



# Harbourside Rotary Victoria

## eBulletin

Canada's First Breakfast Club

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**Hello Ann! This email has been generated just for you as a member of our club. We hope you enjoy receiving this newsletter!**

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If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

### Harbourside News

*by Holland, Stephen*

**Meeting # 1666 - February 27, 2013**

**Presiding:** *President Paul Doherty*

**Greeter:** *Damon Sowa*

**Front Desk:** *Patrick Bolger*

**Draw Tickets:** *Miles Tacas*

**Invocation:** *Murray Tough*

*David Cheatley* was out of town, so we sang *O Canada*.acappella - Hurry home David!

### Future Speakers

**Mar 6 2013**

[Keith and Chris](#)

*"2013 Ford World Mens Curling Championship"*

**Mar 13 2013**

[Paul Destrooper, Artistic Director Ballet Victoria](#)

**Mar 20 2013**

[Classification Talk - Norman Bruce](#)

*"Classification Talk - Norman Bruce"*

**Mar 27 2013**

[Eileen Eby](#)

*"1000x5 literary project"*

**Apr 3 2013**

[RYLA candidates](#)

*"RYLA 2013"*

**Apr 10 2013**

[Adam Kreek](#)

*"The Power of Adventure"*

**Apr 17 2013**

[Dr. Andrew Weaver, University of Victoria](#)

*"Climate Change (Title TBD)"*

**Apr 24 2013**

[Hamish Black](#)

*"TeenWork -- a program to provide employment support for Youth living with Disabilities"*

**May 8 2013**

[Jane Sterk, Leader of the BC Green Party](#)

*"TBD"*

### Welcome Visitors

*by Holland, Stephen*

### Visiting Rotarians:

### Les Ferguson- Saskatoon Meewasin

#### Guests :

**Dr John Archibald-** Guest of the Club

**Eric Young-** Guest of Jack Jeffrey

**Kelly Chor-**Guest of Jack Jeffrey

**Rachel Corwin-** RYLA, Guest of Gillian Manson

**Lance Shaver-** Rotaract, Guest of Gillian Manson

**Alice Arish-** RYLA, Guest of Gillian Manson

**May 15 2013**

[Sheena Manson](#)

"CMA and CA amalgamation"

**May 22 2013**

[Jonathan Fowlie](#)

"Analysis of the 2013 BC Election"

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**Angela Yu-** RYLA, Guest of Gillian Manson

**Katie Ashwell-** Rotaract, Guest of the Club

**Deidre Huestis-** Rotaract, Guest of Gillian Manson

**Rachel Corwin,** RYLA, Guest of Gillian Manson

## **Birthdays**

*by Holland, Stephen*

**This week we celebrate the birthdays of:**

**Dennis Truss** - February 28

**John Sanson** - March 2nd

**Andrew Turner-** March 2nd

## **Anniversaries**

*by Holland, Stephen*

**Wedding anniversaries**

**none**

**Club anniversaries**

**Doug Webb-** March 5th- 16 years

## **Club Announcements**

*by Holland, Stephen*

[President Paul](#) congratulated members and Rotary in general on their efforts to raise \$1.6 M across Canada through the "Pennies for rotary" to eradicate Polio. Our own [Colin Smith](#) was instrumental in co-coordinating our local efforts . Through these initiatives and matching grants from various organizations we have exceeded our Canadian goal of \$1 M!

[President Paul](#) congratulated [Colin Smith](#) on his recent Leadership Victoria award

[President Paul](#) announced the DLTA meeting March 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>.

[President Paul](#) reminded members about the upcoming Garage sale Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>

[President Paul](#) announced the upcoming Alumni meeting celebrating 100 years of Rotary in BC

[President Paul](#) announced asked [Gillian Manson](#) to introduce the RYLA members with her and tell us of their upcoming trip.

[President Paul](#) announced that Tanya sterling was resigning from the club as she is no expecting her second child. We wish her all the best and hope to see her back some day.

[President Paul](#) asked who was interested in the "Club in aPub " night, this Friday

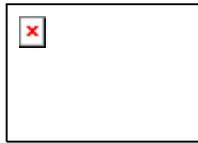
[Ann Moskow](#) asked for volunteers to this Sunday, March 3rd to sort out the teapots and teacups left over from the Rotary Tea.

[Mary Coward](#) told us of her recent trip to the PETS conference in Tacoma. She told us of the 3 themes of Polio eradication, membership and club image. We are to have a new communications director on the board this year. The new vision statement for Rotary this year is; **"Engage Rotary, change lives"**

Mary then introduced Lance Shaver, the incoming president of Rotaract. Lance told members of what Rotaract does and some of the projects they are involved in. Two fund raising efforts that mentioned where a water project in Uganda and involvement with Literacy Victoria . He left some sign up sheets on tables for anyone who would like to attend their meetings. Our Cheryl Thomas will be speaking at the March 11<sup>th</sup> Rotaract meeting

## Learn about The Faculty of Humanities, University of Victoria

by Holland, Stephen



Dr John Archibald, Dean of Department of Humanities at University of Victoria speaking on what it adds to our community.

Dr. John Archibald is the Dean of Faculty of Humanities of the University of Victoria was introduced by [Cheryl Thomas](#).

The departments and programs in the Faculty of Humanities at the University of Victoria share a common purpose: a commitment to the critical understanding of human thought, culture and society as they develop in time. Operating with a dual mission/mandate within the overall context of a liberal arts education, the department offers undergraduate degree programs in which students have the opportunity to experience a broad exposure to an outstanding education going well beyond traditional definitions of humanities disciplines through diverse and internationally-oriented programmatic offerings.

The Faculty defines their strength and focus in this broad definition of the liberal arts. They also offer graduate degree programs in disciplines in which their researchers excel. Research in the humanities strives to build knowledge and skills so that we may ultimately improve the quality of our social, economic and cultural life.

By examining the evolving nature of the society we live in and addressing emerging challenges and opportunities, researchers in the humanities promote the notion of an "educated imagination," an understanding of ourselves, of our heritage and of our place in the world in the larger context of human history and cultural diversity.

A country that neglects the histories, cultures and languages of the people who make it up (and those who continue to bring new elements to it) fails to produce informed public debate and decision-making on important social, cultural and political issues. The value of humanities education and research resides in the spirit of critical inquiry which such investigations represent, maintaining that every aspect of human existence is worthy of respect, serious attention and critical evaluation.

[Nancy Singh](#) thanked our speaker and presented him with certificate of a donation to the "[Cridge Centre for the Family](#)"

### The Sarge

by Holland, Stephen

[Sarge Chris Causton](#) made [Murray Tough](#) pay for his "speech" at Invocation

[Colin Smith](#) paid for forgetting to do "the Oscar Night thing" and thank his

mother when he received his award at "Leadership Victoria

**Miles Tacas** escaped his fine by ducking out early

**Jim Warr** wasn't fined for his excellent work checking on the health status of members. However, **John Sansom** had to pay in his place... just because!

**Ken Milbraith** paid for masquerading as "the King of Rockland" walking his dog while his wife was out bring home the bacon

**Nancy Singh** escaped being fined for holding hands with her husband on public transit but had to pay by mixing her Humanities degree with working for the Department of Finance

**Mike Creery** had to pay for having too much time on his hands, harrying the Sarge with taunts that he should be playing golf rather than giving more speeches.

**Larry Sims** had to pay for being an absentee Realtor.

**Robin Cushing** paid for attracting attention at the recent "Leadership Victoria" awards night and having 2 bottles of wine delivered to her table.

**Angus Macpherson** paid for making his poor wife walking the dog.. The dog was named Angus as well. A message there?

**Pieta Vandyke** paid for correcting the Professor.

**Michelle Wilson** paid for visiting the Maccaroni Grill without her Rotary pin

**Gillian Manson** paid for booting out Richard Burke from his table with all her RYLA guests

### **Happy and Sad**

*by Holland, Stephen*

**Jack Jeffrey** paid a couple of happy bucks to praise **Robin Cushing's** excellent efforts in Real Estate in Victoria . He also thanked her for identifying on "Linkedin" that our age spread at

Harbourside was from 25 to 100!

[Dennis Sutton](#) paid a couple of happy bucks to that the Rotaractors for their excellent work.

[Ann Moscow](#) seconded the thanks to our Rotaractors for all the excellent help at functions like Roses, and Cakes and the Garage sale. We could not do it without you!

[Colin Smith](#) reflecting on the Oscar winning "Argo, paid a couple of happy bucks for remembering when he was in Sausalito in 1980, being thanked at a Rotary function" simply because he was a Canadian in honor of Ken Taylor's valiant efforts to assist the American embassy members to escape from Iran.

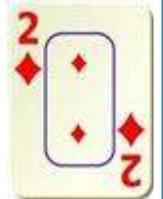
[Michele Wilson](#) paid a couple of happy bucks to recognize both [Howard Waldner](#) and [Chris Causton](#) for their assistance on Leadership Victoria

[Les Ferguson](#), our visiting Rotarian paid a couple of happy bucks to recognize a Japanese art entry [Susan Kurishima](#) had at the art gallery

### 50/50 Draw

*by Holland, Stephen*

[John Heraghty](#) won the draw and pulled the 3 of Clubs, but the winning card is the 2 of Diamonds.



### Upcoming Duty Roster

*by Dysart, Chris*



If you are on the Front Desk, a Greeter, or selling Draw tickets, please be there by 6:30 am to start your shift. If you are unable to work your shift, please make arrangements with someone to swap a shift and let Chris Dysart know of the change.

|                     | <b>Mar-06</b>  | <b>Mar-13</b>  | <b>Mar-20</b> |
|---------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| <b>Front Desk</b>   | Wayne Ford     | Howard Waldner | Tony Weaver   |
| <b>Greeter</b>      | Bill Brown     | Jim Warr       | Norman Bruce  |
| <b>Draw Tickets</b> | Michael Van S. | Russ Cape      | Doug Webb     |

|                        |                |               |                |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| <b>Invocation</b>      | Peita Van Dyke | Kevin Watt    | Michele Wilson |
| <b>Sarge</b>           | Pheng Heng     | Lisa Collins  | Hugh Robertson |
| <b>Bulletin Editor</b> | Mary Coward    | Cheryl Thomas | Jane Sterk     |

## **Ann's Commitments**