

“He profits most who serves best”

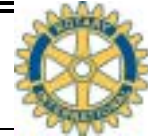
Goals and Objectives 2001/2002

- ✓ Aim for Rotary’s Global Quest: one new member installation every month.
Present number of Club members (May 2001) is 37; projected net increase by July 2002, 8 , to 45.
- ✓ Business mtg. 3rd.Tues.each month, with cheque presentations and new member installations this mtg.
- ✓ Average monthly attendance over 2000/2001 was 70%; projected increase average attendance to 90%.
- ✓ Executive mtgs. held monthly, 2nd Tuesday ea. month , 7AM at Andrews Brown Maroney Office
- ✓ Projected Budget for 2001/2002, presented by our treasurer Lindsay Hendy.
- ✓ Monthly financial reporting presented at every executive meeting.
- ✓ Club Programs announced in weekly Newsletter, as provided by program director.
Club Assemblies (Fireside Meetings) to be held 3 times per year, Sept. - Jan. - May.
- ✓ Club Newsletter (The Four Way Flasher) is published weekly, to be distributed at mtg. and by
 - ✓ Club Secretary to publish Club Roster start of Rotary Year (July 1), with monthly updates.
 Our fundraising activities accumulate revenues of approx. \$70,000.00, as reflected in our budget.
- ✓ Present and past Presidents both to attend PETS
- ✓ To increase number of members attending the District Assembly (accomplished, 2001 attn. was 9)
Member attending the District Conference 2001 in Semiahmo was 1, projected to increase in 2002 to 6.
- Aim for Rotary Foundation contribution of \$100.00 per member
Percentage of Club members, contributing to R.F. is 50% in 2000/01; projected to increase to 85%.
- ✓ We hosted 1 youth exchange student from Brazil last year and we will be taking a break but initiate attracting an exchange student for next year again.
Advertise and interview for an Ambassadorial Scholar.
Initiate or co sponsor Job Fair or Job Shadow Project for high school students.
- ✓ Continue to sponsor our Interact Club
Solicit and interview candidates for RYLA
One NEW Community Service Project
- ✓ One NEW International Service Project using matching grants.

Our Special Goals for the Rotary Year 2001/2002 are:

- Increase our net membership by 8 (to 45)
- Install one new member every month
- Have at least 2 or 3 social activities throughout the year
- Initiate one NEW Community Services Project
- Initiate one NEW International Services Project, using matching Grant
- ✓ Conduct a ‘2x4’ (Present 2 minutes of Rotary information 4 times per month)

Richard King: President RI 2001/2002
Kathy DeTuerk: District Governor District 5050



The Four Way Flasher

Rotary Club of MeadowRidge Newsletter

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INVOCATION Oct. 9: Dot Ralston Oct. 23: Mary Robson

BINGO SCHEDULE BE ON TIME!

	3:00-5:00	4:30-6:30
Oct. 11:	Brian Bekar	Liz Attarmigirian
Oct. 25:	Betty Levens	Merlyn White

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

TODAY’S PROGRAM: Membership Meeting

NEXT WEEK’S PROGRAM: NO REGULAR MEETING (to be replaced by Club Social on Oct.21)

CALENDAR OF CLUB EVENTS:

No lunch meeting in the library on Oct 16.

- Oct. 16:** Cancelled. A social is being arranged, possibly brunch and horse races, Oct. 21
- Oct 23 :** Business Meeting (back in the Library!!)
- Oct . 30:** Sandy Rankin (Hospital Foundation)
- Nov. 19:** Sports' Banquet @ Meadow Gardens Golf Course

CALENDAR OF RI & DISTRICT 5050 EVENTS (Sept. - Jan.)

Date	Event	Venue
Oct-20-2001	District Foundation Seminar	Cloverdale Conference Center

50 / 50 draw - Jackpot at \$ 147.= + 1/2 of today’s sales, 42 cards, Jackpot on “Queen of Hearts” only!



LAST WEEKS' MEETING

The meeting was held at The Quality Inn, our guest speaker was Corinne Meldrum, our out-bound exchange student from last year, who spent a year in France. She presented an interesting overview of her stay and had many stories on how wonderful and sometimes embarrassing her inter-actions with host-families turned out to be, when you do not understand your new language exactly....!

SPORTS BANQUET – A short mtg. followed the regular mtg. Everybody seems to be on track with his or her job responsibility regarding the banquet on November 19. Ticket-sales have started strong, with 6 tables of 10 people paid for. Tickets are \$ 100.00 ea. And if you would like to sit with a sports-celebrity, you pay for 10 tickets, sit with 8 of your friends or colleagues and get to pick 2 attending sports-celebrities, who will join you at your table(first come first serve)

We need lots of items for the silent auction, every member is requested to donate 2 items(or find 2 donors) Please report to Peter ASAP what your donations will be, so we can start creating our list. We also need approx. 75-90 smaller items for the balloon sales, these can be \$5.00 gift certificates, bottles of wine, golf-balls or whatever you can come up with(approx. value from \$5.00-\$30.00)

MeadowRidge Rotary 100% Club For the Month of September, 2001

Laurie Anderson, Liz Attarmigirian, Brian Bekar, Ineke Boekhorst, Peter Boekhorst, Mike Davies, Bill Dingwall, Doris Gagel, Lindsay Hendy, Ron Lepore, Betty Levens, Kevin Noseworthy, Ken Paterson, Debi Pearce, Dave Rempel, Gordy Robson, Mary Robson, Irena Shantz, Craig Vernon, Andrea Vevers, Stan Wade, Merlyn White

BINGO PROCEEDS

Net proceeds from our bingo for the month of Aug. 2001 were \$3420.57. Thanks to all members who volunteered to work a few hours at our bingo-events. As you can see, a great result for just a few hours of work and.....**it also counts as a MAKE-UP!** Talk to Peter if you'd like to volunteer.

CONGRATULATIONS :

October 9th(today) Happy Birthday to Kevin Noseworthy
October 10th Happy Anniversary to Ken and Joanne Knuttila

TODAY'S MEETING

We welcome all of our visiting guests, interested in Rotary. We will try to give you some basic information about Rotary in general and also some information specifically on the MeadowRidge Rotary Club. Some of the expected commitments you make, if you decide to join our club are as follows:

Attend weekly meetings (held Tuesday noon at the M.R. Library), if unable to attend mtg. do "make-up", this means attending another Rotary Club mtg. in the area at a more convenient time. Cost of weekly lunch is \$15.-, cost of annual membership \$133.- + \$35.- initiation fee. To promote the ideal of service, you are expected to sit on at least one committee, your choice of which one of the four avenues of service. You're also expected to help with the "Sports' Banquet" and "WineZest" our 2 major fundraising events. In summary there are many privileges and commitments to being a Rotarian and we expect you'll find these challenges exciting and interesting. We look forward to ongoing fellowship with you and if you have any

questions concerning Rotary, please feel free to contact any of the members of the Club. Please do not hesitate to express an interest in certain committees or put forward new ideas regarding any of the aspects of our club functions. Your sponsor can also help you in being introduced to the membership, doing make-up's, joining a committee and becoming an integral part of our club.

Attention to all Club Members involved with Matching Grants, Foundation and Membership

One of the MOST IMPORTANT meetings for D5050 during this Rotary Year is the upcoming Foundation/Membership Seminar on October 20th. A good deal of planning has gone into making this seminar a worthwhile and informative meeting for you and members of your club. It is our goal to provide you with information and tools to assist you in meeting your club goals in both Foundation programs and Membership. Guest speakers/presenters include PDG Al Frumkin from Red Bluff, California and Rosemary Aragon from Seattle, Wa.

LOCATION:

The Sunrise Banquet and Conference Centre, 5640 - 188th Street (at Highway #10), Cloverdale, B.C. (telephone 604-574-0411).

HOW TO GET THERE:

From the Fraser Valley heading WEST take the 232nd exit from the Freeway. Turn LEFT on Glover Road. Turn RIGHT on Highway 10 following it through Langley. As you leave Langley and go up the hill toloverdale, turn RIGHT on 188th Street.

TIME:

Registration: 7:30 a.m. Plenary Session at 8:00 a.m. providing an overview on the most important and newer Rotary Foundation Programs. This will be followed by two workshops held concurrently. One will be on Membership and Rotary's Global Quest. The other will be on "How to Complete a Matching Grant and Monitoring a World Community Service Project". Lunch follows at NOON.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

As you can see from the above, these are very important topics. Therefore, I would respectfully suggest you as the Club President ought to be there together with your President-Elect, members of your club Foundation and Membership committees, and any other interested members of your club. DG Kathy reminds you that a MINIMUM of THREE members of your club are needed as one of the qualifications for the Presidential Citation.

COST:

\$20.00 CANADIAN per person. (Club will pay for registration and includes lunch)

CONFIRMATION:

In order to make arrangements with the facility for lunch, I need # of members attending, NO LATER than Monday, October 15th from our club. Also, please indicate which workshop you will be attending, Membership workshop or the WCS Matching Grant workshop. Your attention to this is appreciated.

During this Rotary year, DG Kathy has challenged us to improve the quality of our clubs. We believe the information you and members of your club will receive by attending and participating in this Foundation/Membership Seminar will be of valuable assistance in helping to move our clubs from where they are to where they ought to be. Please give this matter your priority attention.

PDG Dave Robinson, D5050 Foundation Chair

**PLEASE INFORM INEKE ASAP IF YOU ARE ATTENDING THIS WORTHWHILE SEMINAR.
WE WILL BE ARRANGING RIDES.**