

THE WHIP

December 4, 2019

Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri Edited by John Mullock

President Secretary

Jack Degruchy vacant

President Elect Ron Becker Treasurer Lockie Bracken



- Dec 5 **Regular** meeting
- Dec 12 Regular meeting
- Dec 19 Capri Christmas Party at KGCC
- Dec 26 Cancelled
- Jan 2 Cancelled?
- Jan 16 Jeanette Vinek; Project Ghana
- Jan 23 Regular meeting



Christmas Dinner Buffet

Kelowna Golf and Country Club 1297 Glenmore Drive, Kelowna, BC

Thursday, December 19, 2019

\$50 per person

- 5:00 p.m. Happy Hour (No Host Bar)
- 5:50 p.m. Welcome, O Canada, Invocation & Introduction of Guests
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner Buffet is served



Sign up and pay at the reception desk by <u>**Thursday, December 12^{th.}**</u> A guaranteed number must be submitted to KGCC the next day.

ROTARY PROJECTS IN A BOTTLE NEWS



John and Bob trying to handle the pace of selling at the KGH lobby, Dec 4th.

In all truth its been a busy couple of weeks with multiple selling events. Glenna told me that the gross sales have been good with the money tucked safely in the bank. Despite this I can still hear my account wife telling a client "Just because you have money in the bank, it doesn't mean you made much of a profit".

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 28, 2019 OR BETTER KNOWN AS THE COTTONWOODS CHRISTMAS PARTY

VISITING ROTARIANS – many including the District Governor

GUESTS – The room was alive with hosts and people from Cottonwoods.

ATTENDANCE – 100%

SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS

Them: What inspires you to get out of bed every morning?

Me: My bladder mostly.

I remember being able to get up without making sound effects... Good times.



RC Kelowna Capri Christmas Party – The planning is well underway, and a brochure has been inserted all the information you need.

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

https://vimeo.com/rotary5060

HUMOUR





Yakima Celebrates 100th Anniversary -

The Rotary Club of Yakima will be celebrating its 100th anniversary December 6th. To commemorate this all Rotarians, friends, and like-minded community members are invited to join us as we celebrate Rotary and Service Above Self. Tickets are \$50/person USD and can be obtained at <u>www.yakimarotary.org</u> The ticket price includes hors d'oeuvres, one drink ticket, and entertainment by three bands.





GUEST SPEAKER

There was no guest speaker tonight. Instead we held a Christmas Party for the residents of Cottonwoods Care Centre.

So let the pictures speak for themselves



Orgasmic blueberries? Bet sales were brisk.



Ronr, our chief organizer of this event for many years Photo by Brian



The multitude has gathered and drunkand fed wellPhoto by Pete



Cottonwoods staff and HandyDart drives joinin to the festivitiesPhoto by Ron



Olivia Massegnan thanks our club and other host on behalf of Cottonwoods staff and drivers Photo by Brian



MC Rick Webber and Olivia Massegnab watch on as Peggie Laurie thanks our club on behalf of the Cottonwoods residents Photo by Brian



Phoenix Rising Singers perform Photo by Brian



Santa Len visits with DG Peter Schulz and Susan. Santa was having trouble with his whiskers and had to improvise Photo by Briat



President Jack and Santa with Sid Photo by Bria



Santa John with Brenda, Glenna and their guest Photo by Brian



Ben who is 99 years old with Irene Photo by Ron

I received many photos from this event and just picked a few to show you. Check with the photographers if you are looking for a specific picture.

The next day the thank you note's arrived in Ron's email box...

On behalf of the residents and staff who attended last evening, a big **THANK-YOU** to you and all the Rotarians who took part, very special. It is certainly an event we look forward to each and every year and I know much planning takes place. The folks I asked were all smiles this morning. The meal you chose was great and suited all diets. We also appreciate the time the HandyDart drivers took taking care of our folks and transporting us all to the event.

Merry Christmas Ron, Kind Regards, Trevor Besse, Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

Morning Ron,

I am just back from my week off. But did come by on Friday after the Rotary Party and the folks were talking about it and telling stories. One gal thought she'd won the lottery she got to have 3 glasses of wine. They said their guests that sat with them were amazing and fun. Great job!!!!!

Vicki Moore, Therapeutic Recreation Specialist

GALLERY



Giants in the Mist - Western Bison in Yellowstone National Park - Limited Edition Giclee Print



Bison hanging around thermal springs. Picture copied off Park website.



Frost covered Bison Photo by Tom Murphy

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