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MEETING NOTES



A busy day in the Gunn Dairy Barn and good to see some familiar faces in the crowd.

We were graced with all three of the Bedard sisters which seemed to send Max in a spin as he stumbled over the introductions. Martin Harvey and Don Bell rang out the national anthem, Joe Klassen led us in the traditional Rotary blessing and President Doug was so happy to see Tara Seitz back he made her plate polisher of the day.

It was noted that Treasurer, Bruce Byford, was sitting at a table all by himself. Could it have something to do with his recently sending out the quarterly billings??

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CLUB BUSINESS

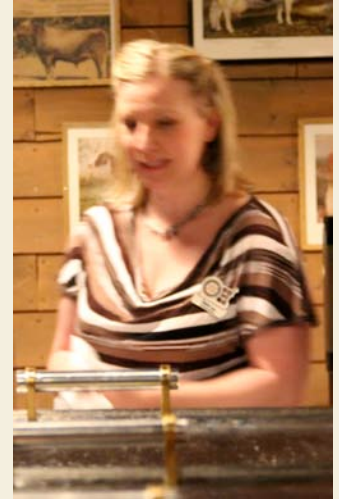
President Doug made a motion that our club donate \$500. to the Curly Galbraith Global Memorial Fund. This fund dedicated to Curley Galbraith as a long time Rotary member with 50 years of perfect attendance, Past District Governor, RI Vice President, RI Board Member and good friend uses it's funding to aid orphans in Uganda to obtain a university education. So far the fund has raised \$65,000 with a goal of \$125,000.

The motion was seconded by Dennis Tillotson and passed unanimously.

Doug announced that we would not be pursuing the issuance of tax receipts as a general practice for our golf tournament. Firstly we do not have the ability to do this, there are only a few individuals that this would affect, the final amount of any receipt would be minimal and it could have a negative impact on the charitable status of our partner in the golf tournament, The Animal Rescue Foundation.

Reminder the Club Anniversary Pot Luck Dinner Thursday Feb 21, 2013 replaces our usual club meeting Friday Feb 22, 2013

President Doug had a story about queue jumping on the Golf Course.



ROTARY MINUTE - JOE KLASSEN

Joe enlightened us about the last Rotary International Conference held in Calgary in 1996 and that it was the largest event held in our city since the 1988 Olympics. Quite the show.

As part of the Rotary Minute Joe talked about the resources on the RI website and specifically the E-cards that are available to invite friends and guests to our meetings.

HAPPY BUCKS

Mark Rowe was happy to have spent time in Indianapolis with this father and brother.

Bob Clarke was vibrating over his trip to Las Vegas and the Who Live concert.

Brad Sewall excited about his daughter at University of Saskatoon and son at UBC

Joe Klassen about spending Valentine's Day at the Calgary Zoo and their Heat of the Night program.

Walter Zuk very pleased about the Sound of Music presentation and especially the stage lighting that we understand Asha Paul was instrumental in.

50/50

Harry ran the show and Wynne held the winning ticket but, amazingly, was at a loss for words as she tried to recite the Rotary 4 Way Test. Things got worse and Wynne did not pull the joker so unfortunately Wynne didn't win.





John Sadler was happy to have Al Hardstaff back in the fold and thankful for the work done by Max Patel and John Radermacher during Al's vacation. New mom Tara Seitz happy to be back with us and announcing they are building a new home in Auburn Bay, Calgary.

Al Hardstaff glad to be back but enjoyed his vacation and attending a club in East Mesa with so many Canadian Rotarians that they sang O'Canada. David McKeown happy that his son was off to university in New Zealand and that his food bill is now reduced substantially. Also pleased to have attended the latest Guess Who is Coming to Dinner.

Doug Kyle proudly announced that he brought home a gold medal for badminton at the Alberta 55 plus Winter Games. Well done.

SHERIFF -LeRoy Neilson



Not bad bad LeRoy but he still managed to pick a few pockets in the club. Apparently Bruce cut him off in the coffee line, not a good start to the day. Doug Kyle kissing on CBC. Public kissing on public TV??

Lynda Campbell for picking on Leroy

Max for stumbling on the guest introductions

Anyone that did not celebrate Valentine's Day. With all the abuse of women in the world we need all the love possible.

Finally LeRoy picked on President Doug for a few indiscretions including greeting him with "Good Morning Ladies!" and convincing him to take on the Chair of the Gold Tournament.

SUNSHINE

BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAY

Feb 15 - Harry Kim

Feb 20 - Bill Skinner

Feb 20 - Linda Haines

Feb 24 - John R

ANNIVERSARIES

Feb 18 - Clancy & Mila 3 yrs

ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

Feb 15 - Raju Paul 23 yrs

Feb 18 - Sheila Tyminski 2 yrs

Feb 23 - 14 yrs

Al Black

Bill Hope

Asha Paul

Din Peerani

Jeanette Pyle

John Radermacher

Feb 28 - Bob Clark 9 yrs

Dennis Tillotson 25 yrs



PROGRAM

CLUB ASSEMBLY

Details of the Club Assembly will follow in an addendum to the Standard

ROTARY TURNS 108 ON FEBRUARY 23.

Rotary turns 108 on 23 February. Celebrate by keeping Rotary strong. On social media, tell your friends and family how Rotary makes a difference and what Rotary means to you. On Twitter, you can use #ri108, and you also can participate in today's Twitter history quiz with that hash tag

DUTY ROSTER

February 15, 2013

Grace and Rotary Minute - LeRoy Nielsen
Greeter - Granton Patrick
Door Sales - Din Peerani
50/50 - Bob Price
Introduce Speaker - Jeanette Pyle
Thank Speaker - John Radermacher
Sunshine Report - Peter Harding
Standard Reporter - Joe Klassen

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

FUTURE EVENTS

FEBRUARY 21 - CLUB BIRTHDAY - POT LUCK SUPPER

NO MEETING FEBRUARY 22

MARCH 1 - HIS HONOUR LT GOVERNOR DON ETHEL

MARCH 8 - MAYAN RUINS OF MEXICO

BILL SKINNER & DOUG HOOD

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Patience is something you admire in the driver behind you but not the driver ahead of you.

WEAR YOUR ROTARY PIN

