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FOUR WAY TEST

In all things we think, say or do

1. Is it the TRUTH ?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Meeting Highlights

President David McKeown brought us to order at 7:00 a.m. Just like when Canada wins gold, Joan Bedard led the singing of the Canadian national anthem. Asha Paul presented grace. Helen Buchanan was reacquainted with her Rotary club while polishing plates.

Business

Walter Zuk presented two motions on behalf of International Service:



Hans presenting our clean plates last week

That \$5,000.00 from our club's international service budget is given to the Keep Kids in School in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico project for use in the fall of 2009.

This motion is consistent with our club's Strategic Planning goals of "education of children" and "supporting members who are involved in inter-



Guest Speaker: Jacquie Brown

Jacquie Brown spoke on Child Mortality. Jacquie is currently touring all Alberta clubs with her important message.

Current Rotary International president D.K. Lee's focus is children. Rotary does this by promoting education, access to medical services, nutritious food, clean water and safe environments. Health promotes education and allows children to break the cycle.

Jacquie presented some shocking statistics: 26,000 children age 4 or less die every day from disease. 30,000 children age 5 or less die every day from preventable causes. Malaria, tuberculosis and HIV pose significant health risks. Last year our club purchased 500 malaria nets.



As Rotarians we contribute to a happier, healthier and more peaceful world. If we can save one child today, we have made a difference. Our club plans to save 100.

District Governor Mark Starratt has established a "Child Mortality Focus Group" which will review all DDF applications. \$20,000 has been dedicated to match club contributions for children's projects.

Joan Bedard thanked Jacquie.

Make Dreams Real



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Meeting Highlights

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national projects". Last year we donated \$3,500.00 to this project.

This motion was passed

That International Service applies to the Wild Rose Foundation for a matching grant in the amount of \$14,000 for the Keep Kids in School in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico project for use in the fall of 2009.

This motion was passed.

Zone 22 director Monty Audenart has proposed a quarterly Canadian insert into The Rotarian magazine. This will increase subscription cost from \$12 to \$16 U.S. If passed the insert will commence July 2009.

President David announced that consistent with our club's Strategic Plan, all members will be assigned to a committee.

Bill Hope conducted the presentation of a Paul Harris Fellowship to Bonnie Khanna.

Mark Rowe, with the classification Civil Engineer, was inducted into our club. Mark was proposed by Bob Sadler. While Bob was on vacation Norm Haines stood up with Mark.

Consistent with our club's Strategic Plan, Bob Clark encouraged club members to meet our goal of 60 members by 2012. So far this year we have a net gain of one member. Our goal is to increase age and gender diversity, so please focus on women under 40.



Proud Father Bill Hope
and Daughter Katie



Doug Kinley announced that Shelter Box founder Tom Henderson will be in Calgary on September 15th. Tickets are available through Doug at a cost of \$95, \$60 of which is a charitable receipt.

David McKeown espoused the sage advice of Al Hardstaff: "If at first you do not succeed, sky diving is not for you."

Speaker: Jacquie Brown



SUNSHINE REPORT

Happy Bucks

Surinder announced a plethora of birthdays: Marian Barrett 16th, Al Black 16th, Jacquie Brown 19th, Max Patel 18th and Barry Jarvis 21st. Peter and Elaine Harding celebrate their anniversary on the 19th.

Surinder shared the tale of a clever priest who won the round and beat the devil. Dedicated club golfers missed the punch line whilst calculating just how much sex they would forgo to lower their handicap.



Happy Bucks

Walter Zuk had a happy dollar that he improved his stress test and impressed his young cardiologist Douggie Howser.

Asha Paul had a dollar happy after scientifically establishing female mental dominance. Non-golfing males were incensed, while the golfers were still busy calculating what percentage of sex they would forgo to sink a monster putt.

Surinder wisely had a happy dollar for Bonnie's attendance and an upcoming trip.

Garry Gray had a dollar happy for Barry Jarvis assisting with a new trailer acquisition.

Former club member Barry Jarvis of no fixed address had a happy dollar to thank Garry Gray for allowing him and Donna to park their travel trailer.

Bob Clark lost control of his twoonie in his joy over Mark Rowe's induction and Tom Petty's performance at the Saddledome.

Jacquie Brown had a happy dollar for international Swiss visitor Valerie.

Bill Hope had \$2 happy that his family returned home.

Jim Hennessey had \$1 for the unusual subculture of his new dental patients.

Doug Hood had \$1 happy that Jim Hennessey has no tattoos.

Jeanette had \$5 happy that her 81 year old mother-in-law was busy in her garden.



Sheriff Barry Jarvis: You're BUSTED!

Sheriff extraordinaire Barry Jarvis returned for one last hurrah and a hot breakfast to fine the following:

Asha Paul the sum of \$1 per table of men unmercifully harassed last week. Betty Little helped Asha pay the fine, perhaps with Bob's wayward twoonie.

Mark Rowe because he needs better friends.

Dr. Hennessey for abandoning his post to practice behind bars.

Doug Hood for not being nice.

Graham Drake and Walter Zuk for unsuccessfully impersonating young people.

Joan Bedard for personal comments directed at the sheriff.

Bill Hope for his emotional appeal to his daughter.

Ray Gosselin for seeking recognition.

Helen Buchanan to help our club.

David McKeown \$2 to balance the accounts of Barry having to serve plates last week and pay the additional meal cost for non-members.



50/50 JACK POT



Restoring order after pranksters hid all of the tickets; Garry Gray conducted the 50/50 draw. With an arm load of tickets Al Hardstaff recited the four-way test and selected the 5 of hearts. The pot is \$810 and growing.



Ray Klingensmith of the Rotary Club of Kirksville, Missouri, USA, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International in 2010-11. Klingensmith will become the president-nominee on 1 October if there are no challenging candidates.

Klingensmith earned degrees in business and law at the University of Missouri and completed graduate studies at the University of Cape Town, South Africa, as a Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholar. He was general counsel and professor of business at Northeast Missouri State University in Kirksville (now Truman State University) from 1973 until his retirement in 1995, and also held the post of dean of administration for five years.

Klingensmith, who now operates a law office, served as an elected county commissioner from 2001 to 2004. He has been a director of the Macon Atlanta State Bank since 1971 and president of the Chariton Valley Association for Handicapped Citizens since 1982. He and his wife, Judie, have two children and three grandchildren.

A Rotarian since 1961, Klingensmith has served Rotary as district governor and as chair of the 1998 Council on Legislation in New Delhi and the 2008 Los Angeles Convention Committee. He was a member of the RI Board of Directors for 1985-87 and chaired its executive committee in 1986-87. Klingensmith joined The Rotary Foundation Trustees in 2002, serving as vice chair in 2005-06, and was a member of the Future Vision Committee from 2005 to 2008. Klingensmith, a Major Donor, is a recipient of the Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award.

In addition, Klingensmith has earned many honors in his community, including the Parent/Caretaker Award from the Missouri Planning Council for Developmental Disabilities; the Thomas D. Cochran Award for Community Service, an annual statewide award by the Young Lawyers Section of the Missouri Bar; and the Silver Beaver Award from the Great Rivers Council of the Boy Scouts of America, of which he is a former member of the executive board.

Klingensmith believes that Rotary's best days are still ahead.

"The reputation and ability of Rotarians to impact the world positively is better than ever, and the future of Rotary is bright," he says. "The RI Strategic Plan and The Rotary Foundation Future Vision Plan are good roadmaps to the future. However, the decisions about the selection of strategic partners, the recruitment of younger members, and the facilitation of district change to enable younger leaders to serve as district governors will continue to require leaders of uncommon vision and wisdom."



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