



CAPRI ECHO

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Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri
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Jun 23 – Regular Meeting
Jun 30 – Regular Meeting
Jul 7 – Regular Meeting
Jul 14 – Regular Meeting
Jul 21 – Regular Meeting



SIGNS SIGNS AND MORE SIGNS





This evening's Sheriff was Glenna Gillan. The usual Sheriff had taken the night off and asked Glenna to stand in. He also told her to show the members no mercy.

Glenna was up to the task. Harkening back to her years as a flight attendant and travel agent she asked questions such as 'where the life rafts are stowed in a DC-8' (in the roof), 'who doesn't read the safety card provided to each aircraft seat' or 'where is the largest religious structure in the World located' (Angkor Wat temple in Siem Reap in Cambodia). The fines tray was returned to the Treasurer filled with loot.

GUEST

We had the pleasure of a visit from Simon Braam, a friend of Peter Spek, who was visiting from Netherlands.



58th Annual Installation of Officers – Monday, June 9, 2025

Rotarians of the Year – Art and Glenna Gillan who were surprised but did manage to thank the club members for the honour bestowed.



2025 Rotary International Congress



Active link to the convention website: [Rotary Convention](#)

District Conference 2025

Cancelled due to Calgary event.

Rotary Summer Kickoff Festival

The Rotary Summer Kickoff Festival was held on Saturday, June 14th from 11am - 6pm. In general, it ran very well with some short comings noted such as a lost-and-found for future events.



Band on stage

Photo by Carola Spek



Play area for kids

Photo by Carola Spek



Bouncy Castle

Photo by Carola Spek



Vendors

Photo by Carola Spek

Joanna's House is going to be expanded at a cost of around 8 million dollars. The city has requested that the local Rotary clubs funds towards this project. Discussions about this item are underway at the Presidents Club.

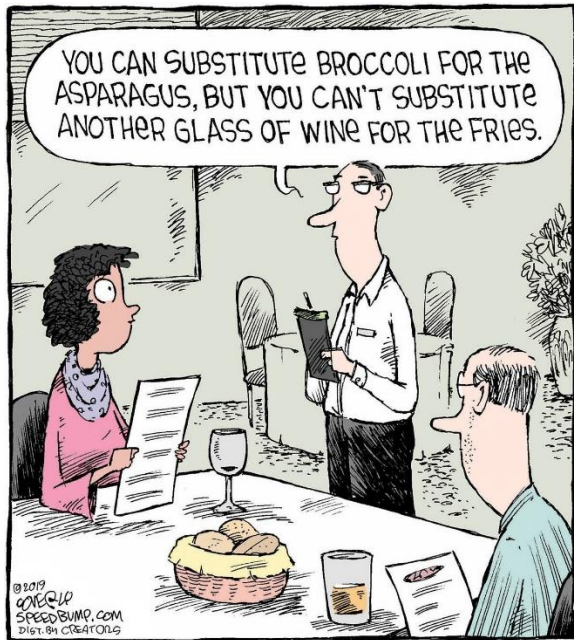
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We have a potential new fundraiser for our club, the sale of full 3-day emergency kits. It should be noted that this kit does not include food. Final decision on this item will be made at the end of summer.

Wife asked me to take a picture of her with the dog. She hasn't spoken to me in a week.



My daughter has a cat who makes kittens like this using the same material. Vacuuming her condo is like throwing a cat away.



Ever been to our Rotary meetings



My Father's Day gift

FOR SALE



A custom-made hallway bench by David Cassidy. Starting at 150 dollars.

43" long by 11" wide by 18" tall

Contact Glenna Gillan (250) 317- 0226

GALLERY



The Gaze of Justice by Nurrpu (Ukn)



Boat on a Lake by David Parsons (Ukn)



Historical Heroines – Amelia Earhart by Tacalvin (Canada)



European Bee Eater (Merops apiaster) by Azph (Sweden) – They look well fed. Can it be our save the bees activities are doomed to failure?