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THE STANDARD

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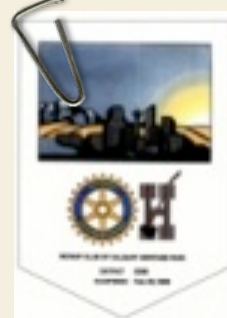
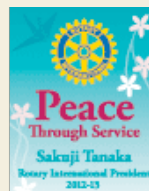
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MEETING NOTES

President Doug Hood rang the bell and called the meeting to order. Joan Bedard led the singing of the national anthem. Harry Kim presented grace. Jeanette Pyle arrived just in time to polish the plates and host the buffet line.



A cheque presentation by Bob Sadler, in remembrance of Norm Haines was made to Joey Bleviss for Rotary remembers. On hand for the cheque presentation was current club presidents: Doug MacDonald, Sherry Austin and Roger Frame. The cheque was in the amount of \$6,200.70.

Joey thanked the participating clubs and advised that last month \$197,000 was expended on hospital beds, treatment centers and scholarships for veterans and their families

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PODIUM DASH

Ted Wood advised that 93 of 99 tickets have been distributed for the Give A Fork raffle. We have all the required lunches, but need 6 more dinner donations.

Bob Clark presented a Rotary banner from Quetzaltenango, Guatemala.

Brian Semeschuk and Peter Harding made a cheque presentation in the amount of \$5,000.00 to Don Braun, president of GW Skene School. The funds will be used for art supplies and instructor, ipads and sporting equipment. Don advised that the students in grades 4, 5 and 6 are appreciative and motivated. The school faces challenging dynamics with most sets of parents working. 65% of the students are English learners.



PROGRAM

ROTARY GREENWAY PROJECT - SHERRY AUSTIN, PRESIDENT ROTARY CLUB OF CALGARY SOUTH

President Doug Hood introduced Sherry Austin, who is the current president of Calgary South to speak about Rotary Greenway.

In 2009 Frank King was president and looking for a legacy project. The Greenway is an integrated parks system and is far more than a walkway. It is proactive for the good health of the citizens of Calgary. 138 kilometers will be constructed at a total cost of \$65 million.

Sherry presented to the Parks Foundation board on behalf of Rotary to secure the naming rights in perpetuity for \$5 million. She was successful.





The Rotary Greenway will follow the transportation corridor for the ring road. It has already started in the north, where some it was determined that some residents had never been out of their communities. The Rotary Greenway will open up the city for all Calgarians. This is consistent with the Rotary objective of community building.

The project will be a legacy for our grandchildren.

Three things are being sought from each Calgary Rotary club:

1. Sign a document of support
2. Appoint a club representative for the project and
3. On a best efforts basis, consider making a financial commitment.

Currently more than \$ million has been raised.

Ongoing maintenance of the Rotary Greenway will be handled by the City of Calgary under the Parks Department. In addition, an endowment fund has been created. Rotary is currently investigating sweat equity opportunities.

Sherry was thanked by Leroy.

ROTARY MINUTE - HARRY KIM

Sponsored by El Molino humus chips (now featuring a hint a lime), a question and answer session was hosted by Harry Kim.

(Editor's note: This advertisement is not free.)

HAPPY BUCKS



Martin had a happy \$1 that Walter and Jessie are fine in Boston. Peter Harding was intrigued as to how Walter will react, since a paper cut is usually a catastrophe.

Graham had \$2 to thank John fro being politically correct and to advise that Graham has 2 tickets remaining for the Sarcee Auction.

Jeanette had \$4 happy that she has 5 days left until retirement from heritage Park.

Bob Clark had a happy \$1 for this Guatemala trip and to remind members that a formal presentation will be made on May 31st. mark your calendars.

Joan had an anxious \$1 regarding what she would be paying for after Jeanette retires.

50/50

With \$457 on the line and Doug Kyle presiding, Sheila aced the 4-way test, but then drew a non-joker.





SHERIFF

No one came forward.

COUNCIL ON LEGISLATION - 2013



Delegates from Rotary's 532 districts are gathering in downtown Chicago from 21 to 26 April to consider changes to the policies that govern Rotary International and its member clubs.

SUNSHINE

**BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES,
ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES**

BIRTHDAY

April 19 - Tamara Wood
April 23 - Cliff Tyminski

ANNIVERSARIES

Apr 18 - Dennis & Beth

DUTY ROSTER

April 26, 2013

Grace and Rotary Minute - Granton Patrick
Greeter - Jamie Powell
Door Sales - Din Peerani
50/50 - Bob Price
Introduce Speaker - Raju Paul
Thank Speaker - John Radermacher
Sunshine Report - Peter Harding
Standard Reporter - Asha Paul

If you are unable to fulfill your duties please find your own replacement

FUTURE EVENTS

APRIL 26 - AMAROK SOCIETY

GABRIEL MUNRO

MAY 3 - PAUL HARRIS DAY

MYSTERY GUEST

MAY 10 - IMPERIAL WATERWAYS OF RUSSIA

ASHA PAUL

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Sometimes the road is less travelled
for a reason.



WEAR YOUR ROTARY PIN

