



STAMPEDE LEGACY PROJECT PROPOSAL INFORMATION SESSION AND DISCUSSIONS



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Moderator: Jim Fitzowich

Jim Fitzowich started the program stating this effort is to provide a fulsome discussion and provide details for members to make their decision from. This is due process and therefore the Board has excused themselves from the proceedings. The format will be a 'town hall' style – makes him feel like Peter Manzbridge but with more hair!

There are prepared materials and presentations and this will be minuted by **Club Secretary Larry Stein** and available to all members. There was distribution of Term Sheet and Information sheet.

Back Ground Information: Bryan Targett

Bryan Targett stated that our Club is facing a decision that will impact us for a long time. Our Club and the Stampede have had a very positive relationship for many, many years and more to come. Bryan has been a RCCS member for 40 years and on the board of the Stampede for 20 (3 of those as Chair). Our relationship is firm and for the future.

First we built the Rotary House (\$50,000.00 for 10 years) and we are still benefitting after all these years. Then we raised \$200,000.00 for the elevator in the Grand Stand. From this point we went into the community and partnered to fund Providence, buildings with the U of C, Mustard Seed and many others. Now, we have come full circle and we are back to the Stampede! We have always influenced programs that help youth. If we go forward with this plan we are committing 5 to 10 years. We have done it before and we can do it again.

We have to be wary as other organizations would step in very quickly if we lose opportunities with the Stampede. Also, years ago a Stampede Board person wanted to use machines instead of volunteers to sell the tickets and they lost that one because of the relationship we have with them.

Please consider carefully how you vote – I am encouraging you to vote yes!

Board of Directors: Dorothea Schaab

Mr. Chairman, Rotarians, Future Rotarians and Guests.

It is true that not many clubs have the opportunity to participate or initiate large legacy projects like we have in the past. It has been exciting to have played a small part in them through volunteering on our various fundraising projects through which we lift up and support our community.

It has been said that this proposed legacy project may not be beneficial to all concerned... We cannot see that far ahead, but in hindsight: How many people daily benefit from using the Rotary Mattamy Greenway? How many Albertans are benefitting from the use of the Rotary/Flames home at the Alberta Children's Hospital? And, it is still too early to know how many Albertans will benefit from our contribution of an Atrium at Bethany – Riverside.

The day after I first heard about this project, an announcement was made about the expansion of the Rivers Entertainment District encompassing East Village and Stampede Park. I was excited to think that Calgary South could be a part of this development in the early stages! I thought of the high visibility Rotary would get from the signage on the building as people pass by and wondered: what value can be assigned to this for 10 years

But, more than that, I wondered how many youth (including our RYLA and PYPEN) will benefit from this proposed Rotary Youth Leadership Centre and Bursary? When I see the importance that Rotary International places on youth programs on their website: Rotary's programs are developing the next generation of leaders, providing funding to make the world a better place and making peace a priority. And our programs are not just for club members. We can make a difference in our community through Rotary. Rotary is where neighbors, friends and problem solvers share ideas, join leaders and take action to create lasting change.

And our Club's strategic plan provides this direction in its avenues of service, which is the foundation of our club activities.. the 5th Avenue reads: Youth service recognizes the importance of empowering youth and young professionals through leadership development programs such as Rotaract, Interact, RYLA, RYPEN and Rotary Youth Exchange. We also carry out this mandate through Stay in School and St. Mary's High School partnership.

We now have the opportunity to expand this empowerment for youth by being a partner with the Stampede Foundation in developing the Rotary Youth Leadership Centre and Bursary. And, we will be teaming with other community leaders and organizations in the development of a new community that will have great impact on our citizens in years to come.

We do not know what the future holds, but can you look ahead to 2025 when delegates to the Rotary International Convention meet here and we can show case the legacy project. We do know that we have to focus on our youth for the future growth of Rotary and for this reason, I support the Stampede Legacy project.

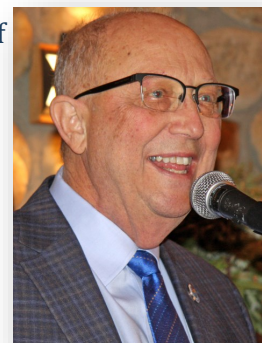
*At this point in the meeting the Moderator **Jim Fitzowich** invoked Robert's Rules of Order and the documented minutes will be circulated via the **Club Secretary Larry Stein**.*



President Ron welcomed everyone "Good afternoon and Welcome to the Rotary Club of Calgary South for January 24th, 2019"

Volunteer Needs: Harry Pelton: Casino on Feb 2nd to 3rd: Volunteers are needed for the Sunday night please! **Ronald McDonald House February 5th:** all the volunteers are in place – Thanks!

Greg's Story- at Globe Theater: January 30th, 2019: This will be an interesting presentation and it was done by **Dick Shaw's** daughter and son-in-law! And it is free!



Wine and Spirits Club: Next wine and spirits club get together is February 13th at 7pm. The theme will be chocolate; this can be interpreted however guests like. **Kevin MacLeod** will be hosting us for the evening and providing light snacks. Guests are asked to bring a bottle under \$30 with a few tasting notes to share with the group. Please RSVP to **Christine Kyte** at: christine.e.kyte@gmail.com or call: 403-831-4498

Strawberry and Cookie Fundraiser: **Calgary West** has a flyer on the table to announce their Strawberry and cookies fundraiser.

Please join Lisa Fernandes in the singing of O Canada and Rotary Grace

Head Table: **Jim Fitzowich, Chas Filipski, John Shield, Spencer Tonkinson and his fiancé Kourtney, Anthony and Beverly Tonkinson from Rotary Club of Calgary Chinook and President Ron.**

Bulletin Editor: **Luanne Whitmarsh** **Photographer:** **Paul Brick**

Visitors and Guests: **Lynn Topp** introduced our guests today

Health and Wellness: President Ron:

Sad News: **Art Borzel** is in hospital and there is not any visitors allowed at this time. **Our best to Art! Leon Popik** continues to be in pain. He would enjoy a phone call or visit.

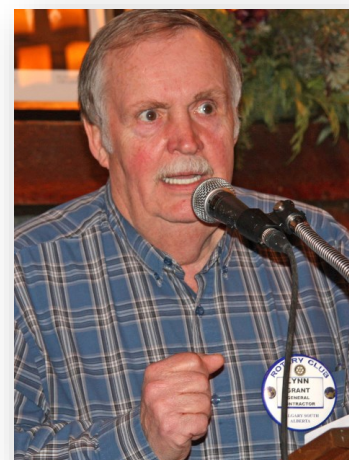


50/50 Draw: Michael Zacharki picked the winning number for **Len Kushner!**

The \$195.00 will go a long way Len!

Sergeant-At-Arms: Lynn Grant was on fire!

Lynn lightened the pocket of **Len Kushner**, he picked on **John Fitzsimmons** and fined a table!



The meeting adjourned a little bit late but the bus was waiting outside to take those who were interested and available to the proposed Stampede Legacy Project site.

John Shield began by saying: Good afternoon President Ron, Fellow Members and Guests

I would like to introduce **Spencer Tonkinson** as the newest member of our club. I have known Spencer for 5 years, however Dave Read has known him since he was 11 years old – living just down the street from him.

Spencer's parents; Anthony and Beverley, members of the Chinook Rotary Club, are here today as well as his fiancé Kourtney. They are getting married this November at the top of Sunshine Village.

Spencer has been an active volunteer of the Chinook Club for many years. Just ask him about parking cars at age 12 at The Farmer's Market. He has already volunteered with our Club for the Feed the Hungry and the upcoming Casino in February.

Spencer was born and raised in Calgary. He works with a Real Estate team of 5 at Western Elite Real Estate Group with Re/Max IRealty. Spencer's interests include skiing, hiking, working out, travelling, skydiving and family time. ***Please welcome Spencer to the Rotary Club of Calgary South.***

Terry Allen began the induction by saying: It is my honour to induct Spencer Tonkinson as our newest member of our Rotary Club. Spencer, I know that your sponsors, **Dave Read** and **John Shield** and our membership committee have explained what is involved in being a member of Rotary. I also understand that you have had a long relationship with Rotary through your parents who are active members of the Rotary Club of Calgary Chinook.

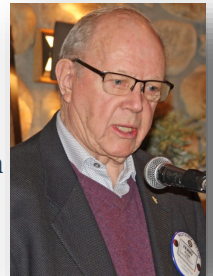
The Rotary motto, Service Above Self, is self-explanatory! We come together as a Rotary Club to combine our individual resources and talents to help build and improve our local and international communities. Our Rotary club has been doing this since 1955 in a variety of ways, some of which you have already experienced. You have already made commitments to our programs as a volunteer at the Feed the Hungry dinner and I understand that you have also made a commitment to assist at the upcoming casino. Thank you. Soon, you will also be asked to participate in other committees in our club, all of which will give you the opportunity to further your service to the community and help us to raise funds to further the objectives of our Club and Rotary International.

Spencer, when I joined Rotary in 1990, I didn't know many of the people in this room but now they have become acquaintances and friends, as we share many of the same goals and interests. As you become involved in these committees and experience the attendance at our lunch meetings you will also meet new friends. I encourage you to attend meetings on a regular basis but as you know you are also welcome to attend any other Rotary club to do a "make up" in order to fulfil your attendance obligations. Needless to say when you attend meetings members of the club are enriched by your presence as you will be by them. The Fellowship which you will experience will play an important part in your life; over the years I have found that the ideals of Rotary have become an important part of my life. I hope that you will have the same experience and that you will take the opportunity to embrace with enthusiasm the committee roles that you are asked to fulfil and also participate in the social activities which are available within the club.

Spencer, it is my hope that you will get as much personal satisfaction from your membership in Rotary as I have during my years as a Rotarian.

Welcome to the Rotary Club of Calgary South, I will now ask **President Ron** to present you with your Rotary Pin.

Fellow Rotarians please welcome Spencer Tonkinson.





Happy Valentine's Day

It's that time again to send your love to your Valentine.

Please join us for Rotary's annual

Valentine Day Luncheon

Thurs., February 14, 2019 Rotary House, Stampede Park

Doors Open: 11:15 AM • Cash Bar until 12:10 PM • Luncheon and Program: 12:15 PM – 1:45 PM

Cost: \$45 per person

RSVP BY: Tuesday February 12th. Click the link below to Register online:

<https://portal.clubrunner.ca/952/Event/2019-rotary-valentine-s-day-luncheon>

NEW MEMBER PROPOSAL

Please be advised that **Michael Vandezande** has been proposed for active membership in the Rotary Club of Calgary South as Sponsored by **Michael Ruttan** and Seconded by **Ted Stack** with a proposed Classification of **Public Accounting**

Michael's membership has been approved by the Board of Directors on the basis of the recommendation of the Membership, Qualifications and Classifications Committee subject to completion of a formal application and communication of his name and proposed classification to the membership.



Thanks for volunteering



CASINO: Casino is coming on **Saturday February 2nd and Sunday February 3rd**. As expected, nights shifts are the hardest to fill. **There are still slots to fill.** Please let me know if you can help out

MUSTARD SEED DINNER: The next Mustard Seed Event is on **Tuesday April 16th**

Email: harryrpelton@gmail.com Cell: (403) 585 - 2625 Home: (403) 244 - 9140

Please join Marlene and I for an evening of dialogue to gather and share information, experiences and ideas about our healthcare systems. Our panel will include David Price, Greg's father, as well as a member of Alberta Health Services

[Register Here](#)

Falling Through the Cracks: Greg's Story is a short film on Greg Price's journey through the healthcare system. The film gives a glimpse of who Greg was and focuses on the events of his healthcare journey that ended in his unexpected and tragic death.

In spite of the sadness of Greg's Story, the film is intended to inspire positive change and spark conversation about our healthcare system. We believe *Falling Through the Cracks: Greg's Story* is more than a movie and that it will trigger a movement.

Take a sneak peak at the movie: [Watch the trailer](#)

Dan Doherty, District 5360 Governor 2018/19

Falling Through the Cracks: Greg's Story



Wed, 30 January 2019

Globe Cinema

Doors at 6:00 pm

Movie at 6:20 pm

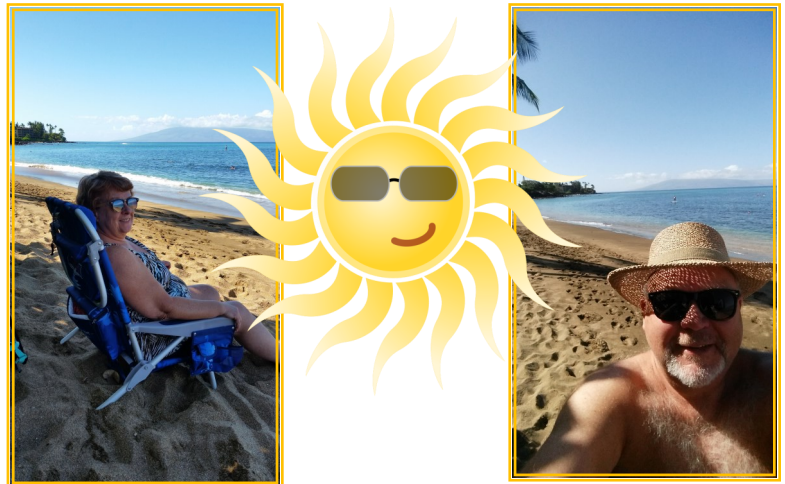
Panel Discussion Following



A **Movie** that will spark a **Movement!**

Rotary

Bryan and Joan Walton are seen here in Hawaii enjoying the beginning of Bryan's Retirement Life. When not soaking up the sun Bryan has been doing makeups at the Rotary Club of Lahina Sunrise



DINNER CLUB:

Dinner Club at the Kennedy's
was a success.



Looks like a great group to break
bread with...

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or call 403-831-4498



Orma Potter presented a cheque for **\$5,000** to **Calgary Reads** from Calgary South Rotary Partners. These funds will be used to purchase books to reflect the diversity of their clients, including new immigrants and indigenous families.



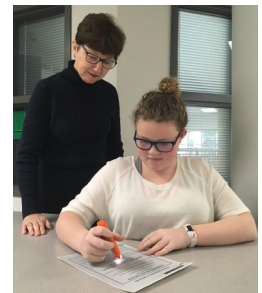
Karen Grant presented a cheque for **\$2704.28** to **Carya Society of Calgary**.



Carya offers a variety of programs that support Calgary families in their life cycles. The funds will be used to purchase 150 blankets as seen in picture to be used in their programs.



Candy Struthers delivered a chq for **\$3300** to **Foothills Academy** for the purchase of 10 reading pens to help students within the School program who struggle with reading.



Karen Grant presented a cheque in the amount of **\$5,000** to **Resicare Society of Calgary**. The focus of this Society is to provide individualized community based day & outreach support services to persons with a primary diagnosis of development disabilities. Funds are to assist in maintenance needs in 3 group homes in Calgary, Eavestroughing & window replacement are the focus of these funds this year.



CALGARY SOUTH ROTARY PARTNERS' ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

Sarcee Bingo: Thursday during September, October, November, January and April. Rose Tea is the first Thursday in May 2019.

Contact: **Lois Silverthorne:** 403-288-6695 lsilver3@telus.net
Assistant: **Dianne Ostermann:** 403-278-3654 ostercms@telus.net



Bridge Club: Our group has become small. All members are invited. We play on 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month: Calgary Golf & Country Club. Lunch: 11:45, followed by bridge.

Contact: **Norma Carroll:** 403-252-2655 crcnec@telusplanet.net
Carol Cairns: 403-288-3873 cairnsjandc@shaw.ca



Lunch Bunch: Third Thursday of each month (except December and February). Visit some of Calgary and area dining gems!

Contact: **Maureen Watson:** 403-246-0497 marennny@shaw.ca



Investment Club: The Second Thursday of every month. 9:00 am Breakfast at The Calgary Golf & Country Club

Contact: **Lorna Hamm:** 403-720-005 lorna@lornahamm.com



Movie Club: Tuesdays (when available) Mixed day/evening times

Contact: **Denise MacLeod:** 403-771-1913 denmacleod@shaw.ca

JANUARY 2019: VOCATIONAL SERVICES

Jan 31: Stampede Legacy Proposed Project Matters

FEBRUARY 2019: WORLD UNDERSTANDING

Feb 2: Cowboy's Casino

Feb 3: Cowboy's Casino

Feb 5: Ronald McDonald House Dinner Prep and Service

Feb 7: Jesse Moffat: National Music Centre

Feb 14: Valentine's Day Luncheon at Rotary House

Click link to Register for Valentine's Day Luncheon:

<https://portal.clubrunner.ca/952/Event/2019-rotary-valentine-s-day-luncheon>

Feb 21: Stay In School Golf Presentation

Feb 28: Membership Development Day: Bring a friend to lunch

MARCH 2019: WATER AND SANITATION

Mar 7: Calgary Search and Rescue Alberta Association

Mar 14: St. Patrick's Day

Mar 21: BitQuest CEO Koleya Karringten: Intro to Blockchain and Crypto Currency

Mar 28: To Be Determined

APRIL 2019: MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

Apr 4: To Be Determined

Apr 11: New Member Celebration: Evening Meeting: Location to be announced

Apr 16: Mustard Seed Dinner Prep and Service: Foothills Location

Apr 18: To Be Determined

Apr 24: Partners Luncheon: Willow Park Golf and Country Club: 11:30 am

Apr 25: Bob Sartor: Calgary Airport Authority

MAY 2019: MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

May 2: Dream Home Registration Kickoff

May 9: St. Mary's 4 Way Test Contest

May 16: To Be Determined

May 23: Stay In School Luncheon: Carriage House Inn

May 30: To Be Determined

JUNE 2019: ROTARY FELLOWSHIP

June 6: To Be Determined

June 12: Annual Partners Dinner: Willow Park Golf and Country Club: 5:00 pm

June 13: Stampede President Presentation

June 20: Charity Day Presentation

June 27: Changing of the Guard



St. Patrick's



Day!

Health, Wellness & Transportation for January and February 2019

Contact **Earl Huson** at: eshuslink@telusplanet.net or: **403 686-0828** if you know of anyone that is not well, that could use a visit or a ride to a Rotary Meeting.

Weekly Meetings & Bulletin Requirements

If you are asked or request to speak at a weekly meeting please note the following:

- Advise President Ron that you wish to make an announcement on Monday before the meeting by email
- Provide a digital copy of your notes to the Bulletin Editor and/or Kathyann Reginato in advance of the meeting. If you can't then immediately after the meeting
- At a minimum please give the Editor your hand written notes after you speak

This is for Speakers, Intro Speakers, Thankers and anyone making announcements at the Podium.

We cannot guarantee that your announcement can be made if you don't provide this information.

Thank you for your assistance with this. It is very difficult for the Bulletin Editors to take so many notes at a busy and loud meeting so let's help them out

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