

**Rotary**  
Club of Kelowna Capri



# **THE WHIP**

**October 23, 2019**

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

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Oct 24	Visit from our District Governor
Oct 31	Regular meeting
Nov 28	Cottonwoods Christmas Party
Dec 19	Capri Christmas Party at KGCC

## ROTARY PROJECTS IN A BOTTLE NEWS



*John and Glenna at KGH – Oct 23<sup>rd</sup>.*

Our most recent sale was October 23<sup>rd</sup> and results are still to be reported.

Meanwhile Glenna has put together a schedule of upcoming events. Guess what? She needs volunteers so time to stir your stumps and fire up your volunteer genes.

## RAMBLING

I'm back and so the newsletters begin again. Jet lag really took its toll on me and it wasn't until last night I got my first full night of sleep, nine days after returning. So, bear with me for any errors and strange entries that fall out of my keyboard.



*Ron stomping grapes at the House of Rose Vineyard. I know Ron as a beer drinker so to see him expending this much energy at making wine is troublesome.*

## MEETING OF OCTOBER 17, 2019

**VISITING ROTARIANS – AG Bill Hawkins**

**GUESTS – none**

**ATTENDANCE – 70%**



Sheriff Carola rode into a wild, untamed Rotary meeting and, in a business-like fashion, quieted the place down. October washer game and she laid a host of trivia questions on us such as what the birthstone and flower for October (*opal; marigold*), what famous musician was born on Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> (*John Mellencamp*), what queen was beheaded on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> (*Marie Antoinette*) and more. I was severely jetlagged but did well with no correct answers. By the rattle of coins into collecting saucers on the table I knew I wasn't alone.

## SIGNS SIGNS EVERYWHERE THERE'S SIGNS



*Possible Darwin Award candidate?*



**I used to just crastinate  
but I got so good I went pro**

**I never run  
with scissors.  
Those last two  
words were  
unnecessary.**





**Cottonwoods Christmas Party –** everything is on track. Biggest change will be that guests will be assigned to hosts at the door.

**District Grant Training** – the course is now back online, and we need two members to take it.



**East Kelowna Hall** – Rusty, Bob and Zooie have met with the builder and begun to plan the operation. Essentially, we will be doing painting of cupboards, new countertops and a new floor. From the discussion it would appear that getting a district grant is possible but requires a number of hoops to jump through.



**JoAnna's House** - Rusty has arranged a tour of the facility on Tuesday, Nov. 5 from 4-5 pm.



**Salvation Army Kettles** – we will be doing both doors at Walmart Saturday, Nov 23<sup>rd</sup>. Volunteers are still needed.

**Facing the Future** – a suggested name for Jack's meeting every Tuesday morning at Staples, 9-11:30 am. A better name is being sought.

## HUMOUR





My cat and I enjoy driving around town and disapproving of everyone we see.



## GUEST SPEAKER



AG Bill Hawkins presenting Past Ag Art Gillan with the District pen photo by Peter Spek

Assistant District Governor Bill Hawkins visited our club and presented a video which I believe is called "Why Rotary?". It basically covered why people become Rotarians and what keeps them as Rotarians. In addition, it covered a number of new types of Rotary Clubs such as "Chapter One Clubs". It was a good presentation and certainly stirred my



interest. To see more on some of these ideas go to

<https://portal.clubrunner.ca/50005/SitePage/new-programspresentation>

## ART GALLERY



*I have no information on this photograph*



*"Royal Clipper", our cruise ship for a week  
Photo by John Mullock*



*Mt. Etna fuming away. Picture taken from the Roman amphitheater in Taormina, Sicily  
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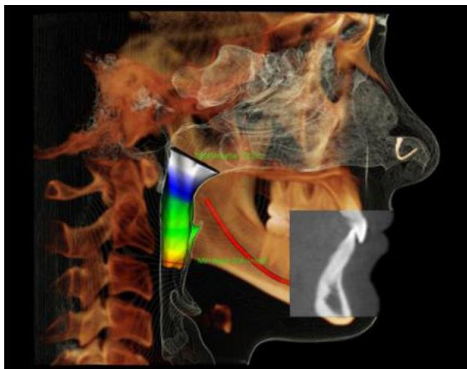
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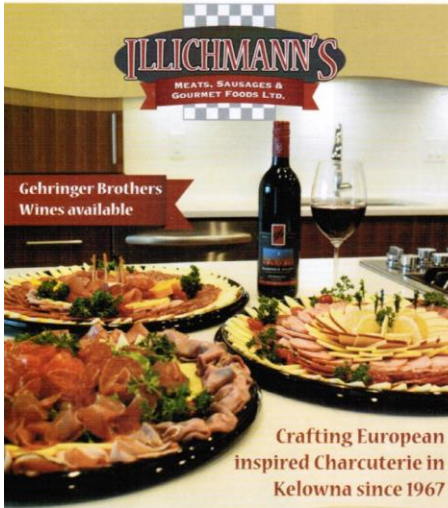
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