



## Rotary Club of Peterborough May 28, 2018

Submitted by Stan Pineau

President-Elect Ken Tremblay called the meeting to order at 12:12 pm. Grace: In French and English by Ginette Bailey. Four Way Test: Tracey Ormond. Toast to the Queen and Canada: Ken Tremblay. O Canada with Paul Bodrug at the keyboard in French and English.

The guests were introduced by Kevin Duguay: Rob Wilson, guest speaker and head coach of the Peterborough Petes. Derrick Walser, assistant coach of the Petes. Sofie Georgiou; Mati Gianonni, exchange student.

**Sergeant-at-Arms** Moe Grant combined Happy Bucks and fines so it was difficult to determine who was happy and who was just "fine". *Wayne Harding* reported on being in North Bay with the inbound and outbound students. *Jim Coyle* reported on his 20,000 mile trip around the world. *Peter Norris* was happy to have spent four days in Chicago and not Toronto. *Tracey Ormond* reported on the success of the lawn bowling event and said there would be a repeat. *Kevin Duguay* spent four days in Halifax with his daughter. *Lloyd Graham* extolled all those who had birthdays in May. *Jim Stewart* lost and recovered his wallet at a Canoe Museum event and reported on the completion of the storage racks at the Peterborough Canoe and Kayak Club. *Nick Avlonitis* welcomed all to the Greek Festival to be held Sunday, June 10, 12noon to 5pm at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, 406 Parkhill Road E. *Betty Halman-Plumley* cited the Junior Achievement Award to Rotarian Sally Harding. *Mo Cox* noted that he and Helen had celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary and also visited Chicago.

**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 4 - Various Speakers: Prince of Wales, Junior Achievement, RYLA Students

June 11 - In Club Meeting

June 18 - 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

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The Rotarian of the Month award and accompanying Local Lager Beer Glass went to Peter Norris for his work as "Peter the Greeter" at the Rotary Spelling Bee.

**Announcements:** Ken Tremblay pointed out that there were two vacancies on the board and asked for volunteers. He also asked for members to sign up for the various committees on the sheets posted on the wall. Rick Storey reported that the Spelling Bee was a success and brought along a trophy for Ray Saitz for his efforts as spellmeister.

Kevin Duguay reminded members that the Centennial Committee was meeting Wednesday, May 30 at 7:00 pm at the restaurant 180 Hunter St. West.

Colin MacKenzie introduced Peterborough Petes new head coach, Rob Wilson.

Rob Wilson was born in Toronto in 1968 and grew up a Leaf fan. It appears that during his lifetime the Leafs have never won the Stanley Cup. He played for the Petes and was a member of the Petes' 1989 Memorial Cup team. He was drafted by Pittsburg and played minor professional hockey for several years. He became interested in coaching and worked his way through the various levels of coaching with Hockey Canada. For many years he coached in Germany, Italy and Great Britain. He is proud of his

connection to Peterborough and has a cottage on Chemong Lake. He felt the sense of community he experienced in Peterborough is what drew him back to Peterborough and his new job as head coach.

His two daughters are in school at Trent and Crestwood. He feels it is his responsibility to make the Petes better people as well as better players and he feels he can do this through communication every single day with every single player.

There were a few questions:

1. **Washington or Las Vegas?** Rob classified both teams as Cinderella stories but favoured Alex Ovechkin and the Caps.
2. **How to get the puck out of your own end?** Be more aggressive and involve everyone.
3. **What are the players doing now?** Conditioning programs. Camps will soon be starting.
4. **What about the first draft choice?** We will not be trading him.

THE PETERBOROUGH ROTARY CLUB WISHES YOU AND THE PETES SUCCESS IN THE COMING SEASON!!!

Rob was thanked by Joe McCulloch.

Ken Tremblay adjourned the meeting at 1:06pm.



Principal Crawford, Jr Rotary Spelling Bee Winner Samantha Wotten receive the winners cheque of \$1000 from Rick Storey.

#### 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)