



Club Duties

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

Front of House:

March: Rob Dodds

April: Hayley Poirier

March 27, 2024

Front Door Greeters:

Cathy Graham & Terry Gwilliam

Inspiration:

Kris Rongve

Introductions:

Bonnie Murrell

Rotary Moment:

Rob Mawdsley

50/50:

Tanya Forbes

Sgt At Arms:

Doug Ozeroff

Meeting Notes:

Kris Rongve

April 3, 2024

Front Door Greeters:

Denise Davidson & Ken Hammer

Inspiration:

Duane Siebel

Introductions:

Doug Ozeroff

Rotary Moment:

Jill Mont

50/50:

Tanya Forbes

Sgt At Arms:

Graham Calder

Meeting Notes:

Rod Mont

April 10, 2024

Front Door Greeters:

Daryl Knievel & Denise Larson

Inspiration:

Rick Stirling

Introductions:

Dave Perry

Rotary Moment:

Rod Mont

50/50:

Wayne Peddie

Sgt At Arms:

Duane Siebel

Meeting Notes:

Scott Manson

Upcoming Programs

March 27th – Lesley Domino – International Students: Fonda, Tosia, and Alex

April 3rd – Natalie Cuthbert – Classification Talk

April 10th – To Be Announced

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our birthday boy turned 65!



[Link to Daybreak Calendar...daybreakrotary.ca/events/](https://daybreakrotary.ca/events/)

Sunshine Committee 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 Committee, 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 roderickmont@gmail.com

Club Birthdays

Mar. 29th Duane Siebel

Club Anniversaries

None

Meeting Notes – March 20th, 2024 by Hayley Poirier, photos by Cathy Manson

President Dave opened the meeting at 7 am followed by Rod leading us in O Canada. Jodi R. shared an Inspiration - a beautiful message about appreciating those people around us daily because we just never know when they might not be here tomorrow and then wished Rotarian Dave P. a Happy 65 Birthday.

Scott brought us a Rotary moment: A book -"a Daily Dose of Sanity". The Greatest among us is a story that shared an everyday person can affect us in a positive way. Roy Bonnet was a visiting Rotarian and Abbie introduced her guest Bunny Doyle. Jodi introduced her son Shane and guest Val Cunningham was introduced for possibly the last time before she becomes a member- more to come later. Sgt at Arms Daryl K. assigned the tables for breakfast.

Cathy M. -our exchange students are arriving next week to attend our meeting. Drivers were needed to help. Thank you, Rotarians, for volunteering quickly. Ev announced trash pick-up on April 20. A sign-up sheet is coming. The Business Expo has been rescheduled for Sept/24. The Annual Rotary Book Sale is coming starting April 5 and a sign-up sheet will circulate next meeting.

President Dave updated us that The Taste of Africa was canceled but some of the money that was donated by the ticket holders did cover the cost of the cancellation. – Thank you all who stepped up. Jill explained that anyone who did not ask for a refund has their money to a water project in Nigeria. In addition, there were a few people who specifically asked for their funds to be used to offset the costs incurred for The Taste of Africa.

Treasurer Anna gave us a report of Financials. Any details can be offered up, just ask Anna or President Dave if you want some information.

Spotlight moment – Denise D. explained some of her duties about club service. It is a BIG job and she does an incredible job organizing her committee of many Rotarians. The committees under Club Service organize: guest speakers, annual installation of officers, the tech side of our meetings including Zooms and hybrid meetings if needed. Also, The finance treasurer, Sgt of Arms, Front of house, weekly schedule of the meeting jobs, and last but not least, our club history.

Director of Membership Dave P. updated us that we have 56 active members and 5 honorary members.

A request at the Board meeting was heard to have Rod Fey become an Honorary member. The Board approved this. Dave P. then moved: to accept Rod F. as an honorary member of our club. Jeff was our seconder. This motion will be voted on at next week's meeting.

Tanya F- Director at large is helping our Secretary Bonnie while she is away. Jodi's Fundraising committee updated us that our annual Golf Tournament is May 24. Shed day is May 25. Sign up sheets will come later. Also, April 20 is Earth Day garbage pick-up day, more come to come.

Youth Services Director Terry updated us. A 5-club team meeting is in the planning stages. RYLA - Rotary Youth Leadership Awards. A weekend gathering is typically planned annually. The Interact team shared that it looks like we have 8 students. Abbie will continue to help Leslie, Thank you. VP Rod M added details about the Youth and the committee organizations.

Doug L. - Director at Large shared that Catherine L from the Nanaimo Ultimate Association is organizing a fundraiser event and they are asking for help from our group. Doug will share more as information comes. The Clippers are on their last 2 regular season games, and they will be in the playoffs. A big thank you to all our stair masters who help with the 50/50 at each game. The Clippers gave us \$25,000 for running the 50/50 for this fiscal year.

Ken attended the Rotaract club celebration of women on March 10 with speakers and a terrific event. A light attendance by the public but was a great time. A "push for change" event youth services is trying to raise awareness and funds for this group. Ask Ken for details.

Birthdays and Anniversaries were shared.

President Dave wrapped up the meeting at 7:58 am.

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:
Rod Mont

Assistant Governor Area 4:
Ken Hammer

District Governor 2023-2024:
Caleb Summerfelt

RI President 2023-2024:
Gordon McNally

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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?