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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?



RCCHP Golf Tourney

When: June 26

Where: River Spirit

Meeting Highlights

Ahhh - 'tis a nice morning. The sun is up and over the yardarm. It looks like a nice day for all of us as we lope to the joys of the Gunn Barn at Heritage Park. The drive to our meetings is always a thrill.... the morning commute...don't ya know. The coffee is strong...the conversation is strong...and hopefully we shall be strong as we await the gong from President Asha at 7:00 a.m. Not to make a big deal of it, but the gong doesn't go off until 7:03 a.m. and David McKeown leads us passionately with O Canada. Imagine...the second last week for President Asha as Queen!

We have guests from the Downtown, Olym-

pic, South and Nanaimo Rotary Clubs this day and the herd moooves to the buffet. This is to be the last day for Val Redner and unfortunately he is not with us. The Salvation Army has moved him to Kingston, ON. Ya know...there are five Federal Prisons there. Bye Val. Asha tells us about attending the Rotary Convention and how good it was. There were2



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Raju Paul is our speaker this day and he talks to us about his visits on behalf of Rotary International to projects undertaken by Rotary in places like Uganda and Ghana. The pictures he presented about water projects and classrooms for people and children who have less than nothing are incredible reminders of how much Rotary can do in our world.

A water project that brings clean water to the surface for scores of small villages in Ghana and Uganda bring home the point that each of us can help. Small classrooms of the most rudimentary kind are shown and they look in a lot of ways like they could easily fall down. The review of projects by Raju will help Rotary International make wise decisions about upgrades and repairs. Our Raju was our Club President, District Governor and now moving into the world stage and that is simply great. Thank you Raju.

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Meeting Highlights

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Martin Harvey looking charming as usual



15,700 in attendance. Not a big number. But lots of Canadians. She tells us about all the good shopping and eating at a Korean Restaurant. She had to ask Harry Kim for his advice in food. It is a festive morning.

In a Minute

Al Hardstaff is looking for lots of volunteers so that our Club can do its job at the Hay's Breakfast

Coming up this week

SUNSHINE REPORT

Sunshine Report

Bob Sadler tells us that Jessie and Walter Zuk are celebrating their 67th anniversary (give or take) and Joan Bedard (missing) is celebrating her 21st Birthday.

Happy Bucks



Happy Bucks

So many for so much.



Sheriff Wynne Bjorgan: You're BUSTED!

Wynn is an awesome, fearful Sheriff and before ya know it she is nailing lots of the innocent. Like David McKeown, Betty Little, Zuzana Carter-Edwards, Bill Hope, Bob Sadler, Surrinder. All paying a buck for sins committed in he eyes of the Sherrieff.



50/50 JACK POT



With more than \$500 bucks in the pot Zuzana calls the wining ticket of the day, which belonged to David McKeown. He doesn't pull the right card.



John Kenny, a member of the Rotary Club of Grangemouth, Central, Scotland, was elected as the 2009-10 president of Rotary International at the fourth plenary session of the RI Convention in Los Angeles on Wednesday.

In his acceptance remarks, Kenny expressed his gratitude for the support and encouragement that he and his wife, June, have received.

"We have come from a small country of five million people with three Rotary districts," he said, "and it is therefore a special honor to be the first Rotarian from Scotland to be president in the history of Rotary – and only the fifth from the British Isles."

Kenny reminded the audience that Rotary's connections with Scotland go back to the start, noting that Rotary founder Paul Harris's wife, Jean, was from Edinburgh, which in 1921 was also the location of the first Rotary convention to be held outside North America.

"I am conscious of the tradition of Rotary and that I am following in the footsteps of illustrious predecessors in the office of president," Kenny said in his remarks, "and I shall endeavor to uphold the dignity of the office to the best of my ability."

Rotarians responded with applause as he said, "I believe that high ethical standards in our business and private life are as important today as they were in the early days of Rotary."

"I am here today because someone invited me to become a member of the Rotary Club of Grangemouth, a club whose membership I have enjoyed for 37 years," he said. "Indeed, one of the things I shall miss these next two years is attending the meetings of my club each Thursday at lunchtime."

"Communications may make our world seem a smaller place, but there are still too many who are vulnerable, homeless, starving, even without hope," Kenny concluded. "With your help and dedication, I am sure we can try to help alleviate their plight. Do not let us fail to try."

The RI directors for 2009-11 were also elected during the session. They are: John T. Blount, of the Rotary Club of Sebastopol, California, USA; Frederick W. Hahn Jr., Independence, Missouri, USA; Antonio Hallage, Curitiba-Leste, Paraná, Brazil; Masahiro Kuroda, Hachinohe South, Aomori, Japan; Kyu-Hang Lee, Anyang East, Gyeonggi, Korea; David C.J. Liddiatt, Clifton, Bristol, Avon, England; Ekkehart Pandel, Buckeburg, Germany; K.R. Ravindran, Colombo, Western Province, Sri Lanka; and Thomas M. Thorfinnson, Eden Prairie Noon, Minnesota, USA.



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The Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park Upcoming Events

Friday, June 27 is the last meeting under President Asha. It is an opportunity for us to thank her for her leadership and commitment to our Club and to Rotary. Let's all gather to have fun and remember with fondness her passion to lead us in a marvellous way. And oh yes...be prepared to ready the throne for King David!

June 26: Golf Tournament