



Club Duties

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

September 6th, 2023

Front Door Greeters:

Rick Stirling & Abbie Vomacha

Front-of-House:

Zel Hopson

Tech Set-up & Run

TBA

Inspiration:

Graham Calder

Introductions:

Naomi Bailey

Rotary Minute:

Duane Seibel

50/50:

Bill Brendon

Sgt at Arms

Kris Rongve

Meeting Notes:

Robb Mowbray

September 13th, 2023

Front Door Greeters:

Denise Davidson

& Dawne Anderson

Front-of-House:

Zel Hopson

Tech Set-up & Run

TBA

Inspiration:

Lesley Domino

Introductions:

Jeff Boegel

Rotary Minute:

Donna Allen

50/50:

Bill Brendon

Sgt at Arms

Sher Holubowich

Meeting Notes:

Rod Mont

September 20th, 2023

Front Door Greeters:

Nelson Allen & Jeff Boegel

Front-of-House:

Zel Hopson

Tech Set-up & Run

TBA

Inspiration:

Tanya Forbes

Introductions:

Ev Boegh

Rotary Minute:

Dawne Anderson

50/50:

Wayne Peddie

Sgt at Arms

Daryl Knievel

Meeting Notes:

Kris Rongve

Upcoming Programs

Sept 6th – Don Bonner, Artificial Intelligence

Sept 13th – Haley Poirier, Classification Talk

Sept 20th – Rotary Information Meeting

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](http://DaybreakRotary.ca)



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](mailto:robbmowbray(AT)telus.net)

Club Birthdays

No Birthdays this week.

Club Anniversaries

Sept 6 Sher & Pat Holubowich

Meeting Notes – August 30th, 2023 by Kris Rongve, photos by Cathy Manson.

President Dave opened the meeting with the acknowledgement of the traditional territory.

Rod M. helped us sing O Canada.

Bill B did an Inspiration that started with reference to “I had a dream” and ended with “Never doubt that one person can change the world....” Truly inspiring words.

Don B handled the Introduction of guests and Sheila F. introduced her friend, Megan, who is checking out the club. I'm never sure: should we be nice to people like that? Or just be our normal selves?

Crystal Dennison and Dan Morris were present for the Nanaimo-Ladysmith School Foundation and the Stock the Lockers program.

Kris R. did the Rotary Moment. To compensate for Bill's really great comments, these did not inspire – being mainly a comment/complaint that the club really wanted her to come to the meeting given that she had three separate sets of duties to do that day.

Sheila F. got her fifth Paul Harris!

Scott M. who did not know that he was Sgt At Arms until he arrived, did a great job with the assignment of tables (which had nothing to do with the fact that my table was third in line....)

Ken H introduced Crystal and Dan again who spoke about the Stock the Lockers campaign: it supports the basics. Last year over 1200 students were given supplies, running shoes, clothing, fees for activities, and food: breakfast, lunch and snacks. All through donations. They need volunteers too!

Rob Dodds did his classification talk. Let's just say dedicated biker to the point of 33 bones broken and lots of surgeries. He is a BMX biker and trick rider who has competed nationally and internationally. He also found time to start a business, get married (30 years there), have three children (twin sons and a daughter), 2 dogs. Even now he still races, fishes, and breaks bones.

Announcements:

Doug L: next Oktoberfest meeting is September 6 at the Landlubber. He reports that Caitlin L. is doing a great job. The event is October 21 so start pushing tickets. The tickets are available on the website.

Denise L.: Rotary Exchange Student event occurring that evening. Bring prizes there if you can.

Graham C./Doug L: Clippers pre-season starts September 8, September 22 is start of regular season.



Rotary Contacts

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

- 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:**
Dave Perry

Bulletin Editor:
Robb Mowbray

Assistant Governor Area 4:
Ken Hammer

District Governor 2023-2024:
Caleb Summerfelt

RI President 2023-2024:
Gordon McNally

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?

Birthdays: Ken H. and Denise D.

50/50 had an expanded gift base: tools and a blanket from Rob D. Rick S won twice, Tanya F won and Dan Morris won, Then Wayne P won. Then Zel H. won the money. Just for the record, I feel that I should get the refund I asked Jodi to give me for my defective tickets....)

The test, the toast, the departure!

