

THE STANDARD

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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 FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

In the beginning:

Details for Standard - Rotary club
of Calgary Heritage Park March
13, 2020



Meeting called to order 7:01 – by Doug MacDonald.

With president Brad self-isolating after being out-of-country, Doug MacDonald took the podium.

A small but mighty crew of just 16 attendees sang O Canada, led by Stan Christmas.

Grace was delivered by Greg Smyth.

Darryl Luhr introduced our visiting Rotarians from Calgary West and Fish Creek (no guests beyond this):

Ben Kormos
Hyder Hassan
Cory Tretiak

A preface was given regarding CO-VID 19 and impact on our meetings. Attendees were advised to avoid handshaking and the plate shiner role was eliminated for the time being.

Decision on whether regular meetings proceed after today would be forthcoming.

Visitors then Rotarians were invited to buffet.

Sunshine report was delivered by Greg Smyth.





Our meeting.

Speaker:

A last minute cancellation by our guest speaker – CEO of Calgary Coop - meant that we got to hear a classification talk by Bill Skinner who was able to step in with his already-prepared PowerPoint Presentation called

From Birth to Rotary in 10 Minutes

Minutes:

Valentina – Our Exchange Student

Val told us about the last 4 weeks of activities she has engaged in. She has moved to Lynda Campbell's home for her next host location.

Val's wish list of activities includes:

- Trying Beavertails
- Visiting Heritage Park – the rest of the park besides Gunn Barn
- Visiting Fish Creek Park
- Visiting Edmonton
- Visiting Calgary Tower
- Visiting the Last Chance Saloon
- Visiting Drumheller
- Visiting Columbia Icefields
- Doing a Sunflower Maze
- Trying out Snowboarding
- Trying Horseback Riding
- Visiting a farm to milk a cow

If you would like to host Valentina at any of those pursuits, get in touch with her or her current host family Lynda Campbell.

Next Minute was Bob Clark regarding our upcoming Casino shifts

April 4 and 5 are the dates of our planned shifts. As with any of our casino commitments, we take part in the pooled earnings designated to the charitable causes that work at the casino. Regardless of the 'busyness' of our assigned dates, we get an equitable share in the pooled earnings for that quarter, in this case Q2 2020.

The decision whether the casino shifts will proceed as scheduled will be forthcoming, and we are getting advisement from AGLC and our 3rd party casino advisor.

Next Minute was Doug MacDonald to say we still need additional help at the food bank for next Tuesday March 17.

At this recording the shift at food bank shift is going ahead as scheduled, until further notice.



Our meeting.

50/50

Our visitor Hyder Hassan picked the winning ticket and Joan Belick our server had to hunt in the kitchen for the winning stub. She was unsuccessful at selecting the joker from the deck, and the pot grows.

Sherriff Darryl Luhr doled out various fines, including to everyone for coming to the meeting and risking infection of ourselves and others.

Closing thoughts “Friday the 13th is still better than Monday the Whatever”

The March 20 and 27 meetings have been cancelled.



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The Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park Announcements

March 20 & 27	No meetings!
April 3	Off-site meeting—ATCO
April 10	No meeting—Good Friday
April 17	ShelterBox

