

## Rotary Club of Peterborough July 10, 2017

(Submitted by Ray Saitz)

The meeting was held at The Mount and **President Andi van Koeverden** called her first meeting as the new President to order at 12:29 pm.

Grace was said by Stan Pinneau, the Four Way Test was led by Willis Cleveland, followed by a Toast to Canada and the Queen and the singing of Oh Canada with Paul Bodrug at a real piano.

**Guests:** Joe McCulloch introduced Kate Hooper, a guest of Tracy Ormond, Heather Evans was a guest of Mike Evans, and Donna Geary was visiting from the Kawartha Club

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** Mo Cox mentioned the "no fine" card which Linn Thain was selling at the registration desk. Anyone who had bought one was exempt from a fine but all others who had not purchased a card had to pay \$2. Mo read a card from Maya Ravel, who was the winner of the Charles Allan Award in the Kiwanis Music Festival, thanking us for donating the money to purchase the award.

**Announcements:** *Tracy Ormond* told us the details of the luau that is happening this Thursday from 4:00 to 9:00. She will re-send the directions and reminded us to not bring any pork or seafood. It will be easier to park if people can car pool. She also asked for donations of coffee mugs for One Roof. *Bruce Gravel* reminded us of the Dinner Theatre on August 29 at the Globus Theatre. Tickets are \$68 per person which includes a three course dinner as well as the play. Purchase tickets while they are still available. *Audrey Lakien* personally thanked the 14 volunteers from our Club who filled in and sold \$8000 worth of 50/50 tickets on Saturday while the Peterborough Kawartha Club was running Ribfest. Send Audrey an email or call her and check our website for



# Upcoming Program Schedule



July 17 – OFFSITE at The Mount – Rick Storey, Assistant District Governor Visit July 24 – Dr. Paul Thistle – Zimbabwe Medical Services July 31 – In Club Strategic Plan and Committee Meetings President: Andi van Koeverden Past President: Bruce Gravel President Elect: Ken Tremblay Treasurer: Wayne Harding Club Secretary: Ken Tremblay Sgt. at Arms: Linn Thain

Directors: Marie Press Stan Pineau Jason Stabler Joe Fleming Kevin Duguay Peter Thomas Vacant

## July Birthdays:

July 3 - Peter Eatson July 7 - Charlie Burge July 9 - Bruce Gravel July 9 - Dick Kennedy July 9 - Karen Laws July 22 - Martin Wormald July 27 - Tracey Ormond July 28 - Eric Steinmiller July 29 - Lyn Kimmett

#### July Club Member Anniversaries:

July 1 - Frank Parish July 6 - Stan Pineau July 7 - Audrey Lakien July 25 - Andrew Welk July 27 - Abi Adeusi July 27 - Doug Armstrong dates if you want to sell tickets. *Ken Tremblay* said that priorities have been accepted by the planning committee which will now try to turn them into specific goals.

Happy Bucks: Your humble editor was overwhelmed by the sheer volume of happy bucks and despite typing at top speed he was unable to get all of the details for many of the happy bucks. *Lloyd Graham* was happy that he has Moe Grant as his new partner in his Pedal 'n Paddle business. John McCormick wanted to recognize some "old timers" with four happy bucks. Gord Fallen's daughter has just finished a five year residency and is now a psychiatric specialist. Sally Harding was happy for a one week vacation at their new cottage and they are now preparing it as a rental. If you're interested contact Sally. *Jay Amer* had some significant happy buck comments which, unfortunately, lost due to some poor acoustics. However, he did have many happy memories of growing up in the vicinity of the Mount and recently he had been at a Rotary meeting in Kingston. Wayne Harding was happy that their daughter had returned from the Lost City in Colombia and also that he recently found out he had bought a cottage. *Sue Sharp* will repeat her Rotary induction speech when she is called on to make a speech in the near future. *Kevin Duguay* spent time at a cottage on Stoney Lake and he thanked us for presenting him with the Service Above Self Award. Our new Rotary beer art work has been sent to Rotary International and the official launch of the beer is planned for August at the Wellington Brewery. There may be an organized bus trip to the brewery. Tracey Ormond introduced her sister Kate Hooper who is visiting from her position teaching English in China. She will be here until July 28 before returning to China. *Mark Donohue* announced that last week he was appointed a Justice of the Peace. Martin Parker attended the Huron Fringe Birding Festival at MacGregor Provincial Park and said it was nice to see old friends. Last Wednesday he was at the Presqui'lle Park butterfly count which was fun despite the bugs. He has now worked at both Ontario Provincial "under water" parks. Ginette Bailey will spend the last week of July in the Province of Quebec to see family that she hasn't seen for a year. Jason Stabler was happy to have landed a new job as Vice President of Business Development at MQL. His daughter is starting day care and with the new job he has more

time to spend with her. *Linn Thain* sent out many thanks to many people for helping with the sergeantat-arms job. *Cal Langman* was pleased that for the 24th year in a row he and his son came together for the opening of bass season. *Elizabeth Ichniovsky* expressed congratulations to Andi on being the new president and this weekend she and Milan will be celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary. *President Andi* thanked the catering staff for today's delicious in-house prepared meal.

**Program:** Joe Hall gave us an update on the activities of the Major Projects Committee. Joe read the criteria that had to be fulfilled to submit a proposal. The criteria are online at our website. The Committee got 23 responses and most met the criteria and they have been narrowed to 3 finalists. Joe said that he would not name them until a final decision is made by the Committee, which will then be brought to the Club for approval. Joe also acknowledged the hard work of the five members of the committee.

President Andi said that committee lists were circulating and everyone should look them over and let her know of any errors. She stressed that the Club would like all members to be involved in several committees.

We will not be able to meet at the Holiday Inn for July and Andi wondered if we should try other venues or if we could stay at the Mount. In the meantime, for clarity, we will meet at the Mount on July 17 and Tracey Ormond will cater.

Meeting adjourned at about 1:06.

## Can't Attend A Weekly Meeting... Maybe Make-up

Rotary Make-up Meetings may be sent to Lucas Smith for your attendance credit. Email: lucsmith@peterboro.net

### POTENTIAL NEW MEMBERS

If you are bringing a guest to Rotary, who may be interested in joining our club, please make sure you introduce this person to Martin Wormald or someone else on the Membership Committee. Martin or a committee member will look after talking to the guest and seeing them through the membership process. The Membership Committee has some information at the Holiday Inn that potential Rotarians can take away with them.