

As I gather information about how our Rotary Club could potentially make an impact in the field of **Mental Health and Wellness**, some things I have learned are:

- 70% of mental health problems onset during childhood or adolescence.
- Suicide is the second leading cause of death for individuals aged 10 – 24 (accidents are the leading cause).
- **The Centre for Child & Adolescent Mental Health** is being built in Calgary, with an anticipated opening in late 2021.
- “Transition Age” individuals, ie, 18 to age 25, ie, no longer children, but not quite adults, tend to fall through the cracks between the “Children’s Hospitals” and the standard health care system.

In my role as a tax accountant, clients provide me with receipts for medical care of family members, not covered by Alberta Health Services. These receipts may be claimed on an individual’s income tax return. With the receipts, families share their stories with me, and the challenges they deal with as they try to improve their children’s health.

Many Alberta families are laying out substantial amounts of cash to obtain care for their children, particularly for **mental wellness**. I have never really given much thought to why these amounts are not covered by Alberta Health Care, because it didn’t matter. All I cared about in April, at tax time, was whether or not the expenditures were tax deductible.

I have learned that **Alberta Health Care pays for mental health costs provided by Alberta Health Service providers. Costs incurred outside of Alberta are not covered.**

There are substantial amounts of money flowing out of our economy. Like it or not, we do have a two tier tax system. There isn’t anything that says residents of Alberta are obliged to be treated in Alberta. If better treatment exists elsewhere or the only treatment exists elsewhere, Albertans have the right and the option to receive treatment anywhere in the world. It then comes down to whether or not they can afford it. Many of you will be familiar with this concept in connection with people you know who have gone outside of Alberta for surgeries on joints.

It becomes a bit of a “type of illness” lottery. If your child has an illness and can obtain treatment in Alberta, there is no cost to your family. If your child has a type of illness that treatment is not available in Alberta, depending on the treatment, your family may need to find the resources to fund such treatment.

The Centre for Child & Adolescent Mental Health will be a substantial improvement over the existing facilities available to patients and their families. However, there are still substantial gaps in the medical system and care available for youth with **mental illness** challenges, particularly those with **eating disorders**.

I will describe some of these gaps in future Bulletins.

President Penny Leckie



At President Penny's request the following video was played up to 2:10: <https://youtu.be/S2j2AhlEUr8>

Good afternoon Rotarians and Guests. Welcome to the April 29th meeting of the Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park. I am the Club's President for 2020/2021 – **Penny Leckie**.

Tomorrow is April 30th, so we are on the homestretch of personal tax filing season, and speaking of homestretch...

That was the 146th running of the Kentucky Derby, which took place on September 5, 2020. Authentic left the gate with odds of 8-1 but beat the favourite Tiz the Law. As a result of Authentic's win, horse trainer, Bob Baffert tied the record for the most Kentucky Derby wins at 6.

I bet on a horse to come in at 10 – 1. It did, but all the others came in at 12:30... Just checking to see if you're paying attention...

This Saturday, May 1st, the 147th running of the Kentucky Derby returns to its traditional date "the first Saturday in May". The race will go off with favourite, Essential Quality trying to remain unbeaten. Trainer Bob Baffert will be trying to beat Essential Quality and achieve the record for the most Kentucky Derby wins by a trainer with the horse, Medina Spirit at 15-1 odds.

I was going to try and fit in all 20 of the horse's names in today's conversation. I knew I could fit in Soup and Sandwich, Rock Your World, Hot Rod Charlie, and even Midnight Bourbon, but I had to give up at O Besos and Mandaloun.

So, as I was thinking about the race on Saturday, it occurred to me no other Rotary President has had two Kentucky Derby races, in their year. And then I realized, because of the anomaly we are living in, I have also had two Masters Tournaments, and it's quite possible, I will have two Stanley Cups during my year as President. So, there's an interesting fact, that with \$2 will buy you a large coffee at Tim Horton's.

And although horseracing, Daily Doubles and Double Doubles are part of today's conversation, we are only going to sing O Canada once.



Please rise for O Canada

Welcome to all our guests today. I hope you enjoy the meeting.

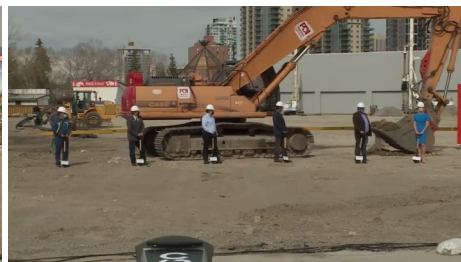
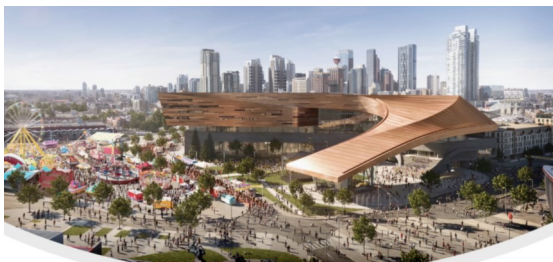
Bulletin Editor: Glenn Potter Photographer: Paul Brick

Health and Wellness: Dorothea Schaab: Today is Justina Penner's 95th birthday and she would love to receive calls

- **Donna Koper** had a successful surgery on her foot but will need another three months to recover. **Larry Koper** is inquiring how he can stay in touch with Rotary and continue as a member. Larry doesn't have a computer but can be reached at his Cell #: 403 801 9610
Larry Koper c/o AgeCare SkyPointe Tel (587) 619 1900
179 Skyview Circle NE, Calgary T3N 0Y7

Rotary Club of Calgary Olympic: Fundraiser: The Rotary Club of Calgary Olympic is hosting a community shredding day on Sunday, **May 15th**. Details are in today's Bulletin on **Page 11**.

BMO Ground-breaking Expansion: The ground-breaking for the BMO expansion was today. **President-Elect Craig Stokke** received a nice note from Stampede management saying that hosting the 2025 Rotary International Convention played a substantial role in moving this project forward.



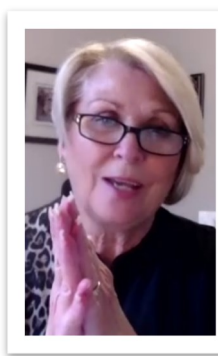
DISCON 2021 is this Saturday. Registration closed yesterday, but I am sure they would still fit you in if you are looking to do something before The Derby. DG Mary's charity of choice is Canadian Mental Health Association. Even if you aren't able to attend the conference, you might consider supporting DG Mary and the charity by registering for \$20 and making a contribution.

NEW MEMBER EVENT MURDER MYSTERY: Wasn't the murder mystery evening last week fun? Rudy delivered the wine and cheese package to my office the day before. I was very impressed with both the presentation and the presenter.

It was great to dig through my Stampede "tickle trunk" and find something western to wear. It's a whole different challenge when you have to dress western for ZOOM. I was late for work, but the Woohos and Yahoos when I walked through the door in my hat and boots made me feel fantastic. Bring on the Stampede. Everything this committee did was top notch.

I sent a Western message to them the day of the event. It read, "Your posse of dudes and dudettes mounted up, drew the pistols from your holsters, and shot the lights out. You have put your brand on this shindig. I know the old bulls will be talking about this great roundup for years to come... You kicked up some dust, blazed a trail, and committees that follow will eat your dust... As the local sheriff often says at the end of the movie, as the cowboy rides away, "You have saved our town". I now know how those sheriffs feel."

This committee reinvigorated a long standing tradition of our Club. Even though it is a tradition, this year, they didn't have a template to work with. They showed us fundraising is alive and well. Rotarians can still do good, they just need to do it differently. I also expressed that the success of this committee will be one of the highlights of my year as President.



Sharyl Madigan: Today is a very happy but sad day for me. The New Members Celebration comes to an end today (sad) but we have so many great things to share (very happy). First thank you to my committee that was struck on January 22nd and given the dubious honor of hosting a fundraising event on April 22nd and given the goal of raising \$30,000 in the middle of COVID lockdown where traditional methods were not able to be employed.

This incredible group of people rose to the challenge. Most of us had not met before and now this all had to be done remotely. But everyone leaned in, brought forward their best game and accomplished what some thought to be the impossible. Each and every person on this team worked endless hours and I can't be more proud of what I have the privilege to report today to all of you.

Wow, what a night of mystery and intrigue. First the biggest mystery of the evening was I have no idea how my team came up with the culprit at the end. Secondly, most of us experienced some technical difficulties, but those were overcome before the end of the evening and everyone went on to join in and solve the mystery and share in many laughs.

Congratulations to Team 6! They are the “Private Eyes” of RCCSP.

Thanks to everyone that participated. We all hope that you enjoyed your evening of fellowship!

85 members of this club contributed to the success of this event in one way or another through ticket sales, silent auction items, wine draw tickets, or donations.

The priceless wins:

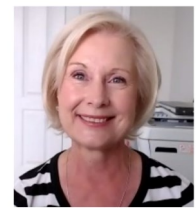
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35 Silent Auction Items	4871.00
31 Wine and Cheese Trays Sold	1550.00
Wine Draw	2940.00
50 Partner Additions	2500.00
71 Links	7100.00
Donations (\$500 and under)	3180.00
Donations (Major)	1550.00
TOTAL FUNDS COLLECTED	\$ 37641.00
EXPENSES	
Slixir	2800.00
Cheese	496.00
Wine	550.00
Silent Auction Costs	250.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$4096.00
NET PROCEEDS	<u>\$33545.00</u>

- The team members got to know each other, learned about each other, and shared some laughs together.
- The team members got an opportunity to experience what being a Rotarian means and develop a deeper understanding of Rotary. How the club members pull together and support each other and this club. Service above Self!! How they love to work hard and play hard.
- We got to meet and have great conversations with other club members (albeit over the phone) that would have taken much longer to get to know and connections that will grow stronger in the future.
- This club is willing to support innovation and creativity. We brought forward an idea that has never been experienced and we were encouraged and supported all along the way.
- We all learned that technology is something to be embraced, not be afraid of. Who says you can't teach an old dog new tricks!!!

We all feel privileged to have served the club with this initiative and to have supported President Penny with this event.



The Rotary Foundation Gala: Myrna and Jack Thompson are asking you to review the attached information in the bulletin and consider attending. See **Page 9** in the bulletin



Songs and Stunts: Deb Sands: On the agenda for Songs and Stunts today is a game we call 6 jokes in 5 minutes! The object of the game is to have 3 ladies tell a joke and three gentlemen tell a joke.

Captains are Darlene Whitmore (for the ladies) and Joe Connelly (for the gentlemen). We will alternate one lady then one gentleman. Then repeat!

President Penny will pick the ONE funniest joke.

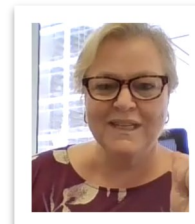
Winner will accept the win on behalf of their whole team!

I will have \$5.00 Tim Horton's cards for all 3 winners on the winning team.

Ladies Team: **Roselyn Jack, Kathy Demorest and Sharyl Madigan**

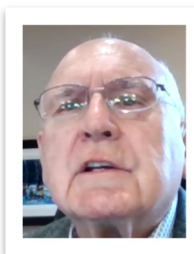
Men's Team: "da tree Jim's": **Jim Cairns, Jim Fitzowich, Jim Hutchens**

And the winner **WAS** - Sharyl Madigan with a joke about, "It's a SMALL world!" - actually it was a joke about sex ...



Jim Burns Introduction 1: Dan Dunlop

It is my pleasure to introduce the video profile of Jim Burns to the club this afternoon. I met Jim for the first time when he joined Rotary in 2000. Shortly after joining the Club Pat and Jim Burns attended their first annual Rotary Waterton Peace Park weekend with us. On the way home we stopped at the Westbrook cottage for a barbecue. Shortly after things got underway Jim disappeared from the group and came back with his accordion. This was the first appearance of his accordion at a Rotary event. That was the beginning of his many musical appearances. Jim is known to often keep an accordion in the trunk of his vehicle just in case he has the opportunity to play a few tunes.



Rotary has opened the door to many trips with Rotarians around the world for Jim and Pat including District and International conventions. I believe Jim has set a record of 10 years or more as the continuous chairman of the Greeter Committee. This has to be a first. We all know the positive and friendly greeting every member receives is an important start to every meeting.

When wintering in Scottsdale Arizona, Jim gets weekly attendance at the Scottsdale Sunrise Rotary Club where they have made him a honorary member. Jim likes his food, but ice cream and a simple hamburger are sure to be near the top of his list. He's easy to please.

Jim is never tired of watching movies. He might be tired by 8:30 but never too tired to sit up just a little longer for one more picture. He knows them all. Jim is a handyman at heart. If Pat can't find him in the house she can almost be assured he is at Home Hardware picking up a spare part to fix this or that. On weekends it may be difficult to find Jim as he may have headed off to Sylvan Lake or Invermere to check on houses, with a few days away from the city.

Jim is a good friend and always fun to be around.

Jim Burns Introduction 2: Norm Devitt

I first met Jim in 1991 when Norm was serving as a councillor. Burnco had a gravel crushing machine that was creating a large amount of dust in the area. Jim pledged to cover the machine and that is the happy ending. Jim has been a great Rotarian since he joined the club.

Jim's Dad had great advice for Jim, "You don't want to get out of control, don't let the company run you - you must run the company. It is great to have all of Jim's family in attendance at the meeting today.



JIM BURNS: PROFILE VIDEO LINK:

<https://vimeo.com/538830138>



The Man of the Hour, Jim Burns ...

Hello President Penny, Rotary Members and Guests:

I was surprised and pleased when I learned that a profile was going to be made of me. Thankyou to whomever suggested this, and to **Jamie Moorhouse** and **Steve Mason** for the professional video and script. Thank you to **Dan Dunlop** and **Norm Devitt** for cheering me on.

This is my 21st year in Rotary. Years ago a long time family friend and business partner **Clayton Carroll** introduced me to a number of Rotarians over daily morning coffee at Harry's Café after we had picked up Burns Sand & Gravel and Pioneer Paving's mail at Marshall's Drug Store. Clayton encouraged me to join Rotary and took me to a few meetings of the Manchester Rotary Club but I was always too busy to be a member.

A number of years went by and my wife **Patricia**, suggested that I should consider joining Rotary. We were approaching Y2K, the year 2000, and it seemed to be a time to make some changes in our life. One of these was calling Clayton to see if he would sponsor me in Calgary South. As a result, I became a member in 2000, built a new home in Elbow Valley, sold our previous one to **Roger Jarvis**, (the sale was promoted by **John Fitzsimmons**) and Pat became a member of The Rotary Partners. As Clayton had predicted, almost all of our friends are Rotarians or Partners. I have to tell you, being in Rotary has been a major highlight in Pat and I's life. **What a great ride it has been.**

We've had the opportunity to help a number of worthwhile projects like Calgary Rotary Challenger Park where I got my Dad and Mom involved; and through Pat's urging, also "Crime Not to Read" and more recently, "Calgary Reads", where we've paid off their mortgage on "The Little Red Reading House" in Inglewood.

When I look back over my 86 years I realize that for most of that time I have been a workaholic and, even now I am writing these comments at my office at BurnsWest. A philosophy of mine and passed to our key employees was 'work for a quality bottom line'; and for all employees, 'remember that satisfied customers make your paycheque possible'.

Fortunately, I have had my best friend and lovely wife, Patricia, as my personal sounding board. She has kept me company and has been at my side for the past, almost 63 years. Hopefully there are many more years to come. Thanks, everyone for zooming in today!

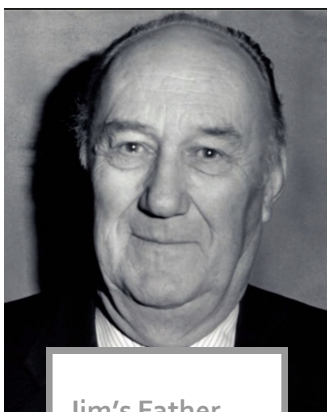
From President Penny:

Congratulations, Jim. You and Pat have done much for our Community and for our Rotary Club and Partners. You support many important projects, and you do it very quietly.

You honestly care about others. You have a tremendous sense of humour and enthusiasm for life that makes others want to spend time with you.

I hope Darren and I will have the opportunity to host you and Pat sometime this summer now that we are homeowners at Sylvan Lake, as well.

I know it will be an enjoyable time. On behalf of the Club, thank you for your long term commitment and for everything you do for our Club.



Jim's Father

PAT AND JIM BURNS



Jim and Son Darren

Next week, is May. We all know the saying, "Hurray, hurray, it's the first of May... To kick off our meetings in May, we have **Kim McConnell and Jim Gray**, They will be telling us about the **Top 7 over 70 Awards** and the dynamic individuals who continue to contribute and make an impact in our community.



**AN AWARDS PROGRAM
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So, going back to the Kentucky Derby and gambling and knowing the odds, here's a story to help you understand better.

Little Henry was in class and the teacher announced that they were going to try something different to help everyone get to know each other a little better, and to help with their spelling.

She explained, "I want you to stand up and give us the occupation of your father, spell it, and say one thing he would give us all if he was here today."

The first student raised her hand to volunteer. "Marcy," the teacher said. "You may go first."
Marcy replied, "My father is a banker. B-A-N-K-E-R and if he was here today, he would give us all a shiny new penny."

The teacher said, "Very nice, Marcy, who wants to go next?"

Kevin stood up and announced, "My father is a baker. B-A-K-E-R and if he was here today, he would give us all a freshly-baked cookie." "Very good," the teacher told Kevin.

Jeff was next, and he said, "My father is an anesthesiologist. A-N-E no wait, A-N-A no..." Before he could attempt to spell it once more, the teacher cut him off and told him to sit back down and to think about it for a while. When he thought he knew how to spell it, he could stand back up and try again.

Little Henry raised his hand in excitement hoping to be acknowledged by the teacher. The teacher called on little Henry to go next.

Henry said, "My father is a bookie. B-O-O-K-I-E and if he was here today, he would give us all 50:1 odds
Jeff will never be able to spell "anesthesiologists."

They say one in every seven friends has a gambling addiction. My money's on **Kathy Demorest...**

When I started betting the races, I received lots of tips. My grandfather used to say, "Bet the horse that has come the farthest. It costs money to haul a horse, so if they are bringing it a long way, it must be good." My great aunt told me, "If you see a horse that has the same breeder, owner and trainer, you should bet it, because that person has a lot of heart invested in the horse, and because it is treated well, it will do well." A trainer I knew told me "Bet the story." Luck loves a good story.

This Kentucky Derby, I will be putting some money on the story of Hidden Stash. This 50 – 1 longshot has a female trainer. It is the first time in six years that a female trainer has a horse in the Derby, and no female trainer has ever won the Derby. Gotta put a little jingle on this story...and Bob Baffert will just have to wait to win the all time record for trainers.

And finally, how do you make a small fortune on horse racing? Start with a large fortune. But for this weekend, I'll take a \$2 Exacta Box on...Hidden Stash, Essential Quality and for the other horses, if I tell you, I have to kill you.

Have a great week everyone.

FULL MEETING LINK: <https://youtu.be/7W84cy452i4>



We're Baaaaack ...

**We will be coming
to your door to
deliver your Cin-
co de Mayo Gift
Packs and say
"Hello"!**

See you soon!

**Social Events
Delivery Team!**



TRF Gala Fundraiser and Tailgate Party

Wed, May 12

TRF Tailgate Party Special Guest Danielle Smith!

Danielle Smith, the former leader of the opposition and leader of the Wildrose Party, will be our special guest for the District 5360 TRF Tailgate Party after the TRF Gala on May 12. Danielle will be available to answer questions and talk about the issues that are affecting Alberta during these challenging times.

Register for the TRF Gala on May 12 for access to the Tailgate Party and to help support the Rotary Foundation. Our help is needed more than ever to do good. This is our Call to Action!

**Wednesday, May 12, 2021, 8:00
pm ET
(6:00pm MT)**

The Rotary Foundation Gala will be a ~60-minute fast-paced virtual Fundraiser designed to fundraise for both the Annual Funds and PolioPlus.



Our Gala evening will feature a "Red Carpet" pre-show that kicks off at 8:00 pm ET *sharp* hosted by Rotary International's first female President, Jennifer Jones! Master of Ceremonies, Past RI Director Jeffry Cadorette, will host the variety show featuring distinguished speakers, entertainers, inspiring stories about service supported by TRF and much more!

Tickets to the virtual event are available by clicking this link trellis.org/rotary-gala and are USD\$110 plus applicable fees, of which **\$100 is a fully credited donation to TRF**. You get a charitable tax receipt and 100 Paul Harris Fellowship points, and your District gets credit towards their Foundation goals.

Your participation allows Rotarians, clubs and Districts to DO MORE GOOD. Donations are directed 75% to the Annual Fund of TRF and 25% to the PolioPlus fund.

These photos were found and provided by **Tony Ng**

He asked Penny to put them in the bulletin because they reminded him so much of the “Ugly” Rotary Shirts that so many people have ...



COMMUNITY KITCHEN VOLUNTEERING

Volunteers are required for Community Kitchens located at: 3751 - 21 Street NE

This is to support the Good Food Box program. Volunteers 18 years and older are eligible to volunteer

Volunteers are required for these upcoming dates:

May 12	1 pm	2 volunteers	Packing hampers
May 31	5 pm	2 volunteers	Bagging food for the hampers
June 7	5 pm	2 volunteers	Bagging food for the hampers
July 6		20 Volunteers	
July 13		20 Volunteers	
July 19		16 Volunteers	

Please contact Earl Huson at:

ehuslink@telusplanet.net or call: 403 660 6232

Community Paper Shredding Event



**** If you can't drop off your shredding on May 16th, you can purchase a secure shredding bag in advance which you can use to delivery your shredding documents directly to Pulp Shred ****

Contact us at info@rotaryolympic.org to purchase - we will delivery the bag(s) to you within the City of Calgary. Payment is cash on delivery or email transfer. Bag sales will end on May 7

Sensitive documents taking over your filing cabinet? Worried about data security and ID theft? Tired of spending hours with a personal shredder only to find paper remnants all over your home office?

Rotary Club of Calgary Olympic has teamed up with PULP SHRED with a solution to provide you peace of mind! ROTARY CLUB of CALGARY OLYMPIC is hosting a community shredding event on **Sunday, May 16** from 10:00AM to 2:00PM at the **Austrian Canadian Club parking lot located at 3112 - 11 Street NE**.

Shredding will be done for a donation to the Rotary Club of Calgary Olympic - Visa/Mastercard/debit/cash will be accepted.

Come join us for the Community Shred Day and make a contribution to support local Calgary charities!

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, this will be a drive through event only. There will be no social gathering. Rotarians and PULP SHRED representatives will all be strictly adhering to Alberta Health Services COVID-19 guidelines.

Here's what you'll need to know:

- Remove metal clips and take documents out of 3-ringed binders and plastic folders (staples and little paper clips are fine);
- File folders are fine as long as there are no metal hangers, metal clips, or non-paper contents (e.g. CDs/DVDs, Hard drives, plastic, et al);
- Place them in a file box (or a bag / tote) and bring them over with a contribution of your choosing at the shred event.
- Please limit to 3 boxes of personal documents per household.

PULP SHRED, a Calgary owned confidential document destruction company, will collect & securitize all documents, transport them in secured storage containers to their Calgary facility and shred your confidential documents securely and in a sustainable manner. No noisy, dusty & fuel inefficient shredding trucks! 100% of your shredded paper is baled, recycled and repurposed into new paper products – committed to zero-landfill paper waste!

Proceeds from this event will go directly to supporting Calgary charities like: Pace Kids, the Boys and Girls Club, I Can For Kids, the CNIB and other worthy causes.

For more information contact info@rotaryolympic.org or info@pulpshred.com



REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN AND WAITING FOR YOU!!!!

The Supreme Windows \$1,000,000 Amateur Charity Golf Classic in support of The Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park “Stay in School Program” to be held July 22nd at the Cottonwood Golf and Country Club is open for registration.

After last year’s cancellation of the tournament, we are back this year stronger than ever. We are looking forward to an amazing day of golf and a celebration of our collective efforts over the last 20 years in reaching our goal of a sustainable program supporting students in their educational dreams for years to come.

Last year, Golf was a “hot” commodity as it was one of the few pastimes that was Covid-19 safe to participate in and tee times were at a premium. We believe that our event will sell out quickly, so the sooner you register, the sooner you secure your spot in the tournament.

For those who register and pay by May 15th, your name will be put into a draw for a chance to win Golf for Four (with carts) at our beautiful host Golf Course, the Cottonwood Golf & Country Club.

Register and pay for your spot by July 1st, 2021 to guarantee you won’t miss out one of the best tournaments in the area and “*the most fun you can have with your Golf shoes on!!*”

We ask that Sponsors with player spots included in their Sponsorship register your Team player names (first and last name) email address and index as soon as available, by sending the information to Brett Albers, brett.albers@nbpcd.com

When you are ready to register go to the registration icon on the website:
<https://www.stayinschool.ca>

For more information on Registration call Spencer Tonkinson 403-991-0177.

*And while you are on the website, check out the auction items on the Auction tab (upper right) to see the Online auction, Live auction and Make Rotary an Offer items.

Keep checking back as new items are added to the list!

And remember if you have an item to donate or would! like to donate cash for us to buy an item, please contact Janet Matthews at janrickmatthews@gmail.com. Both item and cash donations get a tax receipt.

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING: May 6th: Kim McConnell: Top 7 Over 70



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The Top 7 Over 70 Awards is a dream-turned-reality for founder Jim Gray, a renowned Calgarian, oil patch pioneer and philanthropist. Over the years, Jim noticed award programs sprouting up for people in a myriad of demographic groups, except for those who were older in years. At the same time, he seemed to be meeting an increasing number of people who were starting new ventures and initiatives even after they reached traditional retirement age.

May 13th: Ray Price, CEO: Sunterra

May 20th: Annual St. Mary's 4 Way Contest

May 27th: Annual Dream Home Kickoff

June 3rd: World Community Service Presentation

June 10th: Peter Tertzakian: "Energyphile"

June 17th: Stay In School Presentation

June 24th: Changing of the Guard

July 1st: Canada Day—No Meeting

July 22nd: STAY IN SCHOOL GOLF TOURNAMENT

HEALTH AND WELLNESS CONTACT

For the months of April and May
please contact **Hugh Delaney at: (403) 255- 0422**

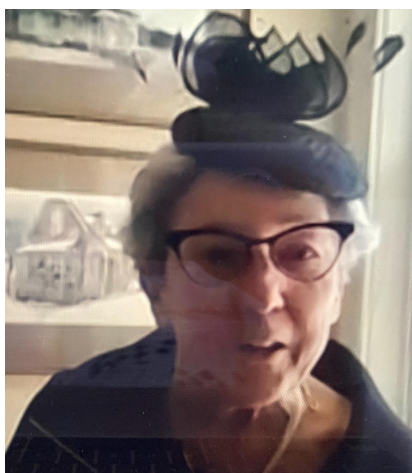
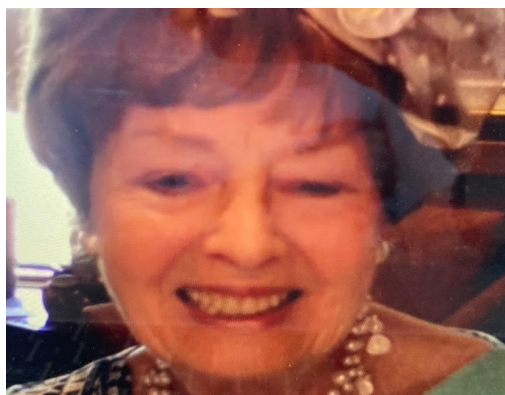
The Partners Executive hosted a Spring Tea Zoom Event on April 21st. 27 ladies participated. Many ladies were wearing lovely hats which were **Lorraine MacDonald's** and did so in her honour.

A jewelry raffle was held from pieces donated by **Pat Burns** and we are pleased to say that we raised \$1,400 which we are donating to the Terry Fox Foundation in honor of her son, Jeff.

We had a wonderful guest speaker, Chef Julie Van Rosendaal (shown here) and she entertained us with stories and facts about "butter gate". She has written 12 cookbooks and we all encouraged her to join us anytime as another guest speaker.

We had a wonderful afternoon and I want to thank my Executive and all the beautiful ladies who joined us.

Submitted by Denise MacLeod, Partners President



MAY BABY

Stubborn and hard-hearted . Strong-willed and highly motivated. Sharp thoughts. Easily angered. Attracts others and loves attention. Deep feelings. Beautiful physically and mentally. Firm Standpoint. Needs no motivation. Shy towards opposite sex. Easily consoled. Systematic (left brain). Loves to dream. Strong clairvoyance. Understanding. Sickness usually in the ear and neck. Good imagination. Good physical. Weak breathing. Loves literature and the arts. Loves travelling. Dislike being at home. Restless. Not having many children. Hardworking. High spirited.

Happy May Birthdays
Rotarians & Partners !

Jim Cairns	May 1
Stacey Johnson	May 3
Bob Wiens	May 4
Freda Fraser	May 6
Brenda McKinley	May 8
Sharyl Madigan	May 9
Caroline Bacon	May 20
Lynn Topp	May 22
Dan Dunlop	May 25
John Fitzsimmons	May 28
Larry Stein	May 28
George Adam	May 31

"Carburn Park Waiting for the Leaves"

Photo taken by Corinne at Carburn Park Pond



Happy May
Birthdays