

January 3rd, 2024

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Club Duties

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

January 3rd, 2024 Front Door Greeters:

Bonnie Murrell &

Darlington Okwudibe

Meeting Notes:

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Hayley Poirier

Rod Mont

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

TBA

Inspiration: San Maraha

Introductions: Anna Jones

Rotary Minute: Ken Hammer 50/50:

Zel Hopson Sqt at Arms Daryl Knievel

January 10th, 2024 **Front Door Greeters:**

Dave Perry & Hayley Poirier

Front-of-House: Denise Larson

Tech Set-up & Run

Inspiration:

Cathy Manson Introductions:

Daryl Knievel

Rotary Minute: Zel Hopson

50/50: Jodi Rogers

Sgt at Arms Doug Ozeroff

January 17th, 2024

Front Door Greeters: Rick Stirling & Doug Ozeroff

Front-of-House: Denise Larson

Tech Set-up & Run

TBA

Inspiration: Karin Mattern

Introductions: Doug Lum

Rotary Minute: Daryl Knievel 50/50: Jodi Rogers

Sgt at Arms Duane Seibel **Meeting Notes:** Scott Manson

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

Club Birthdays

Bonnie Murrell

Jan 7

Club Anniversaries

Cathy & Scott Manson Jan 6

Upcoming Programs

Jan 3rd - Linden Shaw, Nutrition For Kids Jan 10th - Gerald Halabura, Literacy Central Jan 17th - Rotary Information Meeting

In Person Meetings Taking Place!!!...

In-person meetings are now at Nanaimo Golf Course AND breakfast will be served!

Happy New Year!!!

Meeting Notes – December 20th, 2023 by Scott Manson, photos by Cathy Manson

Dave Thompson chaired the meeting.

Caitlin-**Inspiration**: "It came without ribbons, it came without tags. It came without packages, boxes, or bags." (From the movie "The Grinch"). Rotary is about community all year 'round!

Guests: Donna introduced Liam, our newest member being inducted today, & his Dad, Mark. Graham introduced his daughter, Lindsey, visiting from Calgary.

San introduced Darlington's daughter, Clair.

Terry G-Rotary Moment: "Thanks to all for the work you have done."

Graham relied on the "Hogwartz School of Magic" backscratcher to determine order of tables for breakfast, by pulling multi-coloured kerchiefs out of his sleeve to match coloured squares on the tables.

Dave announced that our club now has over 50 members.

The cheque presented to Loaves and Fishes for \$8500, turns into \$42,500 worth of food! Nelson presented Graham with his FOURTH Paul Harris award.

Dave presented Maddie of Nanaimo Golf Club with a cheque for \$100 for her great service to our club.

Anna listed the various community donations that the club has given this past year.

Rod M. formally inducted our newest member, Liam.

Dave presented to Jane Pegg a cheque for \$500 to support the Roots to Read Program, a program dedicated to reading to babies to help them read sooner and better.

Rod M. outlined the positions of the committees:

- Dave T.-President until July.
- Daryl Knievel-President starting in July
- Sheila Forrest-President Elect in July
- Bonnie-Secretary
- Robb Mowbray-editor of Bulletin (for 17 years!)
- Anna-Treasurer
- Terry G. Youth Services Director stepping down, Mike Garvie taking over.
- Jodi Rogers Public Relations stepping down, Caitlin Lundgren taking over.
- Tanya and Doug are staying on in their present positions.

Graham did a presentation about Guatemala and the literacy project that he is involved in with Rotary.

Rod encouraged all of us to fill out the photo permission forms!

Rod also mentioned that our International Student, Alex, has found a Host Family. Although not needed this time, Rod thanked San and his wife for stepping up to help.

Birthdays: Anna Jones, Kris Rongve, Lesley Domino

Anniversary: Mike and Lisa Garvie Mike Garvie won \$56 in the 50/50 draw!

Graham concluded the meeting by asking for Happy Bucks only! No fines!

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:

Daryl Knievel

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 McInally

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?