



# CAPRI ECHO

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Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri

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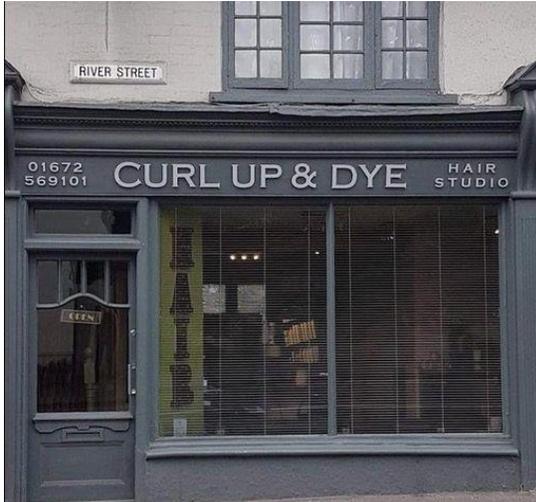


Sep 1      Olivia Masegnan; former Cottonwoods' Recreational Aide  
Sep 8      John Mullock; Lightning  
Sep 15      Pam Laing; About the Birds  
Sep 22      Dawson McKay; Crown Counsel  
Sep 29      TBA  
Oct 6      TBA  
Oct 13      Craig Siemens & Karma Nieoczym; Creative Okanagan  
Oct 24      Polio Awareness Day

## WEEK'S ZOOM MEETING

There was no recording done of last week's meeting.

## SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS



**OLD AGE COMES AT A  
BAD TIME!  
WHEN YOU FINALLY  
KNOW EVERYTHING,  
YOU START TO FORGET  
EVERYTHING YOU KNOW.**



There was no Sheriff this week due to time constraints.



## Rotary Foundation –

### WHAT IS THE ROTARY FOUNDATION'S FUNDING TIMELINE?

A three-year funding cycle gives districts time to plan programs and allows the Foundation time to invest the contributions. The earnings from those investments help pay for administrative costs, program operations, and fund development costs. This funding cycle means that a contribution you make in 2022-23 will be invested in 2023-24 and projects will be selected in 2024-25, with the funds able to be spent in 2025-26. Support the Foundation now and start planning your future projects!



The district is pleased to announce that the 2-day RLI program will be offered in **Vernon over the weekend October 1+2**. It will be held at the Schubert Centre (3505 30th Avenue, Vernon). This is a great program, enthusiastically endorsed by all who have taken it before - ASK AROUND, you will hear that!

Program is **limited to 25 participants**, sessions are all fun and interactive and you will discuss everything from membership, to leadership, to the Rotary Foundation, to public image... and more! Runs full weekend, all inclusive - see agenda attached (no partial attendance please).

Registration NOW OPEN at: [REGISTER FOR RLI VERNON](#)

You can always find the registration under "Upcoming Events" on the upper right of our District website. Cost is \$100 per participant so ask your club board if interested.

Out of town? If you want a hotel recommendation or home-hosting with local Rotarians in Vernon please ask RLI-North Chair Jim

Hawkins: [jim.hawkins.5060@gmail.com](mailto:jim.hawkins.5060@gmail.com)

**Big Social at the Gillan's, Sep 11<sup>th</sup>** – Art and Glenna Gillan are holding a big social on Sunday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> at 5 pm. They are located to 604 – 2040 Springfield Rd (the high rise just to the west of Lee Valley Tools and Winners). Bring your drink of choice. Please RSVP to [gillanglenna@gmail.com](mailto:gillanglenna@gmail.com) or phone (250) 317 – 0226 as soon as possible.

**Bottle Sale** - at the Independ Store in the Capri mall September 17 and 18<sup>th</sup>. Theme will be Peace Day, September 21<sup>st</sup>.

**Caribbean Night** - a fundraiser for Rotarians, spouses, and friends. Likely date is October 22<sup>nd</sup>.

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

## Rotary District 5060 Websites –

New District Website  
<https://rotary5060.org/>

Videos  
<https://vimeo.com/rotary5060>

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

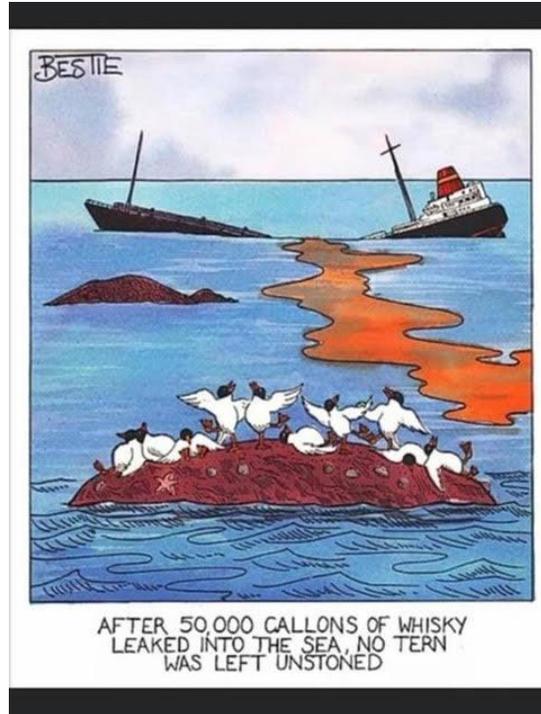
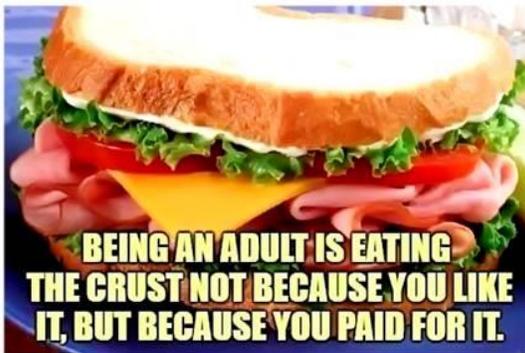
## THIS WEEK'S REGULAR MEETING



The club meeting begins Thursday, September 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 pm at Yanni's Grill.

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

## HUMOUR



## GUEST SPEAKER



*John Mullock introducing Jorma Jyrkkanen  
Photo by Ron Becker*



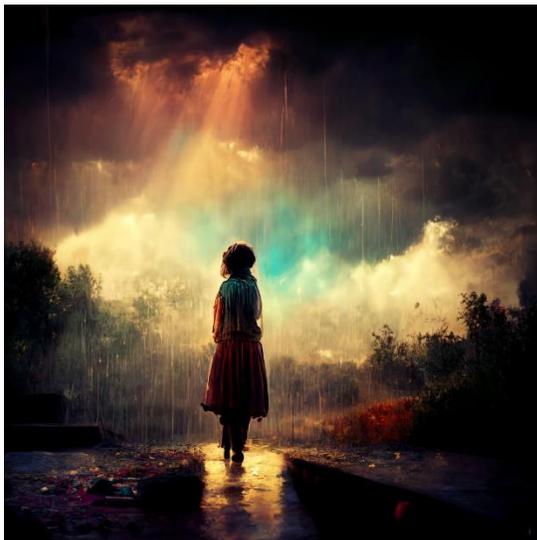
*Jorma at a conference*

As one of my coffee buddies, Jorma Jyrkkanen is a hard man to describe. Educated, opinionated but always willing to exchange ideas with anyone who cares to engage him. He has a rare gift, the ability to read papers from other researchers, and recognize when they may be interconnected with each other. Then you add his artist talent with the guitar, and his love of his native Finland and you get someone too difficult to describe in a short paragraph. Look him up on the internet and see what I mean.

This evening's presentation was on climate change, and it was very well done. Unfortunately, we happen to have one of those rare night's when our recording equipment was unavailable which turned out to be our loss. He managed to cover his recent paper on this topic in about twenty minutes and left me feeling less than optimistic. Some attendees were a even harsher in their assessment of our future.

Want to know what he said? You're going to have to invite him to speak to your group.

## GALLERY



*Tears of Heaven* by taggedzi (USA)



*Bottled Dream* by Pink Neon Unicorn (UK)



*Dark Triptych* by Tom Honz (Czech Republic or Czechia)

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