

PLANNING 10 INTERVIEW DAY



Westview Sec. School held a very successful Planning 10 Interview Day on May 19th 04. The students, staff and Administration greatly appreciate the Rotary sponsorship of such events. 150 students were interviewed with the help of 35 adults. Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Attarmigirian, Mr Nosworthy, Mr. Wade, Mr. Davelaar, Mr. Graveson and Mrs Vevers represented Meadow Ridge Rotary at this event. The insight shared by our Rotarians with the students was truly valued. 23 Community Mentors and 12 W.S.S. staff, supported students with their assignment.

Students wowed their interviewers with very mature responses to their 'Ethical dilemmas', and in several cases it was noted that employers would have hired them on the spot if vacancies existed. THEN there were those who came without data --- and

heard much about -- preparation , presentation and first impressions! All went away with some lasting impression of the day.

We have dates booked for next year --- Jan 19th and May 18th 2005--- so if you are interested in helping us through this transition with young people -- book the dates now!

PRESENTING OUR BURSARIES FOR HIGH SCHOOLS

We are looking for presenters of our bursaries at the upcoming Graduations:

Garibaldi Secondary School	June 4th 2:00pm	@ Planet Ice
Westview Secondary School	June 5 th , Andrea Vevers \Presenter	@ Planet Ice
Community Education	June 10th 7.00pm	@ Thomas Haney Secondary School
Thomas Haney Secondary School	June 11th 9:00am	@ Thomas Haney Secondary School
Pitt Meadows Secondary School	June 11th 2:00pm	@ Planet Ice
Maple Ridge Secondary School	June 12th 9:00am	@ Planet Ice

If you can assist, please contact Andrea Vevers @ 604-466-0825 or 604-467-3481 by Friday 28th May. Thank you, Andrea Vevers

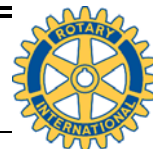
ROTARY FAMILY BARBECUE

Our Annual family barbecue will take place as usual at Marco and Lila Jane Terwiel's home at 21616 River Road in Maple Ridge. Date will be Sunday June 20 (time tba, possibly early afternoon). Everybody is invited to bring partner, spouse, children, grandchildren etc.



Every family is asked to bring a salad or dessert. (a list will be sent around shortly!) Hamburgers/hot dogs/buns etc. supplied by our Club! This is always a wonderful event and gives everybody a chance to meet our "Family of Rotary" in a more "relaxed" atmosphere! Hope that all of you will be attending!

SO PLEASE KEEP SUNDAY JUNE 20TH FREE FOR OUR BARBECUE!!



The Four Way Flasher

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INVOCATION

May 25	Alan Graveson	June 1	Hendy Lindsay
June 8	Cheryl Johnson	June 15	Alex Kempenaar

BINGO SCHEDULE

	6:15-8:15	8:00-10:00
June 17	Tim Lowes	Marco Terwiel
July 15	Craig Vernon	Lindsay Hendy

Call Peter at 604-465-3392 for assistance or e-mail peter.boekhorst@telus.net



Lend a Hand

TODAY'S PROGRAM: Who's Who – Debbie MacRae

NEXT WEEK: Rotary Membership - New Members

CALENDAR OF CLUB AND DISTRICT 5050 EVENTS:

Date	Time	Event	Venue
May 23-26		The RI Convention	Osaka, Japan
June 17	6:00pm	Ladies Night – Haney Club - \$100. ⁰⁰	Swan-E-Set
June 19		Haney Rotary Club Installation	Pitt Meadows Golf Course
June 20	1:00pm ?	Family Barbecue	Marco's place - 21616 River Rd.
June 22		MeadowRidge Rot. Club Installation	Gourmet Hideaway

50 / 50 draw - Jackpot at \$135 + 1/2 of today's sales, 46 cards left, Jackpot on "Queen of Hearts" only!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 28: Murray Davelaar May 28: Tim Lowes May 30: Diane Kirkland
May 29: Jo-Ann Knuttila May 29: Catherine Tan May 30: Alan Johnson

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 31: John & Andrea Vevers

LAST WEEK'S MEETING

Mary chaired the meeting again this week as our illustrious leader is still away.

Mike McCone was one of our guests today and he was very pleased to present to our club President Laurie, the Presidential Citation for the year. Congratulations to Laurie and of course the whole membership that helps make this award possible. Of course we all know that if Mary was not inspired before (haha) she certainly is now so look forward to another busy year while Mary strives to attain the same award again for our club.

Our Community Services committee was handing out money again to another worthwhile cause. This week we delivered \$300 to the After School Club, a volunteer organization working out of Pitt Meadows that works with "at risk" children to assist them before they find trouble. Various programs they offer are skills development, values, homework assistance, sports, healthy snacks and a cooking class. Our funds will be going towards sporting equipment and cooking utensils.



Bob reminded everyone that we are still looking for about 20 more sponsors for the Hospice Calendar. We need to get this put together by the end of the month. He will fax a list of contributors to date so we can avoid approaching an existing donor.



Our Guest Speaker was Gary Morach, the District Chair for Annual Foundation Giving. He showed us an inspirational 4 minute video which shows vignettes of all the good work our donations goes towards. He reminds everyone to make their contribution in any one of the easy methods, ie credit card, auto debit from your bank account, check or cash.

Mary is also looking for commitments regarding the attendance to the installation dinner, which will be held on 22 June. If you have not signed up yet with a yes or a no, please do so ASAP. Thank You.

Submitted by Debi Pearce

DISTRICT 5050 GOLFUN TOURNAMENT

This is the time of the much-anticipated 2004 GOLFUN tournament, a "fun-raising" event, which will help raise funds to benefit the Rotary Foundation. We are looking for sponsors; our goal is to have one from every club for a total of 53.

Also, please note that we have a foursome entry called the 5050 Foursome, which is 50% women, 50% men. There will be winners in four divisions! A great time is anticipated!

- Each year the District asks for Sponsors for the annual golf tournament. This is only one of two fund raising events for the District each year.
- We are asking that your Club or Company/Organization be a sponsor of the tournament.

- Sponsorship is \$1000.00
- With that sponsorship you will receive name recognition on our District website, on signage at the tournament and formal recognition at the GolFun Awards Dinner.
- You will also receive a Paul Harris Fellow to be awarded to your Rotary Club (that your club can designate).
- Please contact John Bosch at: office 425-347-2611 email: jb@jabcojanitorial.com

Thanks very much for your support!

John A. Bosch

WANTED

You are wanted at the Inaugural
**Zajac Ranch
Wrangler Round-Up
Volunteer Day**

On Saturday, June 5th, 2004

10—6pm

At the Zajac Ranch
(Stave Lake, Mission, BC)


Join volunteers, staff, and members of your community as we prepare for the upcoming summer camp season.

Opening this summer (phase 1), the Zajac Ranch is a camp dedicated to "raising the spirits" of children with life-threatening or chronic illnesses. At the Zajac Ranch, children will learn what they can do, not what they can't.

Come for the day or part of the day.

Projects include gardening, painting, splitting wood, trail clean up and much, much more. Your day will include lunch, dinner banquet and a whole lot of fun!

Please contact Adrienne Lockstead at
The Zajac Foundation at 604-739-0444

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RANCH**
Out here we raise spirits.