteers in room set up and registration.

Final net of shredding \$7368.94 Bottle drive made \$943.00

June 9 installation - sign up - \$50.00 per person

Jodi and "kids", our newest lawyer and dentist-to-be!



# 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 – 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>

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

**Club Services Director:** 

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