



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE

## Rotary Club of Peterborough June 18, 2018

Submitted by Ray Saitz

**President-elect** Ken Tremblay called the meeting to order at 12:15 pm.

Grace: Mati. Four Way Test: Laura Kennedy. The toast to Canada and the Queen was followed by the singing of Oh Canada with Paul Bodrug at the keyboard.

**Guests:** Ray Saitz introduced the guests. Guests of Mo Cox were Helen Cox, Marilyn White, Ann Whipper, Shirley McCormack, Joanne Martilla, and Barbara Kyselka. Chris Futchter was the guest of Dave Futchter, and Mati, our exchange student, was a guest of the Club.

**Exchange Student Moment:** Mati said that she is looking forward to a barbecue this evening (Monday) at the Storey residence. She is counting down the days until she will return home. On Wednesday she went to the breakfast program and was complimented on her pancakes. Colin MacKenzie invited her over for dinner on Friday with him and his wife. While she was out on the Harding boat, she saw Wendy Hill on a Seadoo and got a ride.

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** Lloyd Graham, sergeant-at-arms in training, reflected on how Rotary International President, Ian Riseley, wants us to make a difference. Thus if you did not plant a tree in the past eleven months, or did not ride your bike to this meeting, you had to pay a fine.

**Announcements:** Ken Tremblay had numerous announcements. Fine cards expire on June 30 so the Board will have to investigate other options for a fine card because of our revised meeting schedule. He announced some Board changes including that Mo Grant is moving to Secretary and Lloyd Graham will become head honcho sergeant-at-arms.

**President:** Andi van Koeverden

**Past President:** Bruce Gravel

**President Elect:** Ken Tremblay

**Treasurer:** Wayne Harding

**Club Secretary:** Ken Tremblay

**Sgt. at Arms:** Moe Grant

**Directors:**

Marie Press

Morris Cox

Jason Stabler

Kevin Duguay

Peter Thomas

Lloyd Graham

Jaimie Bondy-Donohue



### June Birthdays:

June 1 - Frank Parish  
June 9 - Shirianne Pawley-Boyd  
June 11 - Brent Perrin  
June 13 - Cal Langman  
June 14 - Joe Kapron  
June 16 - Ray Saitz  
June 20 - Peter Norris  
June 24 - Stan Pineau

### June Club Member Anniversaries:

June 6 - Tracey Ormond  
June 10 - Bob Phillips  
June 12 - Karen Laws  
June 16 - Gord Fallen  
June 16 - Mark Donohue  
June 21 - Shirianne Pawley-Boyd



## Upcoming Program Schedule



June 25 - Canada Day Essay Students and Exchange Student Presentation

July 2 - NO MEETING - Canada Day Weekend

July 9 - Andi van Koeverden and Ken Tremblay - Changeover Meeting

### Our Exchange Student info:

Matilde Giannoni  
Cell: 705-875-3508  
is residing with

Sally and Wayne Harding  
1730 Keppler Crescent  
Peterborough ON  
705-740-2053

The wrap-up Board meeting will be on June 20 at Kevin Duguay's. We still need people for committees, including the Swimathon, which needs two co-chairs, the Prince of Wales breakfast program, and Musicfest. The July 9 meeting will be the presidential changeover along with all kinds of other awards. Ken said that he will notify Rotary International of the change in our meeting schedule, and we have renegotiated a new contract with the Holiday Inn. A calendar of events organized by the Program Committee will be given out in advance. Ken told us that he was at the official opening of the outdoor gym, he sent congratulations to Sue Davidson on her induction, and on July 3 the pre-authorized debit for membership dues will be withdrawn from your bank. *Colin MacKenzie* said that this week the leftover food from the meeting will go to the Brock Mission for Men and our anonymous donor made a cash donation and a gift of books to various charities. Guest *Marilyn White* said she would like any women who want to play Rotary Ladies bridge to contact her. *Atul Swarup* is on the Centennial Committee with Sue Sharp and there are about two years remaining to plan events and 14 or 15 people have indicated that they would like to be on the committee. Atul said many of these people would be on sub committees. *Morris Cox* told us that long-time member Bill Morrison is in the ICU of the hospital and not doing very well. If you would like to visit him please call the Best Western first and ask if he can have visitors. *Garry Humphreys* wanted to know if members of our club will be organizing a social event while they are at the International Convention in Toronto. Ken Tremblay commented that the District will be hosting a drop-in social at Lennox Hall and he will send out the details by email.

**Happy Bucks:** *Lloyd Graham* celebrated his father's birthday, *Jim Stewart* was at the opening of the New Peterborough Canoe and Kayak Club and *Mike Evans* reported that he was in St. Michael's hospital for rehab and would recommend the hospital for anyone having brain surgery. *Bill Crin's* mother celebrated her 92nd birthday in Burlington. *Dave Futcher's* parents are visiting from Arizona and this week he received the wonderful news that he has been accepted into the Global Executive MBA program at the University of Toronto. *Arlene Blunck* went on a 10 km marathon run and also got a 25 percent discount on Lu Lu Lemon clothing. *Ken Tremblay* gave 10 happy bucks

because 13 people from New Zealand are visiting in the area and the Tremblays hosted a couple.

**Program:** Today we had the pleasure of presenting some Paul Harris awards. Sally Harding got a Paul Harris fellow pin and Morris Cox introduced Marilyn White who accepted a Paul Harris Fellow certificate on behalf of her late husband Don White who was great supporter of Camp Kawartha and the Five Counties Children's Centre. Don was unable to get the certificate because he was ill and then passed away. However, the certificate was placed in storage and now Marilyn has received it and a pin. Marilyn gave a short acceptance speech and received a standing ovation.

The meeting adjourned at about 12:55 with a reminder that at next week's meeting Mati will do a wrap-up after one year and her parents will be here. This meeting will also be the occasion of the Canada Day essay contest presentations and winners.

#### 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 Moe Grant or someone else on the Membership Committee. Moe 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.

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

Rotary Make-up Meetings may be sent to  
Lucas Smith for your attendance credit.  
Email: [smi0166@outlook.com](mailto:smi0166@outlook.com)