

“He profits most who serves best”

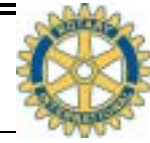
Goals and Objectives 2001/2002

- ✓ 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 in 2000/01 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 Conf. 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

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INVOCATION Oct. 30: Dave Rempel **Nov. 6:** Gord Robson

BINGO SCHEDULE BE ON TIME!

	3:00-5:00	4:30-6:30
Nov. 08:	Marco Terwiel	Merlyn White
Nov. 22:		

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



TODAY’S PROGRAM: Sandra Rankin of the Maple Ridge Hospital Foundation will talk about the work of the Foundation in supporting our hospital.

NEXT WEEK’S PROGRAM: PDG D. Robinson about the Rotary Foundation.

CALENDAR OF CLUB EVENTS:

Nov. 19, 2001	Sports' Banquet	Meadow Garden's Golf & Country Club
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CALENDAR OF RI & DISTRICT 5050 EVENTS

Date	Event	Venue
Feb.1 - 4, 2002	Rotary International Assembly	Anaheim
Feb.23, 2002	RI's 97th Anniversary	
Mar.22, 2002	PETS	
Apr.20, 2002	District Assembly WWU	
May 16, 2002	District Conference	Everett WA
June 23-26, 2002	International Convention	Barcelona, Spain

50 / 50 draw - Jackpot at \$160 + 1/2 of today’s sales, 41 cards, Jackpot on “Queen of Hearts” only!



VOCATIONAL SERVICES

A Career Awareness weekend camp, Introduction to Paramedic Training, sponsored by our Rotary Club, was held October 26-October 29, 2001 at Planet Ice and the new Library and included a field trip to the BCAS Regional Communications Center in Vancouver. A total of 19 local students (from Garibaldi, Thomas Haney, MRSS, Westview and Pitt Meadows) completed this program successfully. This work experience program was offered to students with a genuine



interest in Paramedics as a potential career and students had to complete a substantial application sheet. Some of the criteria to be met:

- a genuine interest in pre-hospital care
- 16 to 18 years of age at time of application
- have to have good standing in all classes
- good attendance record
- display a willingness to work
- complete the application in full
- been recommended by school staff
- be physically and medically fit and a non-smoker

Some of the areas covered during the 4 day extensive training included: basic anatomy and physiology, patient assessment and patient assessment with critical interventions, treatments (fracture management, burns, soft tissue injuries and drug overdose), general drug awareness (a paramedic's perspective), CPR registration, simulations, 4 hour tour of BCAS Reg. Comm. Ctr. and at the end of the 4th day, testing and...Graduation! To follow at later dates individual BCAS ride alongs will be organized. All training was done by Terry Hissup, a professional Paramedic Trainer employed with the B.C. Ambulance Service.

The 4 day Camp was organized by Andrea Vevers and the Vocational Services Team in conjunction with School District 42, the total cost to our Club approx. \$1500.= covered by Bingo funds (upon approval of the Gaming Committee) A fantastic initiative of our Rotary Club, one we can be very proud of!

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU GOES OUT TO ANDREA AND HER COMMITTEE!

POSTER AND ESSAY CONTEST:

Mankind Is Our Business – How Does Helping Others Make the World a Better Place?

Rotary International has initiated this contest to promote awareness of Rotary and to promote to young people the concept of service to others. There are two categories: Posters and Essays and each category has great prizes, including scholarships and trips to Barcelona, Spain to the 2002 RI Convention.

Official contest rules and additional information is available on the Club web-site at:

http://www3.telus.net/MeadowRidge_Rotary

This is a great way to introduce young people to Rotary and encourage them to think of others too.

2 X 4 = 2 MINUTES OF ROTARY INFORMATION 4 TIMES PER MONTH

This was last week's 2 X 4 : RI WORLD HEADQUARTERS

The headquarters of Rotary International always has been in the area of Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A. First it was in Chicago itself, but in 1954 an attractive new building opened in suburban Evanston. The Ridge Avenue building met the needs of the Rotary Secretariat until the 1980s when the addition of new programs, the growth of The Rotary Foundation, and the new PolioPlus activities made the headquarters building extremely crowded and required some staff members to be housed in supplementary office space nearby.

When a modern 18-story office building became available in downtown Evanston in 1987 it appeared to meet all of Rotary's space and expansion needs for years to come. The glass and steel structure, built in 1977, provides 400,000 square feet of office and usable space. The building was purchased by Rotary International, which leases approximately two-thirds of the space to commercial tenants, until needed by future Rotary growth.

The building provides a 190-seat auditorium, large parking garage and 300-seat cafeteria, as well as functional office space for the 400 employees of the World Headquarters. The executive suite on the 18th floor includes conference rooms for the RI board and committee meetings, in addition to the offices for the RI president, president-elect and general secretary. One Rotary Center, as it is called, will enhance the efficient operations of Rotary International for many years to come.

SPORTS BANQUET

Don't forget, every member is supposed to provide a minimum of 2 items for the Silent Auction. We are getting close to November 19th and we still haven't received anything from many members yet!!! Remember the Sports' Banquet is an Event EVERY member has to participate in or our success will be jeopardised. Please bring your items to the meeting, to Chocolates by Grace or give Peter (604-465-3392) a call.

We also need to sell those tickets; if you have tickets in your possession and not sold, please return to Debbie Dunning or Ken Paterson, otherwise we will assume you have all your tickets sold and request \$100.= for each ticket outstanding!

