



THE WHIP

November 7, 2018

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

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Nov 8	TBA
Nov 15	Rotary's "Preserve Planet Earth"
Nov 22	TBA
Nov 29	Cottonwoods Christmas Party
Dec 6	Business / Director's Meeting
Dec 12	Club Christmas Party at Kelowna Golf and Country Club
Dec 20	TBA
Dec 27	No meeting
Jan 3	TBA
Jan 10	Business/ Directors Meeting

RAMBLING

Carleton Martello Tower National Historic Site is one of the nine surviving Martello Towers in Canada. This 'mini-fortress' was built during The War of 1812 to protect Saint John Harbour in New Brunswick and remained in operation until World War II.



MEETING OF NOVEMBER 1, 2018

VISITING ROTARIANS – Johann Berger
(RC Munich Centre)

GUESTS – none

ATTENDANCE – 70%



Sheriff Karol decided that bowling was a good topic to grill us on. Her questions were quite interesting such as when did bowling begin? (*evidence found of simple game around 3200 BC*); how many people bowl each day? (*95 million*); when was the ball and pin size standardized? (*1895*); when was bowling made illegal? (*in 1841 Connecticut passed a law making 9-pin bowling illegal. So the players added a tenth pin*); where did 5-pin bowling begin? (*in Toronto in 1909*) and finally, which countries play 5-pin bowling? (*only Canada*). Despite taking all my money she made me proud to be a Canadian.

SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS



Why are they even allowed to drive?



Friends of Rotary 'Christmas in a Bottle' Fundraiser –



Interested customers at the mall

Each "Christmas in a Bottle" sells for \$20 and includes: a string of lights and switch in a wine bottle, an AA battery, a Christmas decoration that can be taken off when it's not

Christmas, a wine gift bag, and a pamphlet explaining the Rotary Club of Kelowna Capri sponsorship of the annual Cottonwoods Christmas Party. We are also selling the lights separately for \$10 each.

Our most recent sale was on November 3rd when we sold bottles at the mall and at Sandalwoods simultaneously. I believe these might be the last sales of the year as the Cottonwood's event occurs later this month.



Bowling Night, Oct 25th – just a quick report that besides having fun, we raised almost a thousand dollars for PolioPlus.



The Kelowna Women's Shelter has requested that we assist them this coming week in racking up the leaves on their property. Several members showed interest in assisting in this Fall tradition.

A Special Banner – Johann Berger presented a special banner to our club from his club in Munich.



Johann Berger with his club's banner
Photo by John Mullock

The black and yellow colours shown in the picture represent the city of Munich that was founded in 1158 AD. The black represents the original founding monks and the yellow is the colour of the city official's sashes. On the banner it says Munchen Mitte which today means Munich Centre but it should be noted that the word München ('home of the monks') stems from an early monastery founded in the 8th century. The back side of the banner is blue and white which are the colours of the Bavarian flag.

Thank you, Johann and the RC Munich Centre, for this banner with so much history reflected in it.



Club Christmas Party – a club Christmas party is being planned this year on Wednesday, December 12th at the Kelowna Golf and Country Club. Jack and Brian Street are doing the heavy lifting of getting the event organized. A brochure has been inserted detailing cost, location and time.



Christmas Dinner Buffet

Kelowna Golf and Country Club

1297 Glenmore Drive, Kelowna, BC

Wednesday, December 12, 2018

\$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
Program to follow dinner



Sign up and pay at the reception desk by **Thursday, December 6th**.
A guaranteed number must be submitted to KGCC the next day.



Salvation Army Kettles – the Capri Club will be staffing Salvation Army kettles at Rona on November 17th and at Walmart on November 24th. Len has been busy collecting the names of volunteers but a few slots still remain.



The 2019 District Conference is in beautiful Kamloops, British Columbia May 2-5, 2019

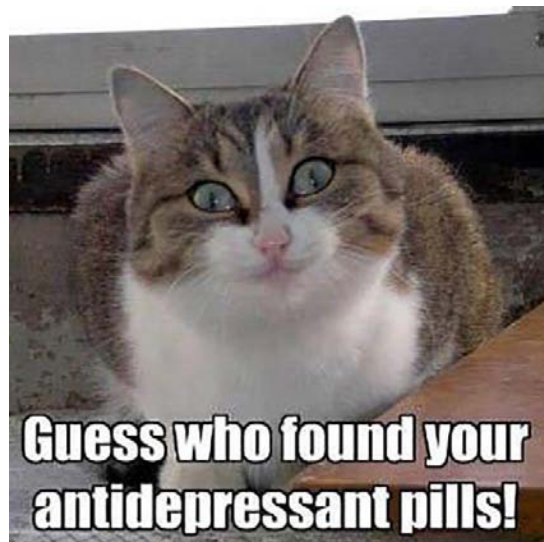
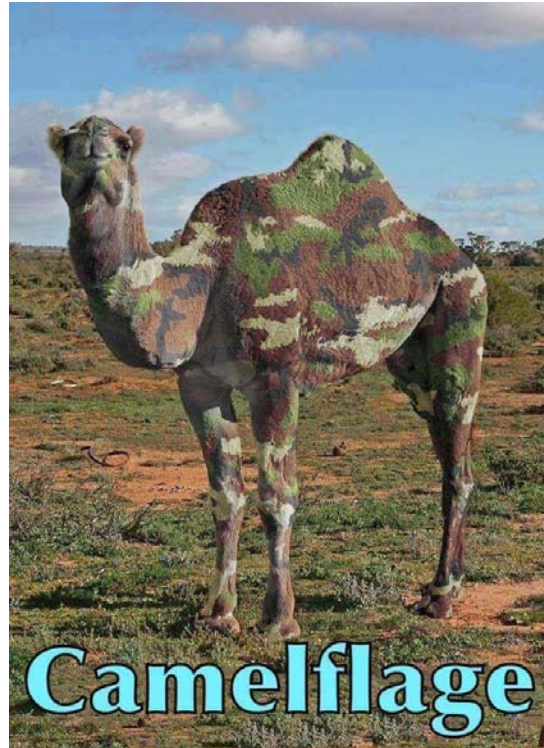
Registration is now open on the District 5060 website on Clubrunner.

<https://portal.clubrunner.ca/50005/sitepage/district-conference-2019>

The DG showed a short video on the 2019 District Conference. It can be seen at

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gfoRM5myj0>

HUMOUR



**Please disregard
any messages from
Lizzie Borden's
parents.
They've been
hacked.**

GUEST SPEAKER



Assistant Governor Art Gillan

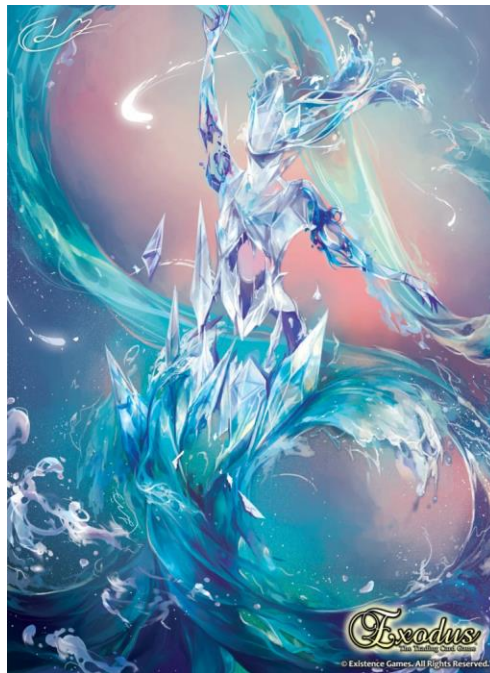
Assistant Governor Art Gillan presented a RI package on the Foundation. It was all inclusive covering the areas of focus, District Grants and the Annual Fund. While I have heard similar presentations before the program keeps evolving and it's always nice to have a refresher on the Foundation.

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Parking for fat guys that barbeque

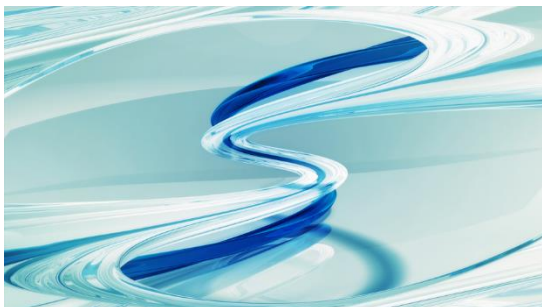


*It's hard to read the text which say "When
you get tears of joy because there is finally
parking for fat guys that barbeque"*

ART GALLERY



***Cierice the Liquescent Icicle* by Lexidus
(USA)**



Streamline by Senzune (Ukn)



Fingerprint Dilemma by Sara Arasteh (USA)



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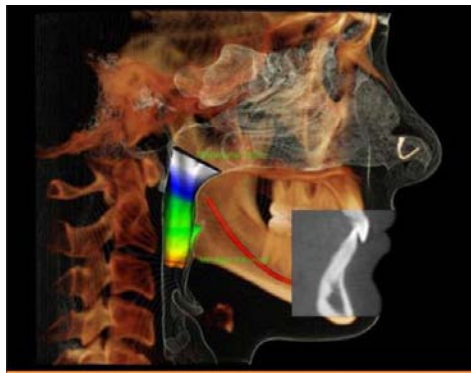
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