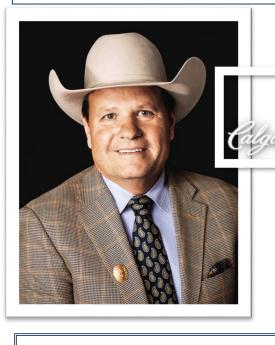


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June 13th, 2019: Volume 64, Issue 47 Stampede President's Presentation





Craig Stokke began today's presentation by introducing Stampede President. Dana Peers.

The Rotary Club of Calgary South and the Calgary Stampede have a long tradition of partner-

ing and working together to support our community. We hold the same values, and in many cases, we are the same people.

Members of our club have held the position of Calgary Stampede President, they've served on the Stampede Board of Directors, chaired major committees, and served many other important roles.

We've also worked together in major fundraising efforts; this will be the 42nd Rotary Dream Home project, plus, our club has made tremendous contributions to the Stampede projects, most recently with Oliver House.

On a personal note I am extremely thankful for the tremendous support the Stampede provided me as we put together our successful bid on the 2025 Rotary International Convention which will be held here on park, in the shiny new building that will be going up across the street.

With every great organization there is great leadership. Dana Peers is the President and Chairman of the Board of the Calgary Stampede.

Dana has had a 32-year career in the design, project management and land development industry; designing and completing projects throughout North America. He is currently President of Urban-o Design and Development Ltd., which specializes in both residential and commercial design. Dana also holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Arizona State University.

Dana has been a volunteer with the Calgary Stampede since 1991, he was elected to the Board of Directors in 2011, and was installed as President and Chairman of the Board in March 2019

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Do you want to watch this week's Meeting?

CLICK THE LINK: https://bit.ly/2IKLIVc



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Dana Peers began by acknowledging the long-time successful partnership with The Rotary Club of Calgary South. Dana spoke with passion about his full time Volunteer "Job".

These are just some of the highlights:

- Exciting time for the Stampede and the City
- The Stampede vision is that it is a year round Gathering place.
- A Tier 1 Convention Centre is required
- Convention delegates annually spend \$250 million in total, \$50 million on the grounds and the rest in the City.
- They are into year 15 of a 20 year master plan.
- They currently have 11 funded projects underway including, 17th Avenue Crossing, Hotel Development at RFP stage, Stampede Trail, Maybe an Event Centre and the SAM Centre.
- These amount to \$2.25Billion over 5 years.

This year is the "**Victory Stampede**" marking 100 years since the end of the Second World War. This year's poster was designed by Rebecca Shuttleworth a young artist, through a scholarship program. The Poster is one of the Stampede's key marketing tools and is widely distributed.

Dana then opened up the floor for questions. This sparked many and a wide variety of questions allowing him to expand on the various issues. Here is the one question that everyone expected....

What is going to happen to Rotary House? Dana does not know for sure. There are a lot of conflicting opinions and ideas about the building but he does know that they have gone the RFP (Request for Proposal) route for the 17th Avenue Access changes. The chosen design team will now finalize all the plans for this area and that will include a plan for Rotary House. **Stay tuned!**

This is a sampling of the questions that were proposed

- How does the Convention Centre compare with Houston or Edmonton?
- Tell us about your 6 year Community Plan
- Share with us what your average week looks like as a Volunteer
- What is your term as President?
- SAM Centre update?
- What about Parking?
- What is your position with the Event Centre?
- Construction issues and the 17th Avenue entrance changes?

Mark Ambrose thanked Dana for the update from the Stampede. As a Stampede Volunteer he mentioned that Dana has been instrumental in ensuring that all the Volunteer Committees are kept up to date on all the exciting changes coming to the Grounds

Dana speaks without notes or slides and it would not be possible to do justice to all of his comments with this summary. It is strongly recommend that if you missed the meeting or you want to know more that you go to the link below to view the video for this meeting:



Stampede President Presentation



THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South Club News



Good afternoon and welcome to the Rotary Club of Calgary South for June 13th. **President Ron** asked us to remember a long time past member **Howard Koskey** who just passed away. Howard's obituary is in the Bulletin.

Bulletin Editor: Sandy Dougall Photographer: Norm Legare

Head Table: Dana Peers, Craig Stokke, Liisa Lehtio, Lucas Rasmusson, Jim Bladon, Dana Hunter

Please join Lisa Fernandes in the singing of O Canada and Rotary Grace. It was really Lisa singing it today as we did not have a piano! Always great to hear her! Enjoy your lunch

Visitors and Guests: Blake Pelham introduced our Visitors and Guests today

50/50 Draw: **Bryan Burt** stopped eating his lunch to pull the winning ticket. **Kevin MacLeod** was the big winner of \$149.00



Sergeant-At-Arms: Lynn Grant Kevin MacLeod contributed \$20 along with Toby Oswald-Felker, George Deegan, Earl Huson and President Ron Prokosch for various and sundry things that just happened! President Ron was fined for the confusion last week over Parking. He provided an explanation and indicated that due to the problem the Stampede have compted our meal. That is the Club was compted not the members for those that asked!

Health and Wellness: Larry Koper is home and making progress. **Leon Popik** has a new hip. **Don O'Dwyer** also had a hip replacement and is back home. Someone suggested this is a real "Hip" club!

RYLA: Liisa Lehtio and Lucas Rasmusson: Liisa and Lucas brought us all up to date on RYLA. Thanked us for giving them opportunity to attend the Leadership Conference. Liisa also got a pitch in for the Internal Shelterbox Dinner Fundraiser in Okotoks this weekend.



Dream Home Kick Off Party: Toby Oswald Felker Toby reminded us all of some details of the Dream Home Kick-Off on July 4th

- Heritage Park Historical Park
- 10.30 to 1pm. Gates open at 10.00
- Registration on line Deadline is firm at June 28
- Volunteers free. Register them in Comment Box.
- Parking will be free. Remember your license plate number!
- Great Meal, Great Entertainment

Dream Home Minute: **Jim Bladon** gave us a quick overview of Dream Home. He still needs to fill **120 seller shifts**. Go into SLIMS or send a note to shifts@rotarycs.org.

Training is still taking place and if you have not attended sign up very soon. (Even for this Bulletin Editor the selling process looks easy and fun).

For those of you that are interested in seeing the Dream Home Click Here: http://dreamhome.homesbyavi.com/2019/







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Special Recognition: President Ron asked **Dorothea Schaab** to come forward and presented her with a Building Community Pin. Dorothea, a 14 year member, and this year a Board Member has done yeoman service in the Youth Services portfolio

Host Families for 2019/20: Dorothea Schaab: Calgary South Rotary Club is recruiting Host Families for the 2019-2020 Exchange year. Our incoming exchange student is Carlota Ferrer from Barcelona and she arrives in late August. The time that she will spend with her host families will be from two to four months. It is our goal that she will have the opportunity to stay with three to four families to provide broad cultural experiences. This is a unique experience; it broadens awareness of other cultures, builds life-long friendships, and introduces the student and family to many new adventures. Please contact **Dorothea Schaab or Walter Flores** for more information on the Host Family program.



Rotary Golf at Glencoe Golf & Country Club

When Thursday June 20, 2019
Times 2:20 pm, 2:30 pm and 2:40 pm



If you would like to play please contact Tom Walton at: (403) 274 6101 or email: tewalton@shaw.ca

ROTARY T-SHIRTS: ROTARY PEOPLE OF ACTION

Incoming DG Christine Rendell sent an email to everyone in our district for orders of "Rotary People of Action" t-shirts. An order form was circulated at meetings and we ordered 53 shirts of the over 500 + shirts ordered for our district. Final price per shirt was \$10.50.

Hans Tiedemann has been wearing his t-shirt at the last 2 meetings while distributing and collecting money for the pre- ordered shirts. Many people like the shirts and have asked if they could get one of these "Rotary People of Action" t- shirts and were disappointed when I told them they were pre-ordered. Hans is willing to try to get a second order done.

AS A PRELIMINARY INDICATION ONLY (not an official order) please send Hans an email to:

htiedemann@shaw.ca to advise of men or ladies "Rotary People of Action" t-shirt and size and quantity that you might order. I will pass this to Christine Rendell to combine with other possible orders and decide if to ask for the official orders from each club and also advise if the initial price of \$10.50 would still hold with a second order. All of this will take a couple of months and you will know once I know. Thanks—Hans Tiedemann

HAVE A GREAT ROTARY WEEK



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August 1, 1929 – Winnipeg, Manitoba June 9, 2019 – Calgary, Alberta

Howie Koskey; of Calgary, passed away on Sunday, June 9, 2019 at the age of 89 years.

Howie was born and raised in Winnipeg. He married Margaret (nee Rustige) in 1951 in Winnipeg and they lived in Regina prior to moving to Calgary in 1970. Howie was a well-known Food Broker, operating Koskey Food Brokers. For the past ten years, Howie enjoyed playing crib for two days a week at Carewest Glenmore Park.

Howie is survived by his daughter and son-in-law Debbie and Jim McLeod of Calgary; grand-son Jared McLeod and granddaughter Jessica (Brian) Smith and their daughters, Abigail and Ashley. He is also survived by two brothers, Robert (Angie) Koskey and Warren Koskey. Howie will be remembered by his many friends who he brought joy and laughter into their lives.

Condolences may be forwarded through www.McInnisandHolloway.com

In living memory of Howie Koskey, a tree will be planted at Fish Creek Provincial Park by McINNIS & HOLLOWAY FUNERAL HOMES, Fish Creek, 14441 Bannister Road SE, Calgary, AB, T2X 3J3, Telephone: 403-256-9575.

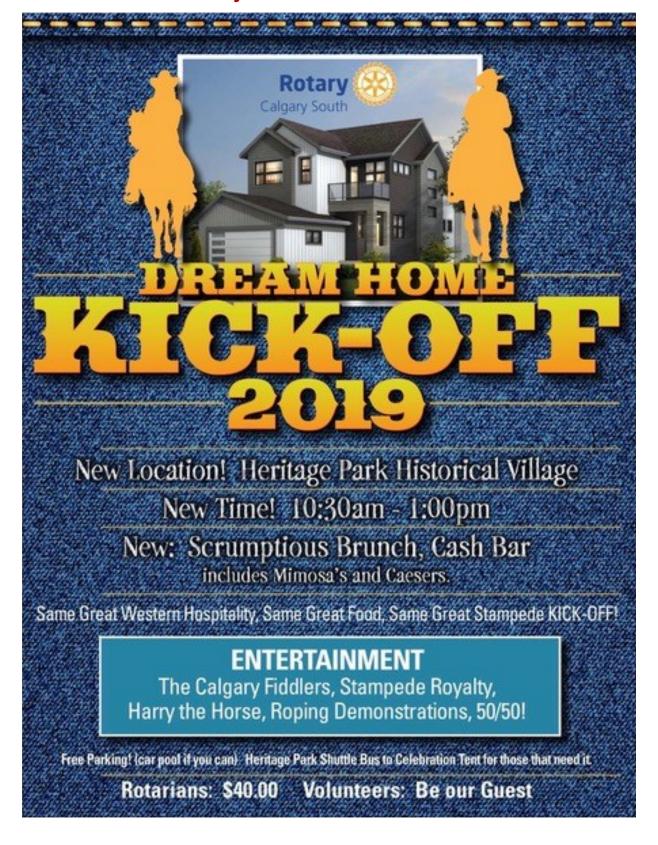


THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South 2019 Dream Home Kick off at Heritage Park



Here is the link to Register: https://portal.clubrunner.ca/952/Event/2019-dream-home-kick-off

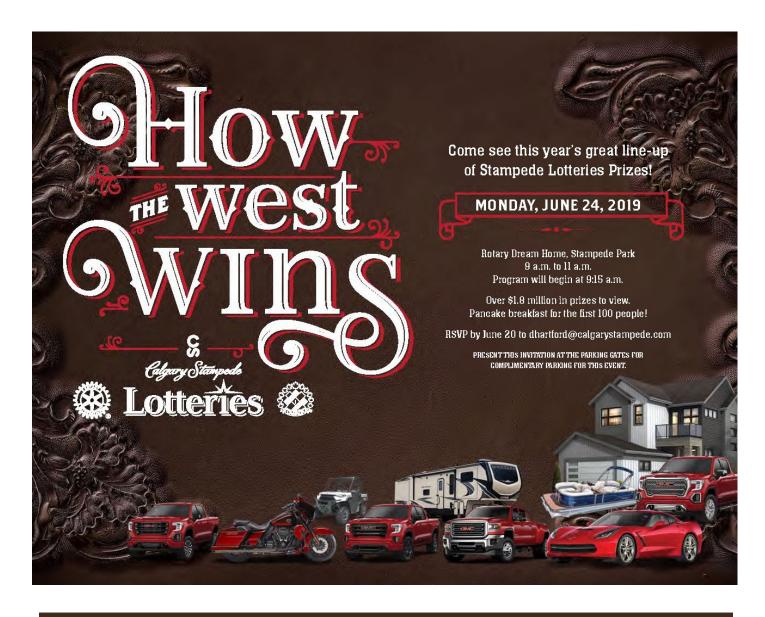
Remember to list your Guests in the "Comments" Section





THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South Dream Home Matters: Lottery Prize Preview





LOTTERY PRIZE PREVIEW

JUNE 24 2019 AT ROTARY DREAM HOME, STAMPEDE PARK: 9:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FOR THE FIRST 100 PEOPLE.

RSVP TO: dhartford@calgarystampede.com

Present this invite at the parking gates for complimentary parking



THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South RCCS Needs Host Families





Host Families Needed

The Rotary Club of Calgary South requires host families for our 2019 / 2020 Inbound Student Carlota Ferrer who is 15 years old and will be arriving from Barcelona



Who Can Be A Host Family?

- Any caring and responsible family with an interest in hosting a young person from another land.
- Families with small children make great host families. Young children experience having a Big Brother or Sister; Exchange students may share a new language for the young children.
- "Empty Nesters" or retired couples often have more time than younger families to spend with the exchange student and they enjoy having a young person to host.
- Families with high school age children help the exchange student integrate into the school activities.
- Single parent families or single adults make good hosts.
- Families do not need to be affiliated with Rotary to host Rotary Exchange Students.



The typical length of stay is about two to four months. This provides the student with an opportunity to experience different cultures and family traditions. The student is in Calgary from late August 2019 to early July 2020.

To learn more about becoming a Host Family visit: https://vimeo.com/339149005











THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South Dinner Club





Jim Burns sent this photo of a recent Dinner Club! The Brick's, the Burn's, the Bunting's and the Filipski's had a great evening enjoying friendship and food together





THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South Liisa's Literary Lore



On Monday, **Penny Leckie** took me to do horseback riding with few other lovely ladies. I really enjoyed the trip and the views were amazing!

My last day of school was on Tuesday so now I'm on summer break and have more time to see and do different things! I have a month left in Canada, my flight is on the 10th of July.

On Wednesday I went to a hike with the Hiking Club. It was a sunny hot day and I got to see the Elbow Falls! After that I gave a presentation to the Partners at their dinner meeting.

On Saturday, the 15th of June there's the Shelterbox Fundraiser Dinner in Okotoks United Church! There's still a plenty of tickets left so you can still go get your tickets!

Go online to:

internationaldinner5360.weebly.com and scroll down to the end of the page. Then click "ONLINE TICKET FORM" fill your name and choose the meal you want.

If this seems too challenging, email me: liisa.lehtio@gmail.com and I'll get your tickets for you. No matter which way you choose to order your tickets, you pay for them once you arrive at the Dinner. Credit/Debit/Cash. Hopefully I'll see you there!

Liisa







THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South Hiking Club



A big group of hikers (14) enjoyed the day at Elbow Falls with a not so flat, as advertised, hike up a nearby hill. We covered over 5 km. with sightings of blue clematis and violets both white and purple. At the end we spotted an enormous mushroom. We had lots of new hikers including our exchange student Liisa. The views of Elbow Falls and the channel of the river have changed since the flood. After our strenuous climb we had lunch by the river where some dipped their toes in the water. Some sought shade but all had ice cream in Bragg Creek after our hike.

Submitted by: Pat Farn









HIKERS: Wednesday: June 19th: We plan to visit Ptarmigan Cirque, near the Highwood Pass, S. on Hwy #40. This loop is 5km in length, with a height gain of 230m. This offers wonderful views and probably meeting a flock of Big-horn sheep. For more information, contact: PHIL JACKSON at: philipackson@platinum.ca or call 403-931-4018.



THE BULLETIN of The Rotary Club of Calgary South **Partners In Print**



Redwood Meadows Golf Day:

The day stayed sunny and we had a fun golf game followed by a lovely lunch at Redwood

Meadows. Doreen Devitt organized it and Marie Jarvis, Carole Brawn, Naegi Nigg, Pat

Burns, Pat Farn and Noelle Read came to enjoy. Picture by Noelle Read.

Submitted by: Pat Farn



PARTNERS LUNCH BUNCH

We are truly at the end of this Partner's year so I thought some of us might like to meet at the Bow Valley Ranche Restaurant in Fish Creek Park (5979 Bow Bottom Trail) for lunch on June 20th at 11.30 am. Here is the link to the Lunch Menu:

https://www.bvrrestaurant.com/lunch-menu/

I chose this for a summer time lunch as we are so lucky to have such an amazing park in our city and it is quite central to us all.

If you can join us please let me know by phoning 403-246 **-0497** or emailing marenny@shaw.ca by the June 19th.

Submitted by: Maureen Watson



\$ June 17th Rotary Partners Book Club Wind-up Luncheon **⋘ <u>Time</u>:** Be ready to start at 10:30 am Place: Elbow Valley Residence Club at: 100 Misty Morning Drive Directions: Go west on Highway 8 to the lights at Lott Creek Blvd. Turn left. At the T sintersection turn right on Lott Creek Drive. Follow it until you reach Misty Morning Drive. Turn right and the club house is on your right. Program: Please return the books you have borrowed and be ready to share what you have been reading. Lunch: Please bring your "salad ingredients" to add to salads. Maureen Watson has the list. No need to email your attendance as we hope to see everyone who agreed to bring "salad" ingredients. We are looking forward to this fun event. Submitted by: Maureen Hutchens and Jane Topp



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JUNE 2019: ROTARY FELLOWSHIP

June 20: Small Grants Charity Day Presentation

June 27: Changing of the Guard: Must park in Lot 10 or 11: Golf Cart will shuttle

JULY 2019:

July 4: Dream Home Kickoff Breakfast: Heritage Park Celebration Tent: 10:30 am

Here's the link to Register for DH Kickoff: https://portal.clubrunner.ca/952/Event/2019-dream-home-kick-off

July 11: No Meeting: On Park: Dream Home Ticket Selling

July 18: East Village Centre: Walking Tour (Details to be announced soon)

July 25: No Meeting: Stay In School Golf Tournament

AUGUST 2019

Aug 1: Inaugural Address

Aug 8: Melissa D'Souza/Lucy Mrakawa: "gutChek" Presentation

Aug 15: Alberta Narratives Project

Aug 22: Outbound YEX Student Presentation: Kaylee Quinney

Aug 29: President Chas Birthday Celebration

SEPTEMBER 2019

Sept 5: Glen Street (CEO): Street Characters

Sept 12: RCCS YouthLink Site Tour Sept 19: Janice McTighe: Renfrew Sept 26: CRCF Campaign Kick off

OCTOBER 2019

Oct 3: Returning YEX Student Presentation
Oct 10: District Governor Visit: Christine Rendell

Oct 17: Cambodian Dancers

Oct 24: Kent Fraser: ShelterBox Presentation

Oct 31: Rotary International Foundation Campaign Kick off

NOVEMBER 2019

Nov 7: Colin Glassco: Zambia Eye Clinics

Nov 11: Rotary Remembers at the Carriage House Nov 21: Sylvia Whitworth: Skilled Trades Training

Nov 28: TBA

Health, Wellness & Transportation for June 2019

Contact Hugh Delaney at: hughdelaney02@gmail.com or: 403-255-0422 or 403-819-4872 if you know of anyone that is not well, that could use a visit or a ride to a Rotary Meeting.



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