

Rotary
Club of Kelowna Capri



CAPRI ECHO

December 3, 2020

**Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri
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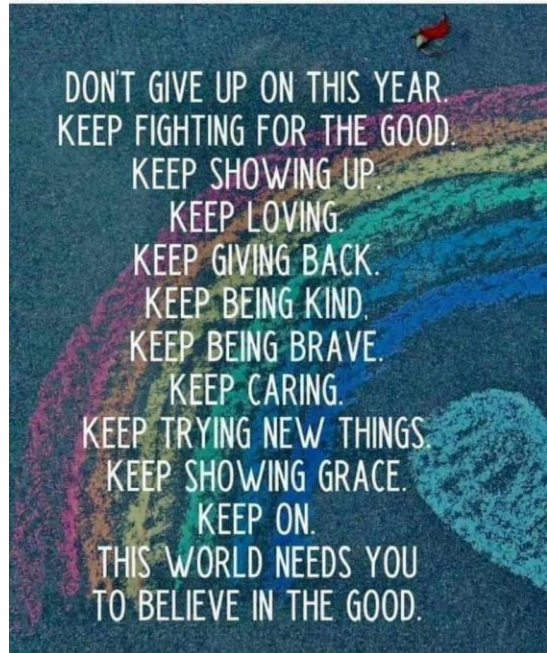
Dec 3	Paul Johnson, Kelowna Fire Dept
Dec 5	Salvation Army Kettles
Dec 10	Cottonwoods Christmas Zoom Party
Dec 17	AGM and Last meeting of 2020
Jan 7	Brian Elliott; Restor Mission to Ethiopia
Jan 14	Dr. Greg Wallace; eyecare and the mustaches of Movember.
Jan 21	Barb Penner (Sunshine Rotary); Honouring Indigenous Peoples and the role Rotary is playing
Jan 28	Angela Stadnyk, Salvation Army Kettle Campaign

WHAT'S THIS?



Got this from Reto “Attached is a picture of 4 items that I got from my aunt in Switzerland. The largest one weighs 343g, is 8cm long and 3.5cm high. Hint, you use them in the house.”

Happy guessing for your readers, I'd be happy to share the answer what they are in your following newsletter.”



ZOOM MEETING



All the attendees of our November 26th meeting. Also in attendance was Mike Prechel (top row; 3rd from left) who was a guest of Jack

Here is the link to the recording of our Rotary Zoom meeting on November 26th.

www.dropbox.com/t/kksqgPkBHmNbtP87

SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS



CHRISTMAS RULES

1. Don't go into debt trying to show people how much you love them.
2. Don't go visit your family if it compromises your mental health.
3. If someone comments on your weight... Eat them.

I'm not so sure about an inner child, but I have an inner idiot that surfaces every now and then.



Rotary Foundation Moment –

ROTARY'S AREAS OF FOCUS (2 OF 2)

Rotary is dedicated to seven areas of focus to build international relationships, improve lives, and create a better world to support our peace efforts and end polio forever.

- **Saving mothers and children:** Nearly 6 million children under the age of five die each year because of malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation. We expand access to quality care, so mothers and their children can live and grow stronger.
- **Supporting education:** More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy.
- **Growing local economies:** We carry out service projects that enhance economic and community development and create opportunities for decent and productive work for young and old. We also strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities.
- **Supporting the environment:** As our newest appointed area of focus in 2020, Rotary clubs can begin applying for environment-related global grant projects beginning 1 July 2021.

Gordon Marshall – Should anyone want to send Gordon Christmas greetings, his address is

**416- 1450 Southland Ave
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Annual General Meeting – the Annual General Meeting is scheduled for December 17th which is also the last zoom meeting of the year. Incoming President Carola has begun to enlist volunteers for next year's Executive, and they will be elected at the AGM.

Peace Action Group – Ron showed an interesting video called "May Peace Prevail on Earth". That phrase is the one used on most of the Peace Poles around the world.

Speaking of Peace Poles, Lockie has built some 12-inch-tall poles for sale. They are only \$20 each with the money going toward our own Peace Pole.

Speaking of our own Peace Pole, Jack has found an engineering firm willing to look at drawing up the plans for it. He also has been talking to another company who are thinking about assembling the stainless-steel part of the structure.

Finally, if you go to the link below, you'll find lots of information on Rotary's role in promoting peace throughout the world.

<https://www.rotary.org/en/our-causes/promoting-peace>

Cottonwoods Christmas – the Cottonwoods Christmas Zoom Party has been completed and a copy sent to each member for review. Please contact Peter with any suggested changes.



**Christmas
Kettles**

Ring in Christmas with
The Salvation Army

Christmas Kettles – We will be staffing the two doors into Walmart on Saturday, December 5th from 10 am until 6 pm. While working we will have to wear masks and gloves. Thank you all very much!

All Shifts are 2 hours - One person at each door at WALMART.

If anyone has a problem making a shift, please call Rusty A S A P.

Rotary Lights in a Bottle – The next selling date at East Kelowna Hall is Dec. 13th unless things are still locked down due to covid.

District Video Site - The District has a Vimeo Pro subscription with many videos for training and inspiration.

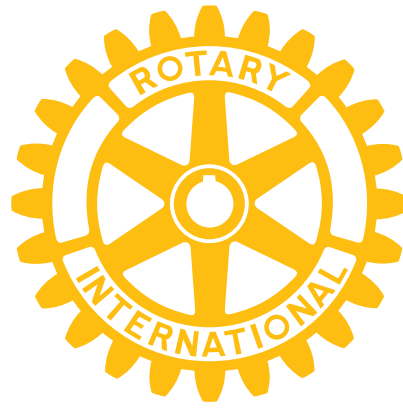
<https://vimeo.com/rotary5060>

THIS WEEK'S MEETING



Thursday December 3rd at 7 pm

A meeting URL will be sent out.



Online Charity Auction

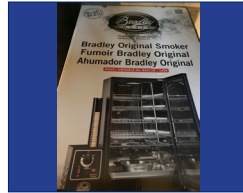
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trellis.org/kelowna-sunrise-charity-auction
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Cards & Earrings



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Gift Basket

Lots more online

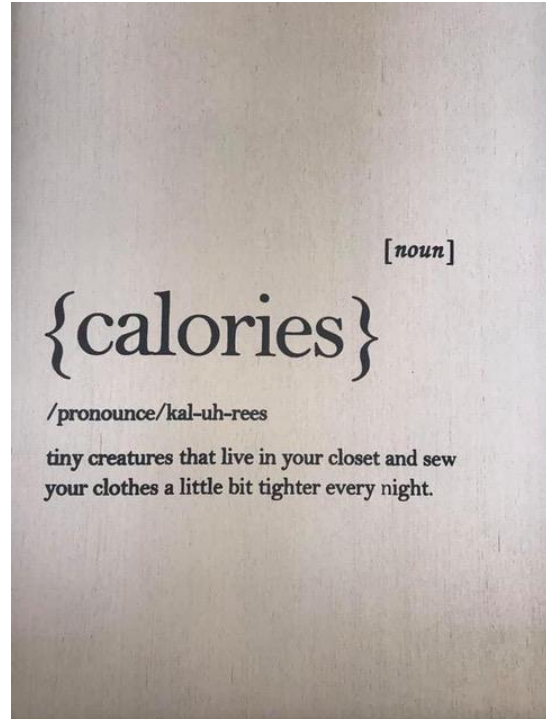
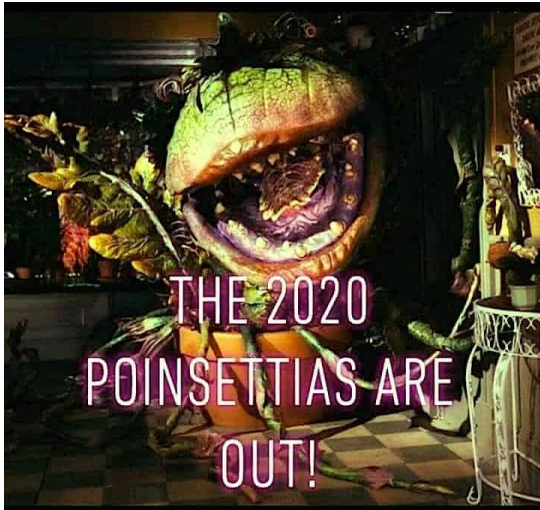
November 29, 2020 9:00 AM - December 6, 2020 4:00 PM

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GUEST SPEAKER

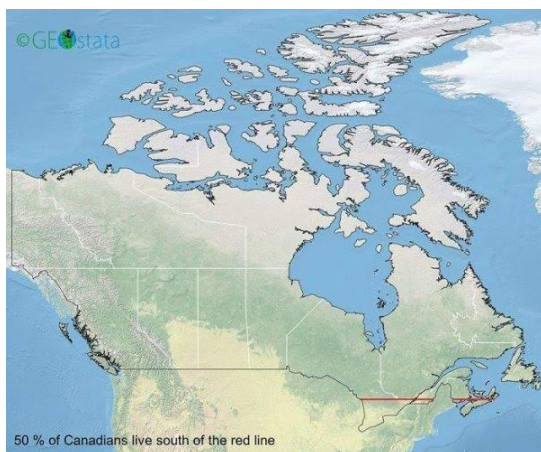
There was no guest speaker at this meeting.

GALLERY



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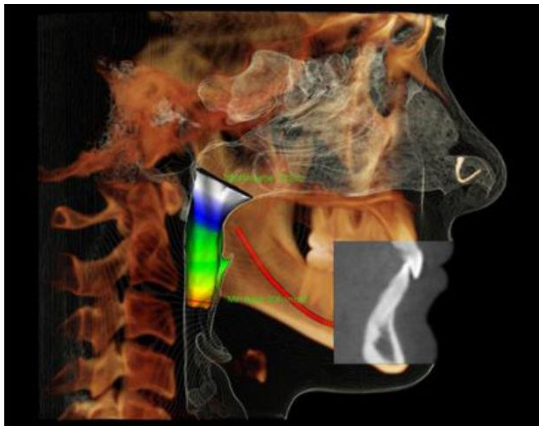
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