



CAPRI ECHO

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Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri

Edited by John Mullock

Our website: <https://caprirotary.ca/>

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June 16 Annette Adkin, Counsellor
June 23 Installation Night (at 6 for 6:30 pm)
June 30 Mike Greer, Executive Director, Elevation Outdoors

July 1 Beginning Rotary Year 2022/2023

July 7 Maxine Dehart, City Counselor
July 14 Corinne Crockett – RN Dealing with Stress
July 21 Bruce Falkins - Past ADG
July 28 David Kemp LLP, active Rotarian

Thank You !



Dear Ron Becker + fellow Rotarians,

Dolyna Ukrainian Cultural Society
thanks you and your colleagues very much
for sponsoring the fund raiser for
humanitarian aid for Ukraine. Your
sausage sales were outstanding and funds
collected were very much appreciated.

Peter Bihun

President - Dolyna Ukrainian Dan

WEEK'S ZOOM MEETING

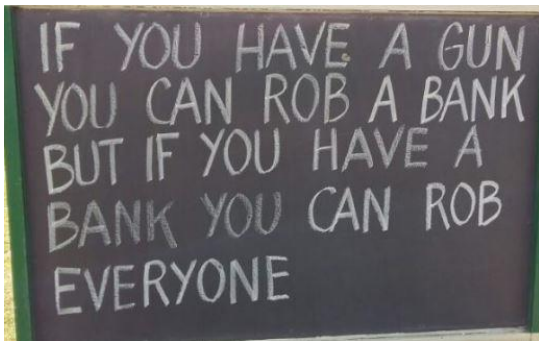
ZOOM meeting on June 9th.

<https://www.dropbox.com/s/m4op4hdtae1l8f4/Rotary%20Club%20of%20Kelowna%20Zoom%20Meeting%20June%209.m?dl=0>

I'm not **lazy**
I'm just on my
energy
saving mode

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SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS



Sheriff – Sheriff John Mullock gave the members three choices: 1) he'd use a miscellaneous set of questions to fine them, 2) he'd use a set of questions about Canadian history to fine them, or 3) he'd just go away if they paid the \$5 maximum fine. Option #3 was the overwhelming selection.





Nothing new at this time.

Foundation

Through Rotary's Shared Efforts, 'Peace will Come'

By Olha Paliychuk, Rotary Club of Cherkasky, Ukraine, who spoke at the Rotary International Convention in Houston

I live and work in central Ukraine, not far from Ukraine's capital city of Kyiv. It was a long journey getting to convention: first by bus to the border of Poland, and then across the border and taking a long flight. But all the efforts are worth it. As we say in Ukraine, "To see a friend, no road is too long."

In February, when the war against my country began ravaging our families and communities, you – my fellow Rotary members around the world sprang into action. You have not only donated and shipped medical supplies and other daily essentials to those of us inside Ukraine, but also provided shelter to those who have fled. Your help has saved lives, giving us hope and inspiring Ukrainians like me to stand up, to help our people, and protect our homeland. My city of Cherkasy is located a few hundred miles south of where the Chernobyl nuclear accident happened in 1986. Nearly 40 years later, we still feel the terrible legacy of the nuclear disaster. Many children grew up with their bodies decimated by cancer and abnormalities. As a gynecologist oncologist, I work at a hospital where many young cancer patients come to receive treatment.

Over the past three months, those patients who are struggling for their very lives -are facing another type of danger – brutal Russian military attacks. Our work is constantly disrupted by the loud explosions of bombs and rockets. We treat our patients in an atmosphere of fear. When will the next bomb strike, we ask ourselves?

At the same time, hospitals across Ukraine such as mine now treat serious wounds, and bullet injuries, for both civilians and soldiers. When we do surgeries on women and children or treat newborn babies, we don't even have access to the basic medical supplies and equipment such as patient monitors, operating tables, lamps, or mobile incubators.

My fellow Rotarians, along with my family members, are inspiring me to devote myself to helping others. One of the unique things about Rotary is that we have volunteers working on the frontline. I want to tell you proudly that our Rotary networks in Ukraine are doing an amazing job. Our district holds special online meetings twice daily to identify needs inside Ukraine and coordinate humanitarian aid with clubs in our neighboring countries.

As the international community of Rotary reaches out to help Ukraine, we are helping to build strong connections and friendships. As the war drags on, Ukraine will need your continued support. I hope to deepen our bonds and to plan for the future. With our shared efforts, peace will come.

Dolyna Ukrainian Dancers -

A note from Ron Becker - We received a wonderful thank you card from Peter Bihun on behalf of Dolyna Ukrainian Dancers for our help with the sausage fundraiser.

A big thank you to Lockie and the rest of the club!

Ron sent to me as a PDF so I will insert it somewhere in this newsletter.

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

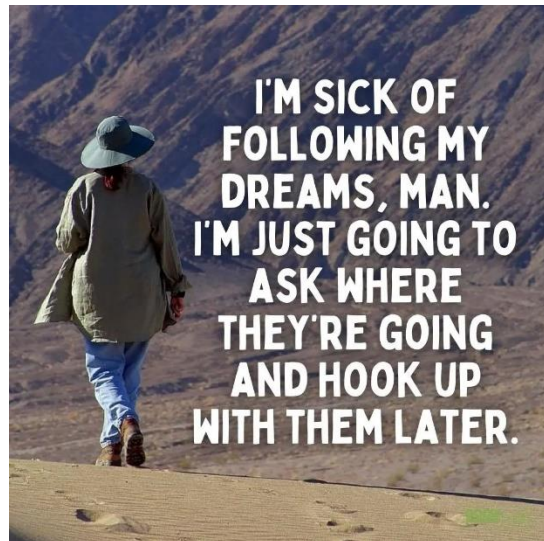


The club meeting begins Thursday, June 9th at 7 pm at Yanni's Grill.

Prior to the meeting we have social time beginning at 5:30 pm with dinner at 6 pm.

HUMOUR

**...so my nutritionist said
the more colourful the
dish, the healthier it is.**





Theme for Rotary Year 2022-2023 –



Jennifer Jones, RI President 2022-2023

GUEST SPEAKER

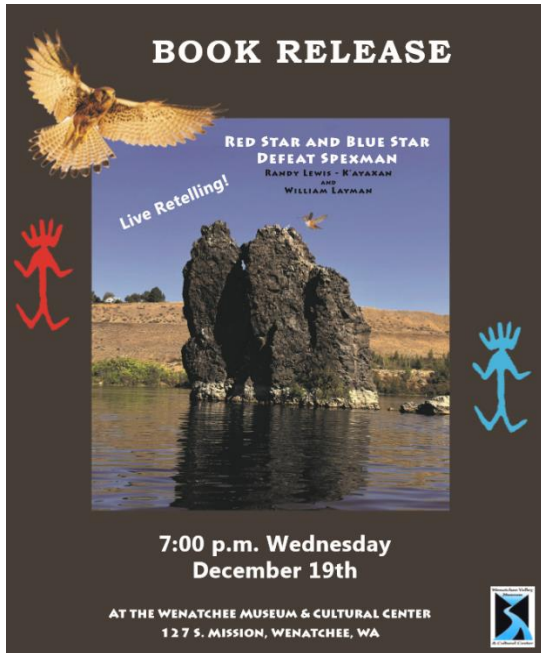


ADG Bill Hawkins with Kate Kutzner



Tribal Elder Randy Lewis

The guest speaker this week was ADG Bill Hawkins who first introduced himself and then showed us a video "Red Star and Blue Star Defeat Spexman". It was an interesting video as it told the story, narrated by Tribal Elder Randy Lewis, of two brothers who fight and defeat a lake monster known to the local people as Spexman.



Elder Randy invokes many local Wenatchee features into the story and describes how they were formed. At the same time co-author and geologist William Layman talks about the same features and describes our science says they were formed.

A very interesting video and a worthy addition to any library.

For a full explanation of the origins of this book, visit

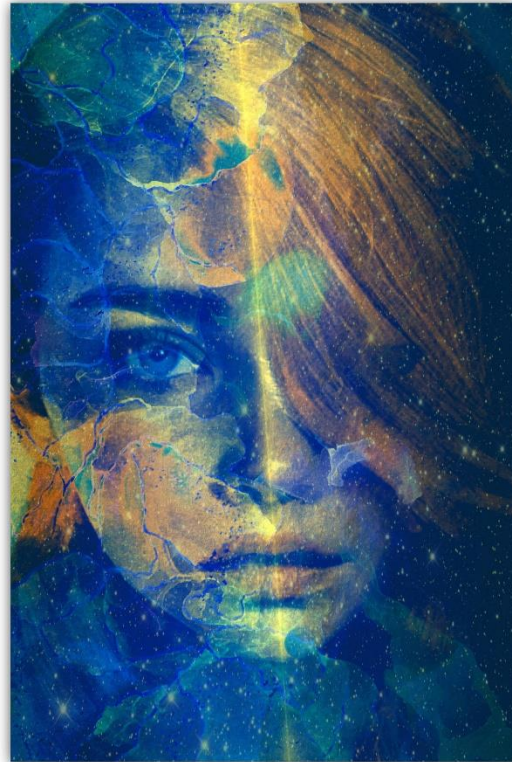
www.wenatcheevalleymuseum.org/event/redstarbluestar/

I didn't check but I suspect you can order a copy from them.

GALLERY



Caturday by Tomi Pajunen (Finland)



22-177 by W.J. Barry (Australia)



Deep Within by Midnightrider79 (Australia)

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