

# THE STANDARD

November 30, 2018

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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:

President Jim called the meeting to order pretty close to 7:00 am and took the usual amount of convincing to quiet the crowd.

Peter Harding led us in simultaneous versions of our national anthem... one with the old words and one with the new. I am sure there is a better word for that but it escapes me. Didn't escape the Sheriff though.

Martin Harvey gave us an inspirational invocation, read from his electronic device (more on that later).

We were joined by Anthony Tonkinson from Chinook and our own exchange student Enya O.

Plate shining honours were granted to Brian Gentles, who did a fine job!

Martin returned to the podium to let us all know that there are no member or partner birthdays to be celebrated this week. Wedding anniversaries are Phil and Fran – 45 years; Fran and Phil – 45 years; Jim C and Kelly – 11 years; Din and Nuri – a most amazing 55 years! Two Club anniversaries Doug Kinley – 12 years; Graham Drake – 12 years with RCCHP and 25 years with Rotary. I missed most of his joke while focused on my scribe duties, however from the laughter, most people caught on.

President Jim regained control of the podium and started the business portion of the meeting which is the all-important election of our Club's leaders for 2019-20. After reviewing the process as set out in our Bylaws, and asking for nominations from the floor (zero), the following have been elected to the Board by acclamation for the next Rotary year.

President Elect – Christine Mihailides  
Vice President – Doug MacDonald  
Secretary (2-year term) – Neil Cameron  
Director – Club Service – Rob Matthews  
Director – Community Service – Walter Zuk  
Director – International Service – Phil Hochhausen  
Director – Vocational Service – Jamie Powell





## Our meeting.

Director – Youth Service – Martin Harvey  
 Director – Grants – Bill Skinner  
 Director – Foundation – Don McArthur  
 Director – Public Image – Aliisa Paivalainen  
 Director – Sargeant-At-Arms – Darryl Luhr

The President is not elected as the President Elect, Brad Sewall, automatically moves into that role. Also, the Treasurer was not elected this year as Grey Smyth was elected last year for a two-year term.

Minute folks:

Anthony T – Chinook has 20 spots left on their Rosebud bus for December 15<sup>th</sup>. Departs at 10:15 am and returns at 5:00 pm. \$90 per person. I didn't hear any contact info but try Chinook's website.

Jeanette – The Christmas Party planning is almost complete, just looking for people to go. The sign-up sheet was passed around and if you weren't at Rotary today, you have until Monday to email Jeanette to let her know you (and any guests) will be attending. We are confirmed for the Wainwright Hotel. Please remember to bring a gift for children 10 – 18, a helpful hint list will be forthcoming. If your gift plus the "special treats" mentioned in the invitation cost more than \$25, bring your bills and a tax receipt can be arranged via the South West Community Resource Centre.

Ginny (this was pretty rapid fire, so I hope I have the gist of it) – The Western Canada Group has a program called "Level Up" and is a re-employment program for retraining people for new jobs in the workplace. Lorne Kelly is delivering one course relating to his experience in Oil & Gas. Watch for an email with more information and how you can get involved with Level Up by participating in mock interviews on February 13, 2019.

Ginny, part 2 – We need more blood donors this year as we are short of pledge. Please donate and sign up with RCCHP's reference number. More email to read!

Stan & Garry duo – Plugging Give-A-Fork. Tickets will be available Jan 11 – Feb 14 with the draw on Feb 15. Still looking for 6 dinners so if you can help out, give them a call. Graham generously tossed in a BBQ, likely green, to be packaged with some steak for a food themed prize.

Peter H – today was the last day to order beef jerky and grow our contribution to the Polio Plus campaign. With the terrific efforts of Bob Clark selling 61 bags, Peter estimated we would exceed 250 bags sold. With our net proceeds, matched 2 to 1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, we are providing 7,500 vaccinations for Polio. WOW!

Enya – latest update is that Enya has moved host families and is now at Darryl's. She has been to the Christmas Market and is looking forward to a short school week coming up and a trip to the Spruce Meadows Christmas concert. And if there was an opportunity, she would like to go to the Polar Express, the Youth Committee will follow up on that.

And then the motion parade began:

Moved by Christine Mihailedes, seconded by Roger Sonntag that RRCHP accept the proposed budget for the 2019 Second Chance Art Sale and approve expenses in the amount of \$5,200. Motion Carried

Moved by Graham Drake, seconded by Peter Harding that RCCHP approve the expenditure of funds to support the following youth program commitments by our Club. (1) One student to the Rotary Adventures in Citizenship in Ottawa for \$1,600. (2) Three students to the Rotary Youth Leadership program in May 2019 for \$1,500. (3) Two students to attend the Rotary Youth Entrepreneurship camp in the summer of 2019 for \$2,000. Motion Carried



## Our meeting.

Moved by Phil Hochhausen, seconded by Don McArthur, on behalf of the International Services Committee, that RCCHP support the Guatemala Literacy Project (GLP) in the amount of \$1,500. The GLP is a multi-club & multi-district Rotary project. Our donation will be sent to the Rotary Club of North Bay, Ontario, the international Lead Club for this ongoing project this year. Motion carried

Then it got confusing as our President seemed to want to vary from the agenda... maybe in a hurry to go shopping! But with “gracious” help from his fellow Rotarians, turned his attention to getting back on track.

Phil organized the 50/50 draw, Anthony pulled the lucky ticket, however Don McArthur did not draw the elusive joker so the \$584 pot will continue to grow for at least another meeting.

Happy bucks were plentiful, and in random order were:

Garry – for Give-A-Fork efforts so far, the frustration of adhering to the HP speed limit, PV trip getting organized.

Rob - sighting 11 deer in his neighbourhood this morning.

Bob – setting the stage for Dec 14.

Asha – happy for grandchildren’s visit, sad for Calgary Tower restaurant experience.

Din – Christmas party at the Wainwright.

Brad S – catching up with LeRoy, who hopes to rejoin us in the spring.

Raju – Grey Cup for the Stamps.

Christine – JA volunteering and FINALLY getting a Golf Committee Chair (Don McArthur).

John – a recruiting buck for those interesting in helping out picking up art from the Michael’s stores. Let him know if you can help.

Brad W – congrats to Peter H for the work on Beef Jerky sales and also for the Cup.

Joan – happy to hear the Christmas music and can hardly wait to turn on the lights Dec 1<sup>st</sup>.

After the voluntary free for all, Sherriff Graham stepped up to remind us of the blessing and curses of technology:

In a rare move, the Sherriff granted a credit for those who had done an e-makeup.

Jeanette was given a credit for a reason I can’t recall.

The fines then began in earnest if... you share an email address with your spouse; you have more than one email address; you have more than 2 devices; more than one cell phone; if you don’t have your own cell phone (another sharing thing); if your phone, which is a distraction, is on the table at breakfast today and not used solely for Rotary.

And just to reinforce behavior... Sherriff Graham fined those who don’t know or won’t sing the correct words to our national anthem. And finally, John and Darryl were fined for their pregnant pauses while they pretended to be today’s Sherriff!

And a reminder that our meeting next week is rescheduled to the Christmas Party on Thursday night. No meeting Friday.

And Jim’s thought for the day from Charles Dickens is: “There is nothing in the world so irresistibly contagious as laughter and good humor”.

And with that.... we left.

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#### December 14, 2018

Greeter	Hope, Bill
Door Sales	Kelly, Lorne
50 50 Sales	Kim, Harry
Grace Sunshine Report	Kinley, Doug
Introduce Speaker	
Thank Speaker	
Standard Reporter	Klassen, Joe

#### January 4, 2019

Greeter	Le, Kathy
Door Sales	Leigh, Peter
50 50 Sales	MacDonald, Doug
Grace and Sunshine report	Matthews, Rob
Introduce Speaker	McArthur, Don
Thank Speaker	Mihailedes, Christine
Standard Reporter	Murphy, Ginny

#### January 11, 2019

Greeter	Noble, Velma
Door sales	Olutuyi, Ola
50/50	Oppermann, Enya
Grace and Sunshine report	Paivalainen, Aliisa
Introduce Speaker	Paul, Asha
Thank speaker	Paul, Raju
Standard reporter	Peerani, Din

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### The Rotary Club of Calgary Heritage Park Announcements

Dec 7	No meeting—Christmas party
Dec 14	Second Chance Art Sale and Classification
Dec 21 & 28	No meetings
Jan 4	Bill Skinner—Global Grant Opportunity
Jan 11	Karl Kjarsgaard—Restoring the Famous Halifax
Jan 18	Dan Doherty—District Governor visit

