



CAPRI ECHO

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Newsletter for the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri

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

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**Ron Becker
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All meetings occur on Monday evenings at Moxies Restaurant unless otherwise noted.
We gather for a social period from 5 – 5:30 pm wiith dinner and the meeting to follow.

**SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE
THERE'S SIGNS**

For the past 21 years my wife has been complaining about me not putting the cap back on the toothpaste.



Last anniversary, I decided to change this bad habit and make my wife happy. For a week, I was diligent, always capping the toothpaste. I was expecting my wife to thank me, but she never did it. Finally last night, she turned and looked at me and said: "Why have you stopped brushing your teeth?"

Marriage is a difficult relationship, I tell you.



The Sheriff decided to quiz his fellow members by their knowledge of BC locations. Here is a sampling of the hints he gave followed by the answer.

Catholic Religious centre? **Mission** - named after St. Mary's Mission founded in 1861.


A future king? **Prince George**

One of the oldest archaeological sites in Canada, revealing evidence of human habitation 10 500 years ago.

Charlie Lake Cave, 7 km north of Fort St John

An overcooked honey maker? **Burnaby**

People who say, "Nothing tastes as good as skinny feels." have obviously never had bacon.



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Date:

No. 6 Vocational Service

Dear:

The Second Avenue of Service is Vocational Service. This, like Club Service, arises from the Object of Rotary that I discussed in my last letter (my fifth letter).

Vocational Service means that we use our professional and business talents and resources to serve others. We take pride in our high ethical standards and their place in Rotary membership. Vocational Service highlights the fact that Rotary was founded on the concept of networking and doing business with other Rotarians as part of serving the community.

One way we provide Vocational Service is by mentoring youth, leadership development, and ethics education. Sometimes these activities are also called Youth Service or New Generations Service. Service does not always fall into neat little boxes, so activities under more than one Avenue of Service are not uncommon. It is up to each club to decide where activities fit best. But it is common practice to undertake projects in all five Avenues of Service.

Vocational Service also includes:

- Rotary Means Business
- Networking events
- Training in job-skills
- Assistance in seeking employment
- Creating awareness for high ethical standards in all business and professions

We impact economic development here and abroad through our focus on Vocational Service.

And speaking of vocations, this would be a great time for you to present a brief vocational talk to our club. Please contact our current President to arrange a mutually convenient time. Feel free to discuss your vocation so that our members know what you do and where your interests lie.

Yours in Rotary Service,



Foundation

WHAT IS RAISE FOR ROTARY?

Raise for Rotary is The Rotary Foundation's peer-to-peer fundraising platform.

Members, donors, and participants use it to create fundraisers for birthdays, athletic challenges, and events like World Polio Day. You can quickly post fundraisers and updates on social media to raise awareness about your favorite Rotary cause.

The platform is available worldwide in English and accepts U.S., Canadian, and Australian dollars, with more language and currency options in the works. Contributions from members are credited to them and contributions from nonmembers are credited to the organizer's club.

Since Raise for Rotary was launched in 2020, more than 2000 events have generated more than \$1.5 million for the World Fund, PolioPlus, the Disaster Response Fund, and Rotary's areas of focus.

Learn more and start your fundraiser at rotary.org/raise.

Club Projects – after much discussion the club has taken on a short-term local service project and two potential long-term projects.

The short-term project will occur on May 25th and will see members assist the Salvation Army in collecting food and cash donations in front of the Glenmore Save-On store.

The longer-term project involves fundraising to send a container of medical supplies to the Ukraine. The container will be filled by Rotary World Help with our club covering the cost of the container and shipping charges.

Our club is also looking at us gathering donations to fill a second container with food products from The Gleaners to be sent by us. The Gleaners transforms produce that might be wasted into nourishment for the world's hungry.

Pollinator Gardens – Lockie Bracken reported that his search for a site for another garden or two this year still has not been successful.

Environmental Day, June 6th – plans are being made to hold afternoon get-togethers for this day.

Celebration of Life for Candice White, June 8th – will be held from 1 pm to 4 pm at the curling club.

Multi-Year Planning Session, June 10th

- A planning session has been developed by District 5060. Instead of a club meeting, our members will be attending a Zoom session from 5 to 8 pm on June 10th.

Installation, June 17th – installation will be held at Moxies on June 17th. Meal costs including a tip will be \$50 for non-club attendees.

HUMOUR

Spoil your wife this
Valentine's Day with a pair
of moppers



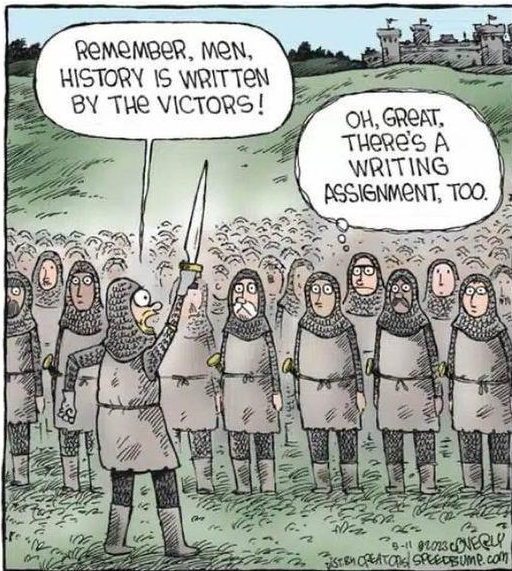
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GALLERY



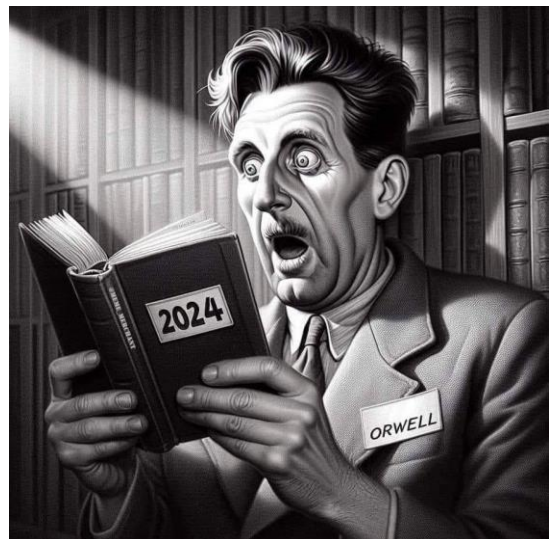
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GUEST SPEAKER

There was no guest speaker this evening.



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