



CAPRI ECHO

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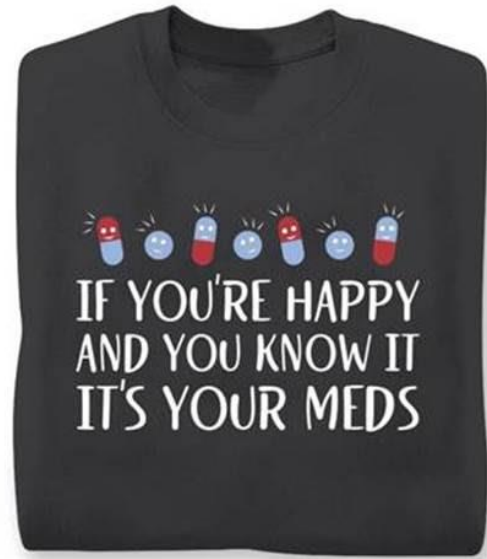
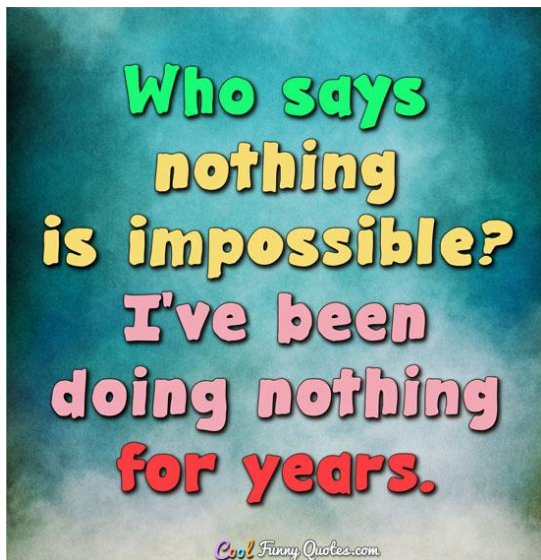
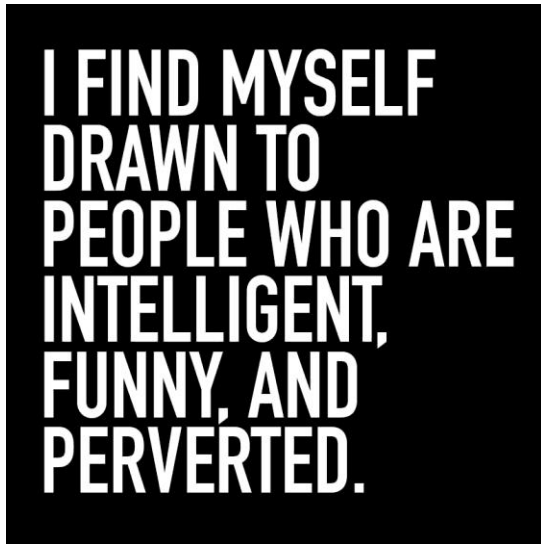
- Aug 11 District Governor's visit
- Aug 18 Jim Hawkins; Diamond Mining
- Aug 25 Jorma Jyrkkanen; Climate Change
- Sep 1 Olivia Massegnan
- Sep 8 TBA
- Sep 15 TBA
- Sep 22 TBA
- Sep 29 TBA

WEEK'S ZOOM MEETING

<https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/play/VRCQ2tR-o1etjbjRLPQZVJwg3pDFNYcKG68H2b06bN1GZR9DC0w4gNRh3CUW2NVIPQSqMaVlvE7n5G5p.Yrq14fY5EzGJrg7w>

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**SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE
THERE'S SIGNS**



Mike was the Sheriff this evening. Who would think that such a nice man could be so ruthless when it comes to fines?



Foundation -

WHAT IS “EVERY ROTARIAN, EVERY YEAR” ALL ABOUT?

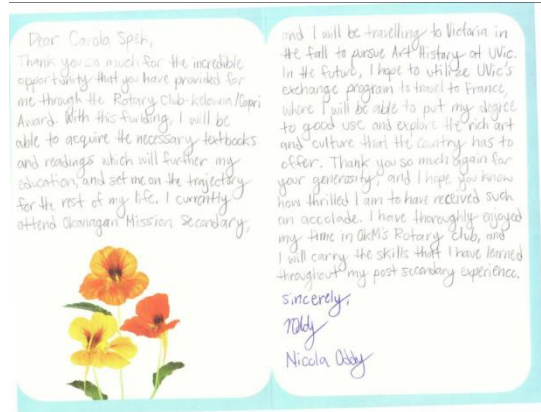
This initiative by the Board of Trustees of The Rotary Foundation encourages “every Rotarian, every year” to:

1. Participate in a Foundation program that is making a difference in the world
2. Contribute to the Foundation’s Annual Fund at a sustainable amount

The Rotary Foundation even has banners for clubs where every member contributes at least US\$25 to the Annual Fund with a US\$100 per capita during the Rotary year. Today, around 1/3 of Rotarians participate in this initiative. In 2021-22, The Rotary Foundation was able to award more than 2000 global grants for large scale sustainable projects due to the generosity of these Rotarians (unaudited). Think about how much more Rotary could accomplish in the world if all our 1.4 million worldwide members each gave at least US\$25 to our Foundation’s Annual Fund.

If you are a part of the “Every Rotarian, Every Year” initiative – I personally thank you for your support of The Rotary Foundation and its work.

COBBS Bursary – We received a nice thank you from the COBSS Rotary Capri Reward recipient Nicola Oddy. It has been scanned and is embedded below. You will have to enlarge the newsletter to read it easily.



Other Activities -

Bottle Sale - at the Independ Store in the Capri mall September 17 and 18th. Theme will be Peace Day which is on September 21st. Next sale will likely be the weekend before Halloween.

Caribbean Night - a fundraiser for Rotarians, spouses, and friends. Possible date is October 22nd. The first stages of organizing are underway.

Socials - Bob and Chris have invited club Rotarians and spouses to a get together at their place on Sunday, August 21st. Meanwhile Art and Glenna are going to organize a housewarming social.

Guess Who is Coming for Dinner – plans are underway to set a Guess Who night with the Mission Club. Art is providing the leadership to get this organized.

Rotary District 5060 Websites –

New District Website

<https://rotary5060.org/>

Videos

<https://vimeo.com/rotary5060>

End Polio

<https://www.endpolio.org/resource-center>

THIS WEEK'S REGULAR MEETING



The club meeting begins Thursday, August 11th at 6:00 pm at Yanni's Grill.

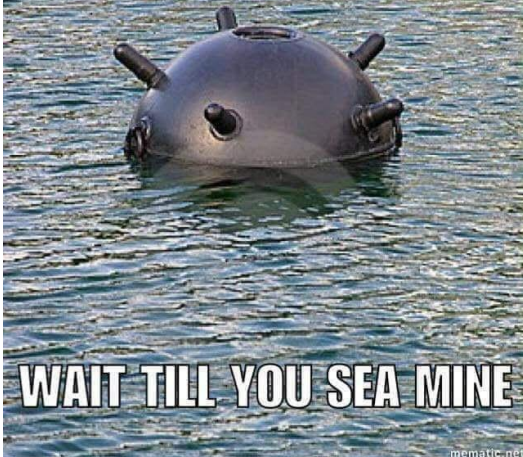
Prior to the meeting we have social time beginning at 5.30 pm.

HUMOUR

Julia has two passions in life:
alcohol and horses.



IF YOU THOUGHT THOSE
OTHER PUNS WERE BAD...



WAIT TILL YOU SEA MINE



WHEN YOU TRY TO HUG HER

BUT SHE IS
STILL MAD AT YOU

Been shortages everywhere and late shipments. Walmart just got a shipment from 1973.



GUEST SPEAKER



Moyra Baxter

Photo by Peter Spek

The guest speaker this evening was Moyra Baxter who is the Chairperson for the Central Okanagan Board of School Trustees. Moyra spoke on the operations of the School Board with its next year budget of 303 million dollars. A vast sum of money but with it they have 24 thousand students and 4 thousand staff spread out over 46 schools - 33 elementary, 7 middle, 5 secondary, 1 alternative school (operating on 4 campuses). To make things worse School District 23 is the fastest going district in BC so that additional schools are needed for the increasing number of students as well as upgrading/replacing aging schools and the 127 portables currently in use.

As you can see it is as a daunting task for the entire School Board. Moyra is retiring this year after twenty-six years of service, but the job goes on and there is an election upcoming.

Please watch the ZOOM video to see her entire presentation.

GALLERY



Purple Phoenix by Amber Lamoreaux (USA)



Waves of Clouds and Mountains by Ururuty (USA)



Sun Dance by The Smackman (USA)

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