

## Club Duties

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

### Front of House:

April: Tina Moreira  
May: Jodi Rogers

### April 22, 2026

#### Front Door Greeters:

Scott Manson & Rob  
Mawdsley

#### Inspiration

Mike Garvie

#### Introductions

Mike Holyk

#### Rotary Minute

Jeff Boegel

#### 50/50:

Dave Thompson

#### Sgt At Arms:

Duane Seibel

#### Meeting Notes:

Hayley Poirier

### April 29, 2026

#### Front Door Greeters:

Bonnie Murrell &  
Darlington Okwudibe

#### Inspiration:

Terry Gwilliam

#### Introductions

Daryl Knievel

#### Rotary Minute

Jeff Boegel

#### 50/50:

Dave Thompson

#### Sgt At Arms:

Valri Cunningham

#### Meeting Notes:

Scott Manson

### May 6, 2026

#### Front Door Greeters:

Doug Ozeroff & Wayne  
Peddie

#### Inspiration:

Ken Hammer

#### Introductions:

Pat Knight

#### Rotary Minute

Ev Boegh

#### 50/50

Bill Brendon

#### Sgt At Arms:

Scott Manson

#### Meeting Notes:

Kris Rongve

## Upcoming Programs

April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026 – Habitat for Humanity – Sara Bramley

April 29, 2026 – Kelly R. – Classification Talk

May 05, 2026 – Janice Perrino – Nanaimo Regional Hospital – projects and advocacy

A wonderful turn out of Rotarians and friends for the Earth Day Trash Pick Up!



[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, Donna or Valri know, so that they can send out a card on behalf of the club. Thank you.

### Club Member's Birthdays

None

### Club Member's Anniversaries

None

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

**April 15, 2026, Meeting – Notes by Kris Rongve, Photos by Duane Seibel**

President Sheila opened the meeting and Rod M. played O' Canada. We all sang along (well, not me. As I might have said already, no one needs that....)



Ken H. stepped in to do Inspiration in place of Lisa Garvie. After a bit of delay as he tried to find the club designated one, he did a nice off the cuff one that gave thanks for Rotary and sharing the meal with friends.

Tanya F. (or perhaps Tony but...) handled Introductions. Walter Anderson was back for another visit. Tyler came back for a third visit. Bruce Nelson came with Scott M.

Theo P. did the assignment of tables for the delicious breakfast. Sadly, my branch of the table set up went up last.



After breakfast, it was time for new member Michelle Bulmer's induction. Michelle recently retired from teaching. Originating from Calgary, she and her husband Doug love travelling to Mexico and spending time with their two dogs. President Sheila met her while they were both volunteering at Loaves and Fishes and invited her to a meeting and the rest is history! Welcome Michelle!

The announcements:

- Donna A: the presidents wanted a new roster. If you want a new photo in the roster, send the photo to Ev.
- Caitlin: funds allocation. 18 requests made for \$27,000+. \$8100 given out. 2 rejected completely.
- Leslie D. announced a potluck. Contact her for details.
- Mike G. announced that another one of their talented sons donated seed packets (retail \$25-\$36). The box is located at their storefront at 621 Townsite Road. Pop in and rummage. Text Lisa G. with questions.



Naomi B. did a Rotary Minute on the continuing good things that have come to her and the people who did the Rotary Exchange alongside her 41 years ago (and before the complaints are made to me – Naomi is the one putting the number of years up front and center....)

President Sheila told us it was Rob R's anniversary. He was not at the meeting but – happy anniversary from all of us!

Jodi R. did 50/50. Spoiler alert – I did not win. Of course, I did not buy a ticket, so the odds were never in my favour.... Tyler (our guest) won \$72.50!

Theo P. acted as Sergeant at Arms and tried to be Mr. Nice Guy and take only happy bucks. Until I complained that Scott M. had to be fined for being mean to his own guest. After which there was a bunch of happy bucks and a self-imposed fine for me for 'narking' on Scott. Self-imposed but with a strong statement of support by Jeff B. The happy bucks ranged from announcements about available trees (Wayne P.), furniture (Terry G.), and Caitlin having been selected as volunteer of the month. There were others too. Something about a grandma....

President Sheila closed the meeting with the announcement that Habitat for Humanity is coming next week. Then led us in the test, the toast.

Then there was clean up and departure.

**Rotary Contacts**

- Club President:**  
Sheila Klassen
- Past President:**  
Daryl Knievel
- Vice President:**  
Doug Ozeroff
- Club Secretary:**  
Bonnie Murrell
- Club Treasurer:**  
Anna Jones
- Club President Elect:**  
Rob Mawdsley
- Club Services Director:**  
Denise Davidson
- Fundraising & Funds Allocation Director:**  
Caitlin Lundgren
- International Services Director:**  
Hillary Brown
- Member Services Director:**  
Karin Mattern
- Public Relations & Community Services Director:**  
Jill Mont
- Youth Services Director:**  
Graham Calder
- Directors at Large:**  
Tanya Forbes  
Doug Lum  
Duane Seibel
- Bulletin Editor:**  
Kelly Raine
- Program Chair:**  
Rod Mont
- Assistant Governor Area 4:**  
Jodie Williams
- District Governor 2025-2026:**  
Tony Camoroda
- RI President 2025-2026:**  
Francesco Arezzo

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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?

**In other news....**

**Earth Day Trash Pick Up:**

Many thanks to Jill M. for organizing a very successful event!

*From Jill:* "The April 18 Earth Day trash pickup smashed their previous numbers. This year 115 Rotarians and friends collected 2200 pounds of garbage off the streets in one hour. That is the equivalent weight of a Volkswagen picked up paper by paper. VERY well done everyone! "



**The Terry Rogers Memorial Golf Tournament Committee met. Looks like a fun meeting!**

