



## Club Duties

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

### Front of House:

February: Caitlin Lundgren

### February 5, 2025

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

San Mahara & Cathy Manson

#### **Inspiration:**

Alan Rinehart

#### **Introductions:**

Dave Perry

#### **Rotary Moment:**

Karin Mattern

#### **50/50:**

Bill Brendon

#### **Sgt At Arms:**

Duane Seibel

#### **Meeting Notes:**

Rod Mont

### February 12, 2025

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

Karin Mattern & Scott Manson

#### **Inspiration:**

Jodi Rogers

#### **Introductions:**

Hayley Poirier

#### **Rotary Moment:**

Cathy Manson

#### **50/50:**

Bill Brendon

#### **Sgt At Arms:**

Valri Cunningham

#### **Meeting Notes:**

Scott Manson

### February 19, 2025

#### **Front Door Greeters:**

Rob Mawdsley & Bonnie Murrell

#### **Inspiration:**

Kris Rongve

#### **Introductions:**

Theo Postulo

#### **Rotary Moment:**

Jill Mont

#### **50/50:**

Tanya Forbes

#### **Sgt At Arms:**

Scott Manson

#### **Meeting Notes:**

Hayley Poirier

## Upcoming Programs

February 5<sup>th</sup> – Charlotte Danso - Classification Talk

February 12<sup>th</sup> – Sarah Pump – Poverty Advocacy

February 19<sup>th</sup> – Rotary Information Meeting



*Please send content and photos for the Weekly Wake-up to [roderickmont@gmail.com](mailto:roderickmont@gmail.com)*

*Link to Daybreak Calendar...[daybreakrotary.ca/events/](http://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, Donna or Valri know, so that they can send out a card on behalf of the club. Thank you.

### Club Member's Birthdays

Jill Mont – Feb. 11

### Club Member's Anniversaries

None

**Meeting Notes – January 29, 2025, by Kris Rongve, photos by Cathy Manson**



President Daryl opened the meeting. Just as he did so, he got a big hug from Denise L. Hugs are an excellent way to start a day or a meeting! Rod M. performed O' Canada so that the rest of us sounded better (who am I kidding: rest of you. I have to mouth the words – everybody would notice my voice, even through an excellent sax performance....)



Dave P. did a 4 a.m. inspired inspiration about what was inspiring to him – it is (partially) the fellowship and kindness of Rotary. He ended by asking us to go into the world, encourage others and be genuine. Bonnie M. announced visitors. No visiting Rotarians. Several non-Rotarians (more later).

President Daryl announced that we had to vacate the room by 8:02 a.m. this morning. No lingering permitted! Donna A. did the sgt thing. She let Doug L's table go second to thank him for organizing the Chinese New Year meal on Monday. So nice! Especially since I was sitting at his table.

Speakers were Selena Ma, Myriam Poirier and Leah Joo. With a voiceover from another student (Marshall McGuire) as he was ill by Lesley D. They went to Rotary Youth Leadership Award conference and all loved it:

- Selena Ma: she was invited back as a leader. She is in grade 11. As a leader she was able to help choose those who received awards and got good feedback on her leadership skills.
- Leah Joo: in grade 9, she is also a flight corporal in the Air Cadets, she loved the improv project and the fundraising idea project. The food was "divine" (honest, that is what she said!) The chefs were sweet and kind.
- Marshall McGuire: in grade 11, he has been on a short term Rotary exchange to Japan and is returning next year for a long exchange. He was able to generate change by having arts and crafts and board games in a side room for the end of conference dance. He loved participating in a panel discussion.
- Myriam Poirier: in grade 12. She enjoyed learning and the new experiences. One fun activity was when her team had to cooperate to stand balanced on a teetering board and another event where they had to work together to free a kidnapped leader.



Ev B. advised that the Coldest Night of the Year (CNOY) team has raised lots of money already but still looking for more.

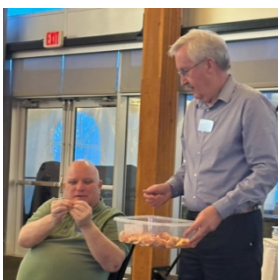
Jeff B. reminded us of the poker tournament coming up with a changed format this year.

San M. did a Rotary Minute on Canada's Rotary commitment to ending polio – there are still cases popping up.

Bill B. did 50/50. Rod M. won \$55.

Donna A. collected happy bucks.

The test, the toast, the departure (and I think we met the deadline!)



**Rotary Contacts**

- Club President:**  
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**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?