

MEETING MAKE-UP

One of the many benefits of Rotary Club membership is the luxury of being able to travel the world and never miss a weekly meeting. Club members are welcome and encouraged to [visit clubs](#) while traveling to make-up the meeting missed back home.

But Rotarians often ask what options exist if there is not a club in the area of travel, or if the member is home but an emergency causes them to miss a meeting. Well, the answer is as close as your home computer.

Rotary International has approved the request of 27 clubs to form with virtual or electronic locations. A visit to one of these e-clubs may satisfy a club member's make-up requirement.

Go to www.rotary.org

Go to the **Membership** tab on the top-left hand side of the screen. Then hit the **Continuing Member Education** tab. Scroll down to the **Meeting Make-Up tab**.

When you hit his tab you will be given a list of Rotary E-Clubs. Click on any of these tabs to do an on-line makeup A makeup takes approximately 30 – 45 minutes.

<http://www.rotaryclubone.org>

<http://www.rotaryclubny1.com>

<http://www.rotaryclubsouthwest.org>

<http://www.rotaryclub7890.org>

<http://www.rotaryclub3310.org>

ROTARY WEEK PROCLAMATION



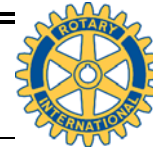
This is to confirm that both the British Columbia Government and the Washington State Legislature will proclaim the week of February 21 to 27, 2005 as 'Rotary Week'

The Washington State Legislative Assembly and the British Columbia Government will each proclaim Feb 21-27/05 "Rotary Week throughout the State/Province".

Labour Minister Graham Bruce will make the declaration on February 17th/05. Followed by a reception in the rotunda area for about 200 people.

The declaration would be made in Washington at the Legislative Assembly meeting Monday February 21st/05 followed by a reception nearby.

Hopefully we will attract a good turnout of media, Governors, AG's and Rotarians to each event.



The Four Way Flasher

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INVOCATION

Nov. 23	Marco Terwiel	Nov. 30	Andrea Vevers
Dec. 7	Walter Volpatti	Dec. 14	Stan Wade



BINGO SCHEDULE

	6:15-8:15	8:00-10:00
Dec. 02	Lynda Lawrence	Bob Shantz
Dec. 30	Brian Bekar	Mina Park



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

TODAY'S PROGRAM: Donna Bartel, – Security Manager Fraser Port Authority

NEXT WEEK: Jim Rule – State of the Municipality

CALENDAR OF CLUB AND DISTRICT 5050 EVENTS:

Date	Time	Event	Venue
Dec. 14	noon	AGM & Election of Officers	Regular Meeting
Dec. 21		Christmas Party	Robson's house
April 9	8:00am	District Assembly	Kwantlen University College, Surrey
May 12		District 5050 Centennial Conference	Victoria, BC
May 28		WineZest 2005	
June 18-22		RI Centennial Convention	Chicago

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nov. 22 – Laurie Anderson

Nov. 23 – Lynda Lawrence

Nov. 29 – Stan Wade

50 / 50 draw - Jackpot at \$675+ 1/2 of today's sales, 28 cards left, Jackpot on "Queen of Hearts" only!

LAST WEEKS MEETING

Hospice Update – We still have 1,300 calendars to sell, and sales are going very well. Marco has personally sold 100 and offers up the challenge to any Rotarian who thinks they can beat his sales. We also have timeslots at the Haney Place Mall on Nov 19th, 20th and 26 & 27th, If you have not signed up already but would like to please call Bob Shantz and he will set you up.

We gave a donation today to the Friends in Need Food Bank and they were very happy for it. They currently have 2,518 registered clients of which 51% are families and 37% are children. In order to register for a hamper participants must provide proof of address within Maple Ridge /Pitt Meadows, have a picture ID and proof of income. They also have many people who come by daily to pick up bread or cans of food. Another program is for people with babies in that they can come 12 times a year to pick up a baby hamper which includes things like diapers and baby food. The funds we donated will be used to “enhance the family hampers” with more high protein foods to be used in children’s lunches for example.

We also installed another new member. Robert Campbell, the Theatre Director for the ACT has joined our ranks. Robert hails from Edmonton originally, where he grew up with his 4 brothers. He studied Jazz Piano in University and he worked in the entertainment field for many years. He came to BC in 1986 and later to Maple Ridge in 1992 the same year his 1st son was born. He also has a second career in Computer Technology. He looks forward to his Rotary Career with great enthusiasm.



Lastly this week we had a Who’s Who from one of our new Rotarians, Mina Park. Mina was born and raised in Seoul Korea and came to Canada as an International student in 1989. She went to Ontario Academic Course and later traveled to many cities in Canada before she returned to Korea. She returned to Canada and settled in Vancouver with her husband John and her son Yale. Her parents have since moved to Maple Ridge as well. She has a brother who lives in Japan and a sister who lives in Seattle Washington. She owns and runs Peaches & Cream Esthetics and her goal is to open an Aesthetic School with ESL program, to attract students from Korea. She is very proud to be a Rotarian and especially thanks Laurie Anderson who installed her.



We will also be assisting the Food Bank at the Santa Clause parade on December 4th. If you are interested please contact Lynda Lawrence.

Submitted by Debi Pearce

ROTARY’S SECOND CENTURY OF SERVICE: TWO NEEDS, TWO WAYS OF GIVING

Rotarians around the world give generously to their Foundation to accomplish a wide range of humanitarian, educational, and cultural programs. These gifts ensure that the dream of a better life becomes a reality for hundreds of thousands of deserving people throughout the world each year.

The Annual Programs Fund is the cornerstone of The Rotary Foundation. Without the continuing annual gifts from Rotarians, there would be no Ambassadorial Scholars and no Group Study Exchange, to name a few. The Annual Programs Fund allows the Foundation to support a predictable level of recurring programming.

To ensure the Foundation’s strong future, the Permanent Fund is invested in perpetuity. A portion of the fund is allocated to benefit Foundation programs every year, providing an extra stream of income to meet the increasing demand for the Foundation’s programs and to ensure the Foundation’s ability to meet urgent human needs into the future. Rotarians already have contributed over US\$90 million and committed another \$250 million to this endowed fund. The target is to reach \$1 billion by 2025.

The Annual Programs Fund and the Permanent Fund are equally deserving of your support; they complement each other. The Annual Programs Fund supports programs today; the Permanent Fund is designed to secure those programs for tomorrow.

We invite you to invest in today’s Rotary Foundation by making yearly gifts to the Annual Programs Fund. And we invite you to invest in tomorrow by designating a gift from your current assets or a portion of your estate to the Permanent Fund.

By participating, you join fellow Rotarians whose combined efforts continue to build a better future for all of the world’s people to live in good health, harmony, and peace.

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW

Anyone who contributes – or in whose name is contributed – a gift of US\$1,000 or more to the Annual Programs Fund may become a Paul Harris Fellow. Each new Paul Harris Fellow receives a commemorative certificate, a Paul Harris Fellow pin, and a medallion. Donors are eligible for Paul Harris Fellow recognition when their cumulative giving reaches US\$1,000.

For additional gifts totalling US\$1,000 or more, a Paul Harris Fellow:



- is recognized as a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow
- may also choose to honour someone else as a Paul Harris Fellow with their Foundation Recognition Points, formerly called "available credit"
- is eligible to receive a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow pin with additional stones.

Meadow Ridge Rotary Club Paul Harris Fellows

As of November 19, 2004

Ineke Boekhorst	PHF+1	Debi Pearce	PHF
Don Boyce	PHF	Mary Robson	PHF+1
Rick Carruthers	PHF	Gord Robson	PHF+1
Ken Knuttila	PHF+1	Marco Terwiel	PHF
Ken Paterson	PHF		