

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?



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

In the beginning:

After overcoming some technical glitches, President Doug did not miss a beat and started the meeting on time. After an exceptionally good rendition of O'Canada, Bill Hope welcomed everyone and introduced the following two guests: Lauren McKamey, a prospective member checking out our club and Mark Kondrat, our guest speaker for today's meeting.



Our Sunshine reporter, Surinder provided grace, and announced the following Anniversaries:

Wedding Anniversary: Phil, and Fran Hochhausen -48 years
Rotary Anniversary: Harold Aitkenhead – 13 years, joined our club Nov 28, 2008

And ended with a lighthearted joke.

Today's Guest Speaker: Mark Kondrat, CEO of Alberta Beer Festivals

Christine Mihailedes introduced our speaker today. Mark has spent 20 years highlighting some of the world's greatest craft breweries and distilleries. He also hosts two podcasts, let us meet for a beer and Kondrat podcast. Mark is an absolute booster for our province, and the beer industry. Welcome Mark.

Mark spoke about the Beer industry in Alberta, from an entrepreneurial perspective and the enthusiastic people behind the breweries.

Alberta Beer Festivals runs five festivals throughout the year. They are:

Calgary International Beer Festival (started 2005)
Edmonton Craft Beer Festival (started 2013)
Banff Beer Festival (started 2015, Alberta only breweries)
Jasper Beer Festival (started 2018 invited breweries from all over the world)



Our meeting.

Revelstoke Beer Festival

The Beer Festival started in 2005 with seven local breweries: Brew Bros, Wildwood Grill, Wild Rose, Alley Kat, Brewsters, Big Rock and Drummond Brewery.

In 1985, Big Rock Brewery founded by Ed McNally, became very quickly ingrained in the local community. In the 90's, breweries like Alley Kat, Wild Rose, Grizzly Paw and Brewster's Brewing Co. started in our province.

In 2000, more breweries like Something Brewing, Jasper Brewing, Amber's Brewing, Village Brewing, Tool Shed and Ribstone Creek entered the beer market scene.

One of the biggest reasons why the craft beer industry grew exponentially starting 2013, was due to AGLC eliminating the minimum production capacity requirement. This was a barrier to entry to most small and medium sized breweries.

The biggest challenges today are threefold; ingredients & Packaging, Inflation, and COVID-19.

In summary, the craft beer industry is healthy due to Alberta having the best barley to make exceptional beer and secondly the addition of a brewing course at Olds College. The Olds College is providing the beer industry, trained people with a scientific foundation to formulate better quality products. Today, every corner of this province has a brewery producing world class beer.

Questions from John Radermacher, Sheila Tyminski, Fran Hochhausen, Bob Clark, and Brad Wellicome.

Christine Mihailedes thanked Mark Kondrat for joining us today and presented Mark with a Certificate of Appreciation for Polio vaccination of forty children.

Four resolutions were presented today:

Presenter: Lynda Campbell – Vocational Services

On behalf of the Vocational Services Committee, I move the Rotary Club of Calgary provide \$1500.00, representing 50% of the Rotary Entrepreneur joint event prize commitment, with Bow Valley College known as the Rotary Den slated to be held Feb 10th, 2022. Secunder John Radermacher, PASSED

Presenter: Janet Blahun – Community Services

On behalf of the Community Services Committee, I move that the RCCHP provide \$2,500 to the Community Kitchen Programs of Calgary for replacement of their truck, dependent on the contribution of other Calgary area Clubs to fund. Secunder Jim Davis, PASSED

Presenter: Janet Blahun – Community Services

On behalf of the Community Services Committee, I move that the Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park donate \$3,040 (\$40 per resident) to Victory Outreach Foundation to purchase gift cards as Christmas gifts for the residents. Secunder Brad Wellicome, PASSED

Presenter: Janet Blahun – Community Services

On behalf of the Community Services Committee, I move that the Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park donate \$2,500 to Alcove for the purchase of a washer and dryer. Secunder Bill Skinner, PASSED



Our meeting.

A quick minute from Karen Murray to welcome Harold Aitkenhead to the Rotary Employment Partnership Steering committee. A committee focusing on inclusive employment for people with intellectual disabilities. Welcome Harold.

Bill Skinner updated the members on the Global Grant in Guatemala, in support of two communities in the Lake Basin area. This process started 3 years ago, and finally as of yesterday the application has been completed and “clicked” submit to the Rotary Foundation. The total project of \$138,000 US \$, this project was possible due to 13 Rotary Clubs, two private donors and the matching funds from TRF.

Nominating Committee: Christine Mihaledes talked about our annual election of directors and officers for the next Rotary year. The nominating committee consists of Christine, Doug McDonald, Brad Wellcome, and Graham Drake. Today is the date to provide the members with the information of where we are today, and the election date on January 7, 2022. There are three vacant positions still needed to be filled: a Vice President, Club Services Director and Treasurer. Christine thanked everyone who has served on the board and all of those who have agreed to serve in the upcoming year.

Wines of the World Fundraiser: Jim Davis presented the Wines of the World Fundraiser this morning. The ticket cost is 1 for \$40 or 3 tickets for \$100 and is available NOW!!! Wines are from 7 different countries averaging \$40 per bottle. There are 10 prize packs available to WIN with a grand total value of \$6,636. January 21, 2022 is the last day to sell and the draw date is January 20st @ Heritage Park. Like last year, the draw date will be advanced if we sell out early. Both physical and virtual tickets are available Now.

Greg Smyth will facilitate ticket purchases by allowing direct billing to member, by adding it to your quarterly billing. Our goal is to generate \$15,000 for our club to support our projects next year.

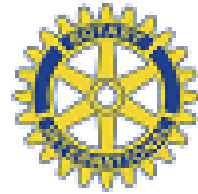
Happy Bucks

John Radermacher, happy to announce that RCCHP has signed a contract with Heritage Park, for Dec 10, and Dec 17 back at Gunn Barn and going weekly starting January 2022.

Christine Mihaledes, appreciated Mark Kondrat joining us this morning, thanked all members serving on the board this and next year, and excited about Wines of the World Fundraiser.

President Doug closed the meeting with a reminder that there is no meeting next Friday (Dec 3) due to Homegrown Holiday Party on Thursday night. Also, don't forget to tune in Dec 10th for Classification duo from Velma and Brad Wellicome.

Thought for the day: The: 4-way Test



Position	Assigned Member
☰ December 10, 2021	
☰ Greeter	Kinley, Doug
☰ Grace and Sunshine Report	Klassen, Joe
☰ Introduce and Thank Speaker	Harding, Peter
☰ Standard Reporter	Leigh, Peter
☰ December 17, 2021	
☰ Greeter	Knox, Matt
☰ Grace and Sunshine Report	Matthews, Rob
☰ Introduce and thank Speaker	McArthur, Don
☰ Standard Reporter	Mihailedes, Christine
☰ January 7, 2022	
☰ Greeter	Murphy, Ginny
☰ Grace and Sunshine report	Noble, Velma
☰ Introduce and Thank speaker	
☰ Standard Reporter	Olutuyi, Ola
☰ January 14, 2022	
☰ Greeter	Paivalainen, Aliisa
☰ Grace and Sunshine report	Paul, Raju
☰ Introduce and Thank Speaker	
☰ Standard reporter	Paul, Asha
☰ January 21, 2022	
☰ Greeter	Peerani, Din
☰ Grace and Sunshine report	Powell, Jamie
☰ Introduce and Thank speaker	Radermacher, John
☰ Standard Reporter	Robertson, Eve

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The Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park Announcements

Dec 2	Christmas party (Thursday evening)
Dec 3	No Friday morning meeting
Dec 10	Classification; Velma Noble and Brad Wellicome
Dec 17	Dr Tanyss Munro—Amarok Society
Dec 24	No meeting
Dec 31	No Meeting
Jan 7	Club Assembly