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CANADIAN PICKERS Scott Cozens & Sheldon Smithens

Canadian Pickers from TV fame (History Channel), Scott Cozens and Sheldon Smithens, were our speakers today.

As usual introduced by our own Bart Dailley, Scott Cozens is a Lawyer in Calgary since 1992 focussing for the most part on Civil law. He is involved in Charity work ... some of his favourites are Mustard Seed, The SPCA and Cancer Society, and he is invited to speak at the Bar Association and the Insurance Industry. His partner in the TV show, Sheldon Smithers is from the Auction family. He conducts about 5 auctions per month with many of them for charity. He is a frequent Lecturer and Writer. Sheldon is a graduate of UBC and he has appeared on Television Shows around this area.



Now getting around to the TV show "Canadian Pickers", Scott and Sheldon spoke as a team. They spoke off the cuff and reminisced about the TV show "Canadian Pickers". Back in history, a TV company from Toronto came up with the idea of a Canadian show (based on the US show, American Pickers) and they circulated across Canada asking for ideas for a Canadian TV show. Scott & Sheldon decided to submit a presentation for the show. They heard back after some months that their idea was what the TV company wanted, and they should start shooting at the earliest possible date.

The show had 4 seasons of 13 episodes each season. The first season was based on who Scott and Sheldon knew, and was to be shot in Alberta or nearby. They chose a western theme as far as dressing for the TV show. They had 15 to 18 hour days and maybe 2 shows a day. The TV company shot maybe 8 hours to get 20 minutes air time quality. The TV Company had about 10 crew members, so moving the company was a big deal; they always had a van that they rented for every the show that they shot. They had a crew in the van for the camera and sound. They started at 7:30am. They moved across Canada from coast to coast including the Yukon and the UK.



The items that they purchased were at their own cost, initially storing them in someone's garage, and after a while renting a Red Barn in Inglewood. The show is now shown around the world ... Europe, UK, Australia, Norway and Denmark to mention a few countries.

Following their presentation, they took many questions from the Rotarians, and shared some anecdotes, such as:

- In PEI they came across a Totem Pole (originally from BC) and they phoned an expert

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January 6th, 2015

HAPPY NEW YEAR !

The meeting was called to order by our President, Stephen Pick at 12:17.

Our greeters today were Patricia Garner and Heide Kramer, with Heide reading out the Visitors and Guests.

Our President advised of a Board meeting tonight at 7:00pm at the Horton Road Legion.

The on-line Rotary "Rotary E Club of Canada One" celebrated its inaugural on-line meeting with the RI President, District 5370 Governor and various other Dignities in attendance. Their current project for funds raised were toward the Dolly Parton Imagination Library with books for Tuktoyaktuk .

Anniversaries, Birthdays and celebration of time in Rotary was read out by John Barratt, and we sang Happy Birthday ... or was it our Grace?

John advised that one of his family succeeded in school in South Africa, and his announcement received a round of applause from fellow Rotarians.

MINUTE Man/Woman:

- First up was Anthony Tonkinson giving out Paul Harris Awards to Pat Hutchinson for his wife, Dave Wylie number 5 and Ian Burgess number 7.



- Anthony also stated that if anyone else wished to contribute toward a Paul Harris award you can do it on line or give it to him for forwarding on.

- Next up was Patricia Garner talking about the Mediator program at Fairview School and advising that the meeting has been changed to January 15th; they are looking for a guest speaker.



- Dale Perret was our next speaker, advising of the next spring District Conference in Medicine Hat — come one, come all — register now.

- Dale is our upcoming President, and our Club Secretary, Evelyn Stewart, is retiring so anyone

Scribe: Gordon Billings



interested in the post please contact Dale.

Our 50/50 winner was a guest who donated it back to the club.

Sergeant at Arms was Hank Popoff. Hank touched Moe, Bob, David, David W. and everyone else for some money. He called for good news/bad news with some response. He told a poor joke and then retired!

The meeting was adjourned at 1:30.

Roadtrip to Rosebud

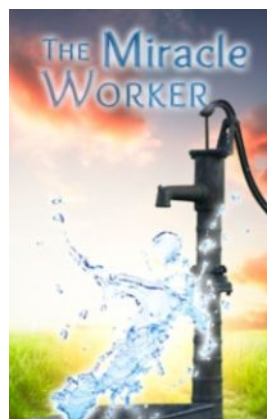
Saturday April 18th, 2015

Join fellow members and spouses on the Tim Hortons bus to see "The Miracle Worker" by William Gibson.

Cost is \$72/person, which includes the bus, lunch and the show.

56 people max - first come, first served.

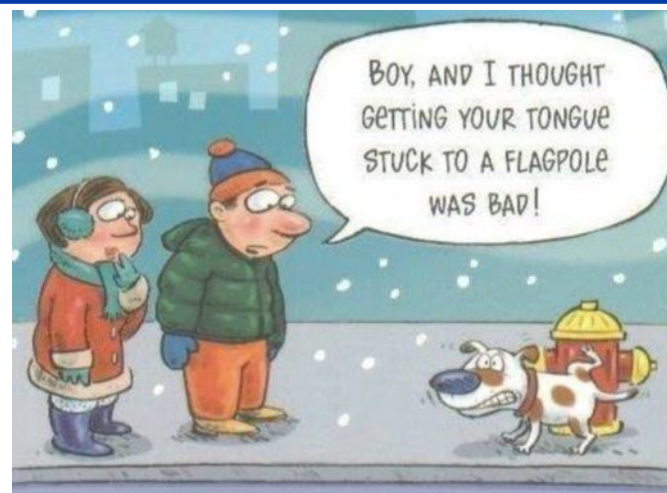
Sign-up sheet will be circulated in the spring, but send Paul Gaudet an email if you want to sign up early! gaudetco@icloud.com



The true story of Helen Keller and Annie Sullivan

Miracles really do happen!

Helen Keller is blind, deaf and mute. In a battle of wills, a young teacher fights to release the child from her dark, silent world. This true story captures the drama of Annie Sullivan's perseverance and her hard-won friendship with a little girl who no one could save.



Rotary Awareness Month

January 13th Lorne Motley, Editor, Calgary Herald
January 20th Club Assembly
January 27th Robbie Burns Day Meeting

Rotary Fellowship Month

June 6th - 9th RI Convention, Sao Paulo, Brazil

Magazine Month

April 18th Roadtrip to Rosebud — bus, lunch and “The Miracle Worker”



<http://portal.clubrunner.ca/8529>

The Rotary E-Club of Canada One received Provisional status October 2011, and is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Stony Plain in District 5370, the Rotary Club of Sarnia, Ontario and the Rotary Club of Grande Prairie, Alberta. It was chartered on the 109th birthday of Rotary, February 23, 2013

See more at: <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/8529/SitePage/about-our-club#sthash.ilg67uWE.dpuf>

The e-club posts a new meeting at the beginning of each week for members and guests to remain connected to the e-club and to receive credit for meeting attendance. Beginning mid June 2012, the website started to allow for make ups from visiting Rotarians with much positive feedback.

Our small Rotary e-club with members from across Canada and the US has become known as “the little club that could”. Our Involvement with the Dolly Parton Imagination Library is one example of how e-clubs can serve and is recognized by Dolly Parton herself:

“We have been so blessed by our partnership with Rotary International because it has allowed us to bring the Imagination Library to kids all over the world. One project I am most proud of is what is happening in the Northwest Territories. Thanks to the special souls of the Rotary E Club of Canada One, the Imagination Library is now in 9 communities throughout the Northwest Territories. Imagine that – my little program stretches from Tennessee to the Canadian north. Thank you Rotary E Club for all you have done and for all we can continue to do together!”

~ Dolly Parton

“Only two years ago there were no libraries above the Arctic Circle in the Beaufort Sea region. Now, the Imagination Library makes it possible for story times in the homes and in the community. Excitement abounds!”

~ DPIL Program Director, Lynne Ternosky

See more at: <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/8529/#sthash.14dHwyIT.dpuf>

Canadian Pickers

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and he said take a pass but they decided to go for it. They paid \$3,000 and sold it to the Calgary Saskatoon Farm for \$10,000

- The low point was where they came across a fellow that had numerous garage sales hanging around his place and expected them to buy something.
- If you watched the TV show, they seemed to buy a number of old Tobacco tins or out of business Oil Company cans, they both said that these sold well; for example you buy a tin for \$500. and sell it for \$1,300.
- Since one of the Fathers was a Rotarian, they always used the Rotary 4 Way Test.

At the end of their presentation and the Q & A from the audience, our President gave them our usual presentation.

Hello everyone!

I apologize profusely for not having sent this email sooner. New Years was spent in Denmark where no wifi was available, and Christmas was so unbelievably busy. I hope everyone had great holidays and I wish everyone all the best for this new year! I would like to thank you all for your continued support on this exchange. This journey would have been impossible without you. It feels like just yesterday someone was telling me what country I would be spending a year in. Sometimes I still can't believe I'm here.

This Christmas, although not so incredibly different from what I'm used to, was incredibly special nonetheless. The mass followed by a big dinner and the gift giving all happened on the 24th. I received some pretty cool gifts including a mug from my host dad, a seasonal addition from the soccer team we support.

The 25th and the 26th were spent pretty quietly. It felt a little strange not going Boxing Day shopping but it was a nice change of pace. The 26th was Emma's (the exchange student from France who lives with me) last day before switching host families. She was going on the ski trip a few days after we would leave for Denmark and so she had to leave early. She's going to be moving into a vegan family and so we had a special lunch with lots of meat. When her new host family came to pick her up, I'll admit, I shed a few tears. We had been through a lot together and just when we were finally falling into the routine of being actual sisters, she had to move. She told me she considered me her "soeur réelle" and I echoed the sentiment. Emma has come to be like a real sister and she has a standing invitation whenever my host family cooks meat.

Early on the 27th we left for Denmark, Blåvand to be exact, some 900km away. My Canadian family doesn't go on road trips too often, and so this nine hour drive seemed endless. When we arrived at our destination it was around four or five in the afternoon and already really dark. The short days meant early mornings to make the most of the precious few hours of sunlight. We went to the beach almost everyday, walking in the sand for hours. It was so strange to be bundled up in winter

gear and walking along the beach. I still have sand in my winter boots! After the long walks we would come home, eat lunch, and then get ready for playing soccer in the backyard. My host brother, host sister, host father, host sister's boyfriend, and I all played, despite the icy state of the field. When we were done, the sun would be setting. We would all get washed up for dinner and later in the evening we would play rummy for hours. They were very quiet holidays which was nice.



On New Years, Nils, Eva's (my host sister) boyfriend, lit our illegally imported fireworks in the same backyard where we normally played soccer. Nils, like me, loves board games of all sorts, and so originally he was named "Board Game Chancellor". Soon the responsibility extended to an odd variety of things including the fireworks. We were in this sort of village of holiday houses and almost everyone around us had the same idea. Fireworks were going off for at least an hour after midnight. The beach, less than a kilometre from us, was lit up with the colourful explosions.

After that, the rest of the holidays passed quickly. My host brother, Till, went back to Holland where he studies. I've started up with soccer practice again and thank goodness because I've consumed an alarming amount of chocolate. I'm also in full half-marathon training mode again, and I'm just shy of my 10km goal. It's crazy to think that I've signed myself up for a full 21km. I don't know how I'll ever be able to finish! My host parents returned to work today and I will be returning to school on Thursday. The normal routine is starting up once more.

Anyway, I think that concludes my update. I'm sorry it's so long. Greetings to everyone at the club and in the district.

Hope all's well,
Karla

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To All Members of the Rotary Club of Calgary Chinook
Distributed on January 9th, 2015

The proposed revised By-Laws of the Rotary Club of Calgary Chinook have been circulated to all members by email.

There are two versions : "Bylaws Calgary Chinook draft r6.docx" is a marked up version showing the changes in red. Circulated both as a Word document and a pdf. Second, the file "Bylaws Calgary Chinook revised 2015.docx" is the final document presented for approval

The revisions proposed are for reasons of clarity, to reflect the actual practices of the club and to ensure alignment where needed with current RI guidelines.

Rotary Leadership Institute

Fellow Rotarians,

The Calgary and Red Deer Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) facilitators wish to remind you that we have a second round of RLI sessions planned for the 2014-2015 Rotary year.



The three module program covers;
Module 1 - Me and Rotary
Module 2 - Me and My Club
Module 3 - My Journey in Rotary

The cost for each module is \$50.00 and we are encouraging clubs to cover this cost as an investment in their membership, their club leadership and their club's future. The course costs include a binder full of great information, an opportunity to interact with other leaders, and refreshments/lunch in the venue where the session is taking place.

RLI sessions in your area;

- Calgary (Rotary Challenger Park)
 - Module 1 - March 21
 - Module 2 - April 18
- Red Deer (Central Alberta Volunteer Centre on Gaetz Avenue)
 - Module 1 - February 28
 - Module 2 - April 18
- Medicine Hat (in conjunction with the District Conference)
 - Module 1, 2 and 3
 - May 7 and 8 (concurrent sessions)

Registration is easy - just go to the District web home page: <http://www.rotary5360.ca/>. Hit the "Full Events Calendar" link on the left side of the home page, find the date and location of the RLI session you wish to attend and register.

Rick Istead & Al Bergsma
Calgary & Red Deer RLI Facilitators

The Club's Board of Directors has reviewed the documents and by motion has approved them for presentation to the membership for review and a vote to adopt these updated bylaws.

Please accept this as formal notice that these bylaws will be presented to the club for a vote to approve at the Club Assembly Meeting to be held starting at 12:15 pm on January 20th, 2015. At that meeting, a two thirds vote of members in attendance is required for approval, a quorum (one third of the membership) being present.

Hard copies of the marked up version will be made available at the January 13th and 20th, 2015 meetings of the Club.

ShelterBox Update

Deployment Updates

- **Malaysia**

ShelterBox is responding to the worst flooding in decades in Malaysia. A response team has been deployed and assessments have begun. Canadian SRT Per Dahlstrom has been deployed to assist.

- **Pakistan**

1,000 shelter repair kits and 224 ShelterBoxes are being shipped to Pakistan to assist flooding survivors.

- **Niger**

368 ShelterBoxes have been collected from the United Nations Humanitarian Response Depot (UNHRD) in Accra, Ghana, one of our prepositioned storage locations, and are in transit to Niger. More stock is on its way by sea to Accra

- **Philippines**

ShelterBox has a good amount of pre-positioned stock in close proximity to the areas hit by Typhoon Hagupit, including around 1,000 tents and 400 ShelterBoxes.

- **Sierra Leone**

60 yellow and black ShelterBoxes have been used to contain foodstuffs on the private ship MV Gypsum Centennial. In addition, 10 SchoolBoxes have also been transported on the vessel, which will be delivered to the Sierra Leonean educational charity Educaid. The mixture of items will then be distributed to people within areas affected by Ebola.

- **Iraq**

There are around 1,900 tents in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq, which have all now been distributed. The ShelterBox operations team is making provisions to supplement the existing stock of shelter in Iraq with winterisation kits.

- **Syria**

Distribution of aid through our implementing partner Hand in Hand for Syria (HIHS). Shelter Repair Kits, more tents, mosquito nets, water filters and carriers, blankets, groundsheets, SchoolBoxes and solar lamps have all been sent to assist families in the region

- **Other Disasters and Monitoring**

We are monitoring and evaluating Shelterbox's response to flooding in South Sudan, refugee crisis in Nigeria and Cameroon and flooding in North Korea.

*Ray Kmetiuk, ShelterBox Ambassador
Rotary Club Red Deer Sunrise.*

It's been a while since I wrote my last story. I did a lot of things in this time and it was just a wonderful time.

Let's start at the end of September. I went to California with the football team from my school. We went to Los Angeles (Long Beach) and played then there a local High School team. They were pretty good kids tho. In L.A. we saw a college football game from the USC and we saw a NFL game from the San Diego Chargers vs. The Jacksonville Jaguars.

Our season in football here in Canada went pretty good. We reached the City champion ship game and we played the quarter final in the provincial games. We lost our City final for bad luck and we played a true Canadian football game by -25°C. It was freezing cold! I played the whole game and when I took my mouthguard out, my spit on it froze in 1 minute. It was really cold!

I was able till now to play some hockey on outdoor rinks with some friends or alone. I played in the student vs. staff game in our school, and the teachers were cheating because they asked an old NHL player to play with them, but at all it was a lot of fun.

Then at the end of November I moved in with the Flemings, my second host familie. I really enjoy it the new family. I have now 2 host brothers and one host sister. My host sister (Wendy) studies in Victoria so I saw her the first time at Christmas, and my older host brother (Neil) he left on the 4th January to spend one semester in Australia. My younger host brother (Aidan) left over Christmas to visit Berto in Brazil. I went now with my host family a couple times skiing at Castle Mountain. It was a lot of fun to go skiing with them but the snow was not the best. They still have a lot of problems because there is not enough snow.

Christmas here in Canada is a bit different then in Germany but I really enjoyed it! I saw the whole family from the Flemings and it was a really fun time. After Christmas we went back to Castle to ski, and came then again back for new years. I celebrated new year with a couple friends.

School is going really well. I still make a lot of friends in school. I went now one time to Edmonton for a birthday and I saw a few things in the city. I go there back soon before we go to Yellowknife I will spend 2 days in Edmonton.

