

“He profits most who serves best”

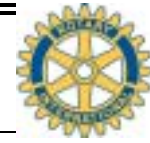
Goals and Objectives 2001/2002

- ✓ 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 meeting.
- ✓ 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 42)
- 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 Jan 15: Jan. 22: Laurie Anderson

BINGO SCHEDULE BE ON TIME!

	3:30-5:00	5:00-6:30
Jan 17:	Peter Boekhorst	Cindy Tyler
Jan 31:	Mary Robson	Gord Robson

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

Notice the changed times (see article inside)

Bingo proceeds for the month of November 2001 were \$2,275.78



TODAY’S PROGRAM: Business Lunch Meeting

NEXT WEEK’S PROGRAM: Susan Antafaeve - Provincial Court Judge
Jan 29: George McCrae - Voyage down the Fraser, from Yale to Gibsons in concert with the First Nations Peoples, and RCMP

CALENDAR OF CLUB EVENTS:

Date	Time	Event	Venue
Jan 17	12 noon	WineZest Meeting	Pitt Meadows Tourist Inform.
Jan 24	7:30-9:30pm	Vocational Services Committee Mtg.	Betty Levens
Jan 24		Career Focus Speakers Bureau	WVSS
Jan 29	6:00pm	Fireside	THSS
Feb 1-4		Health Science Camp	
Feb 8		Inter-Club Dinner Meeting	Swan-e-Set Bay Resort
Feb 26		Membership Development Lunch	(Meadow Gardens)?
Apr 20		50 th Anniversary of Haney Club	Swan-e-Set Bay Resort

50 / 50 draw - Jackpot at \$338 + 1/2 of today’s sales, 34 cards, Jackpot on “Queen of Hearts” only!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jan. 17: Irena Shantz

Jan 20: Betty Levens

RECEIVED LETTERS

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION



21 December 2001

Dear Rotary Club President,

The year 2001 has marked the United Nations International Year of Volunteers. To acknowledge this important occasion, it is my privilege on behalf of the World Health Organisation (WHO) to recognise the contributions of Rotarians around the world to the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. WHO is extremely fortunate to have had the opportunity to work in partnership with Rotary International since 1985. Rotarians have delivered vaccine, raised awareness and vital financial resources, tackling some of the greatest challenges of the Initiative.

When the World Health Assembly resolved to eradicate polio in 1988, it was building on the tremendous humanitarian work started in 1979 when Rotary International first mobilised volunteers and governments to immunise children against polio. Since that time, Rotarians have worked tirelessly, striving to reach every child with vaccine and encouraging donor governments to provide essential financial and political support. The unyielding pursuit of this tremendous goal truly exemplifies Rotary International's motto of *Service Above Self*.

The results have been spectacular: between 1988 and 2000, the number of polio cases world-wide dropped by 99% to fewer than 3000 and the number of polio-infected countries has been reduced from 125 to 20. However, the last 1% of cases will pose our greatest challenge, requiring us to reach all children, even those in the most difficult-to-access places. The importance of Rotary's "team of 1.2 million volunteers" to polio eradication has never been more critical. We shall need to continue, and even heighten our efforts. At the end of this race to reach the last child, we shall all be standing together at the finish line; we shall have so much to celebrate.

The progress toward global polio eradication is a testament to the reality that great feats can be achieved when people are united in a shared purpose. Rotarians around the world have united behind the Global Polio Eradication Initiative since the beginning, nobly working to provide a healthier world for our children. In this Year of Volunteers, I would like to thank you for your outstanding commitment to our global community and for providing an example to the world that positive global change through partnership is indeed possible.

Let us continue our work together so that in 2005 we may celebrate the 100th anniversary of Rotary International by delivering a polio-free world to future generations.

Yours sincerely,
Gro Harlem Brundtland, MD, MPH
Director-General

From the Ridge Meadows Bingo Operators Society:

Please be advised that effective January 15, 2002 the responsibility to manage and conduct bingo will shift from the B.C. Gaming Commission to the B.C. Lottery Corporation. As of today's date we still have no information regarding the changes to your licenses. Effective January 15, the only change will be that the charity representatives will no longer be required to check in paper or floats. You will only have to sign in 15 minutes before the start of the bingo session. The new time will be: 3:30 p.m.

From the of 100 Mile Rotary Club

This is your invitation to the Second Annual Rotary 100 Mile House

SNOWMOBILE GUIDE & RIDE on FEBRUARY 15th & 16th 2002

This is a fund raising effort for our Club.

The package includes two nights stay, two breakfasts, one of four guided tours, lunch on the tour, and supper and dance on the Saturday.

- TOUR I: 100 Mile House to Green Lake - 100 km (60 mi). This is a family trip through winter wonderland. Suitable for children
- TOUR II: 100 Mile House to Spout Lake - 200 km (125 mi). Through big forests, across hills and lakes - a typical South Cariboo Landscape. This tour is more demanding than Tour I. Gas avail. at Lunch Stop! (approx. half way)
- TOUR III: Mica Mountain! See some of the finest mountain riding you will find anywhere. 500cc to 600 cc class for experienced riders. Enjoy the view
- TOUR IV: Mica Mountain for experts! Up, up it goes! 600cc, 700cc, 800cc class, fast aggressive mountain climbing. (No rentals available for this tour)

Costs for the weekend range from \$190.00 to \$300 (plus any applicable taxes, naturally) depending on your selection of accommodation.

Machine rentals are available, but limited and are not part of the above costs.

Please contact Darrel Warman at the South Cariboo Visitor Information Centre 1-877-511-5353

From the Rotary Club of Coquitlam

We will be meeting at the Best Western, 319 North Road, Coquitlam until further notice. The renovations and rebuilding of the Vancouver Golf Club will, hopefully, be completed sometime in June or July, 2002 and also hopefully, we will again meet there after construction is finished.

Our first meeting at the Best Western will be January 9th, 2002.

Thanks, Doug McCorkindale, CICO Rotary Club of Coquitlam

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

This was last week's 2 X 4 : **Club Singing**

Harry Ruggles was the fifth man to join Paul Harris in the conversations that led to the formation of the first Rotary club in Chicago in 1905. Harry was a fellow who enjoyed singing, and this was a popular activity at the turn of the century. At an early meeting of the fledgling group, Harry jumped on a chair and urged everyone to join him in a song.

Group singing soon became a traditional part of each Rotary meeting. The custom spread to many of the clubs in the United States and is still a popular fellowship activity in the Rotary meetings of such diverse countries as Australia, Japan, Nigeria, New Zealand and Canada. Some clubs sing a national song as the formal opening of the meeting. Social singing, however, is seldom found in the Rotary clubs in Europe, South America and Asia.