

So what about the Pot O' Gold?

I have been asked how Members may contribute to the “pension fund” created for our Rotary Club, known as “**The Perennial Fund**”.



As a reminder, I spoke of this fund during my mid-year address to the Club. At the Club's Board of Directors' meeting held on January 18, 2021 the Directors voted unanimously to create “**The Perennial Fund**”.

The terms of **The Perennial Fund** provide the Fund's principal will remain intact to be used only for substantial capital commitments such as preservation or improvement to Rotary House or creation of a new building, if required. Any capital gains realized in The Perennial Fund will be reinvested as part of the account's capital. Annual income earned in The Perennial Fund will be deposited into the Club's operating account to be used for the Club's general operations.

The Perennial Fund has received some deposits and has been established. If you would like to contribute to The Perennial Fund, please send a cheque payable to: The Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park. The cheque should be mailed to **Treasurer Don Mintz at 22 Meadow Pointe Drive, Heritage Pointe, AB T1S 3M8**. Please indicate on the cheque it is for deposit to the Club's **Perennial Fund**.

Please note a contribution to The Perennial Fund does not qualify as a charitable donation for tax purposes. Businesses may be able to treat the contribution as a business promotion expense.

Members wanting to pay their outstanding Sergeant at Arms fines may send cheques to the same address with a note it is for Sergeant at Arms fines.



As a sidebar, I feel luckier than a leprechaun to be a Member of one of the best Rotary Clubs, Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park, and I feel like I have found the Pot of Gold, at the end of the rainbow, to serve as the Club's President for the 2020-2021 year.



President Penny Leckie

Good afternoon Rotarians and Guests. Welcome to the March 11th meeting of the Rotary Club of Calgary at Stampede Park. I am the Club's President for 2020/2021 – Penny Leckie



We have had quite a bit of sad news this week.

Jim and Pat Burns' son, Jeff, passed away. I chatted briefly with Pat, and she said even though they knew it was coming, it hurts now that it has happened. She said Jeff is in a better place.

Long time member of this Club, **Garth Nicholl** passed away in Kelowna. I didn't know Garth well, but I do remember he had an incredible smile. He brought many members into this Club. His passing will be felt by quite a few of our members.

Doreen Devitt's brother in law, Victor passed away at 97 years.

DG Mary sent a note out Tuesday noting that former Calgary Rotarian Bill Fennell passed away in the Okanagan. I never knew Bill but some of our members knew him.

Let's pause for a moment of silence to remember these individuals. Please rise, and we will stay standing for O Canada.

Health and Wellness: For the months of March and April please contact **Rudy Ruberto** at 403 919 0908 or email: rudyruberto@gmail.com Let's change the tone now. Continuing with Health and Wellness, we do have some good news. **Ellen Smith** is starting her treatments at Tom Baker this week. Jim and Ellen have sold their house. They are moving to a place just down the hall from **Norm and Doreen Devitt**, where it will be easier for Ellen to move around. I have a feeling there will be some misbehaviour and a lot of laughter in that hallway.

ALOYAHOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOHA. Again, that famous Irish word calling out the ugly green shirt brigade. How exciting to see so many ugly green shirts participating in our St. Paddy's Day celebration.

I went for a drive in the country on Tuesday afternoon and blew a little carbon out. Between that, the beer in my hand, and wearing this rebel ugly green shirt, I feel like I might make it through the rest of the week...

I love St. Paddy's Day. It's when I get to pretend I am Irish. Kind of like Christmas, when I get to pretend I am Good. Welcome to all our guests. You are in for a great time. I hope you enjoy yourselves.

Bulletin Editor: Sandy Dougall Photographer: Clive Pringle

Partners: On Wednesday, March 17th, officially St. Patrick's Day, the Partners are hosting a St. Patrick's Day Drive By. They will be in the South corner of the parking lot at South Centre, (where the Sears Entrance used to be) at 1 pm. Decorate your vehicle. Decorate yourself. They are collecting items for the Food Bank. I am going to Drive By, and it would be fun to see others out as well.

RCCSP Party Line: I spent some time on the Party Line organized by the Member Mentoring committee, on Tuesday. I thoroughly enjoyed it, and highly recommend it. Not sure when the next one is, but if you are looking to have a visit with some fellow members, it's one way to stay connected.



Delta Hotel Event: Last Thursday, some of the Members of our Club attended an event at the Delta Hotel, organized by Corrine Wilkinson with the assistance of Joe Connelly. Business promotion is not allowed during Rotary meetings, but these are fellow Rotarians trying to find new ways to conduct their business in very challenging circumstances. I want to applaud the creativity and ingenuity that went into organizing the event, as well as the thoughtful consideration that went into making it safe and enjoyable for everyone. Let's give a shout out to all our Members who are finding new ways to generate business. Each of you deserves recognition for trying to keep our economy thriving. Thank you for all you are doing and hang in there.



Sergeant-At-Arms: Keith Davis was Sergeant today and guess what.... Irish Questions

- ◇ What is the Ring of Kerry? 120K coast road starting at Kilkenny
- ◇ What is the Blarney Stone? A limestone stone hanging on top of a Tower. Have to lie down and hang out to kiss it!
- ◇ Did anyone ever get injured kissing it? Yes, his buddy let go of his feet and he fell 85 feet.
- ◇ Do you have the gift of the Gab? Yes, Keith has it!
- ◇ What do Irish Families have that stay outside? No not their cows.... Paddio Furniture



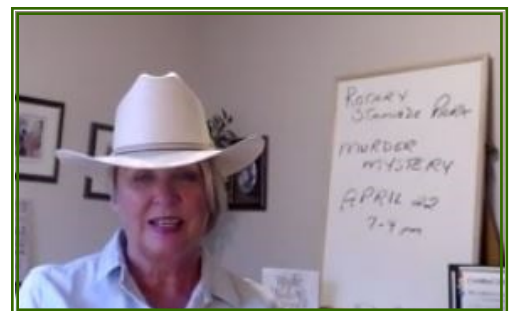
Bill LeClair: I am sure by now many of you have heard about Bill LeClair being interviewed yesterday on CBC's morning EyeOpener program about recovering a lost wallet. This fits with our program today. I know LeClair does not seem like an Irish name, but somewhere in Bill's family tree, there is some Irish blood, because he certainly had the luck of the Irish with this one. I can't help but wondering if his real name is O'LeClair. For those of you who haven't heard about this, Kathyann will have a link in today's Bulletin. I listened to the story on the radio. Turns out all the money was taken out of the wallet, except for a penny. But, Bill, I wonder what the value of the free advertising is? Would it be worth \$100 bucks? Do you agree? It's probably worth more, but we can settle on that. That said, you should get credit for the cash you lost in 1984. In those days, people walked around with quite a bit of cash. Would it be reasonable to give you credit for \$95 you lost back then, so you net \$5 to the pot today? Finally, what are you going to do with that lucky penny? I know you have a grandchild. I think you should get that penny put into some sort of keepsake with a shamrock, maybe a horseshoe, and give it to your grandchild. You can tell them the story, give them the keepsake, and they will always have good luck.



Editors note: Bill was a valued client at the Bank I worked at. I even remember his Account. The Calculator account #761-289. Thanks Bill for some old memories of old Visa Cards and Bank Books!

New Member Event: Murder Mystery: Sharyl Madigan is Chair of our New Members Committee and encouraging all of us to attend the event that they are organizing for April 22nd. Please review the poster in the bulletin. Here's the link for the Murder Mystery: <https://youtu.be/SPES32PLGvk>

Drivers Need: Kathy Demorest is requesting drivers for our next Door to Door Fellowship Campaign. Please email her at: kathy-lynn@shaw.ca to volunteer to deliver and visit.



I am going to turn it over to Joe Connelly to lead our St. Paddy's Day celebration.



ST PADDY WELCOME

The best audience is intelligent, well educated and a little drunk - Alben Barkley

There will be no singing from Joe. There will be singing from special guest; Mr. Hugh Delaney. How cool is this? Social committee goodie bag and **BEER!!!** Candies, cookies, chocolates and **BEER!!!** Crossword puzzle and word search and **BEER!!!**

Brief instructions on making a **green** beer. GET YOUR BEERS OUT. Just a drop or two. Mark Ambrose – you are not adding a Jägermeister!



**MAY GOD BLESS AND KEEP YOU ALWAYS
MAY YOUR WISHES ALL COME TRUE
MAY YOU ALWAYS DO FOR OTHERS
AND LET OTHERS DO FOR YOU
MAY YOU BUILD A LADDER TO THE STARS
AND CLIMB ON EVERY RUNG
MAY YOU STAY FOREVER YOUNG**

CHEERS TO EVERYONE!!



Every year, I get up talk about one of my pet peeves and I guess many others feel the same way... It is "PADDY" not "PATTY" Say: Paddy, Paderick, Patrick, Pod, Pad **NOT** Patty

Scavenger Hunt: Joe challenged us all to come up with the following items:

Guinness, A 3 leaf clover, something from Ireland (57 % plan to celebrate), Picture of yourself drinking, Picture of a fellow Rotarian drinking, Pot of Gold (over \$6billion), Leprechaun (a picture, no a real one) Irish Flag, Tam O Shan'ter and a flute

Winners of the Scavenger Hunt, were who else but the Hutchens'. It is not fair- they should have been disqualified for Jim allowing Maureen to keep all that Irish stuff in the House!



Video:

Naked Irish Dancing: you had us at the lead in:

<https://youtu.be/PmMSBn7gtiU>

St Paddy: A Grand Story for the Centuries

On St Paddy's Day, we wear the green, pin the shamrock on, march in parades and celebrate our Irish national identity through music, parties and amicale. Don't bother looking up the meaning of amicale...It is a made up word...but Irish people do that!

All around the world, international icons such as the Hudson River, the Eiffel Tower and Sydney Opera House are bathed in green to celebrate this day. The brand of St Patrick is the envy of every marketing manager as it has local and universal appeal. 32 million Americans claim to be of Irish descent, 7 times the population of Ireland.

- ♦ Total spent for mostly one day is over \$6 billion
- ♦ 174% increase in beer consumption
- ♦ 153% increase in spirit consumption



History

St Patrick was born in Britain around the end of the fourth century and was from a prestigious family. As a teen, he was kidnapped and taken to pagan Ireland to work as a slave.

St. Patrick's father was a deacon in the church so he was very devout and prayed every day. St. Patrick eventually escaped and returned to his family in Britain. Later in Britain, he had a dream which he interpreted as a cry for help from the people of Ireland.

He then returned to Ireland as a missionary and traveled through the land preaching and converting people to Christianity. He soon became a Bishop and established the church in Armagh which became the religious capital of Ireland for centuries.



Legend drove the snakes out of Ireland. Not many snakes in Ireland to begin with...

WC Fields: "I always keep a supply of stimulant handy in case I see a snake – which I also keep handy".

It is likely that we would not have heard much of St Patrick if not for a humble monk named Muirchu. Three hundred years later, Muirchu was commissioned to write the Life of St Patrick.

With plenty of embellishment, St Patrick emerges from Muirchu's book as a kind of superhero battling the Druids with better magic to overcome them. All of this helped to establish the legend of St Patrick.

I now introduce a good friend that I have know for 35 years, 35 years!

George Deegan with a letter from home....

Dear Son,

Just a few lines to let you know I'm still alive and kicking and I'm writing this letter slowly because I know you can't read very fast ...we are all doing well.

You won't recognize the house when you get home - as we have moved.

Your dad read in the newspaper that most accidents happen within 20 miles from your home, so we moved 20 miles away.

I won't be able to send you the address because the last Irish family that lived here took the house numbers when they moved so they wouldn't have to change their address.

The place is so nice, it even has a washing machine! I'm not sure it works so well though; Last week I put a load in and pulled the chain and I haven't seen the clothes since.

Your father has got a really good job now. He has got 500 men under him. He is cutting grass at the cemetery.

I went to the doctor on Thursday and your father went with me. The doctor put a small tube in my mouth and told me not to talk for ten minutes. Your father offered to buy it from him.

Your brother Tom is still in the army. He's only been there a short while and they've already made him a court martial.

Your uncle Patrick drowned last week in a vat of whisky in the Dublin Brewery. Some of his workmates tried to save him but he fought them all off bravely.

I'm sorry to say that your cousin Seamus was arrested while riding his bicycle last week. they charged him with dope peddling.

The weather isn't so bad here. it only rained twice this week - first for three days and then for four days...

And that coat you wanted me to send you, your Uncle Stanley said it would be too heavy to send in the mail with the buttons on so we cut them off and put them in the pockets. You should get it next week.

Your silly sister locked the keys in the car yesterday and it took two hours to get me and your father out.

And you remember the Murphy's? Sadly the Murphy's had a tough week. The three brothers went off a bridge in their pick up truck. Ralph was driving and he was lucky. He rolled down the window, climbed out and swam up to safety. The other two brothers were in the back box when the truck went over. They hit the water hard and sunk quickly. They almost drowned because they couldn't get the tailgate down.

That is the news from home. Be good and say your prayers.

Love Mom,

P.S. I was going to send you some money but I had already sealed the envelope.



The Social Committee organized a great Video with Joe Connelly visiting New Level Brewing.

Drew at New Level Brewing (www.newlevelbrewing.ca) gave us a great tour and told us all about the process and their various products.

The Social Committee delivered a beer to you this week and I hope you enjoyed it.

Looking for a tour.... Visit them at: New Level Brewing 7005 Fairmont Drive SE.



If you missed the meeting take a look at the video and see another example of the fine work put together by Steve and Jamie.

New Level Brewery Video: <https://vimeo.com/520225637>

Sorry Stan I can't hear you ...did you say ROADTRIP!!! I thought I heard ROADTRIP!!!

TOP TEN IRISH TOASTS OR SAYINGS FOR 2021

- * WE DON'T GET DRUNK WE GET AWESOMER.
- * ALCOHOL IS NOT THE ANSWER – BUT IT DOES MAKE YOU FORGET THE QUESTION.
- * BETTER A BELLY BURST THEN GOOD LIQUOR LOST.
- * SILENCE IS GOLDEN, - DUCT TAPE IS SILVER.
- * DON'T WORRY ABOUT WHAT PEOPLE THINK, -THEY DON'T DO THAT VERY OFTEN.
- * MARRIAGE IS A WONDERFUL INSTITUTION, - BUT WHO WANTS TO LIVE IN AN INSTITUTION.
- * ALCOHOL DOESN'T SOLVE YOUR PROBLEMS BUT - NEITHER DOES MILK.
- * A MEAL WITHOUT BEER IS CALLED BREAKFAST.
- * "IT IS BETTER TO SPEND MONEY LIKE THERE'S NO TOMORROW THAN TO SPEND TONIGHT LIKE THERE'S NO MONEY!"

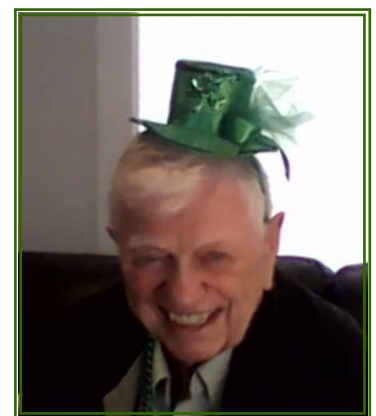
And the number one top Irish toast for 2021....

WHO'S YOUR PADDY?

Hugh Delaney Sings: Here is the meeting link to listen to Hugh:

<https://youtu.be/rw4tGxZegBE>

Our host today **Joe Connelly** ended his portion of the meeting by saying: Always remember, regardless of what you wear on St Paddy's Day, You are unique ... JUST LIKE EVERYONE ELSE...MAKE IT A GREAT WEEK!



Thank you to Joe and his “work crew” for an amazing meeting ...

Thank you so very much to everyone who has played a role in creating our St. Paddy's Day celebration. You never let us down and every year, it is one of the highlights of our programming.

Next Week's Meeting: It will be another special meeting, starting off with a tribute to Jack Black. Following Jack's tribute, Sue Ozdemir, CEO of Exro Technologies will speak to us.

In September, 2020, the Calgary Herald reported, "A former CEO at General Electric is banking that Calgary is the right place to scale up an innovative technology company that aims to improve the performance and efficiency of electric motors."

I am looking forward to hearing a good news business story for our city. Please plan to attend.



When we think of St. Patrick's Day, there is always talk about the luck of the Irish.

Speaking of luck, when I am first introduced to people, they often confuse the name "Leckie" with the word, "Lucky". It is compounded further by my first name, Penny, so they think my parents played a cruel joke calling me Penny Lucky, a twist on Lucky Penny.

I remember one time I had to substitute for another person I worked with to present at a tax seminar. I was a last minute stand in. When I arrived, I told the organizer I was there to replace the other person from my firm, and I introduced myself as Penny Leckie. He looked at me quizzically, and said, did you say "Penny Lucky"? I said, no, it is Penny Leckie, but don't feel bad, I get "Lucky" a lot. He replied, well we don't need to announce that do we?

So, as we close our St. Patrick's Day celebration, my wish is that wherever you go, whatever you do, may the luck of the Irish be there with you.

Commenting once more on the lucky penny left in Bill LeClair's wallet, I know before the day is over, one or two of you are going to send an email to me, saying, "that wasn't a lucky penny, that was a "bad penny", haha... referring to the old story that you can't shake a "bad penny". Well, I will save everyone the time of typing, and will say, you guys should be lucky enough to have a "bad penny".

And speaking of lucky enough, always remember, if you're lucky enough to be Irish, you're lucky enough.

Have a great week everyone.

And again, here's the meeting link from today: <https://youtu.be/rw4tGxZegBE>

The Rotary Leprechaun, his Irish Colleen and other equally wonderful leprechauns delivered gifts today to these wonderful Rotarians with a lilt in their voices.



A finishing note to say Thank you!

To our sponsors:

- ♦ New Level Brewing
- ♦ Wells' Crossing Cattle Company
- ♦ Glen & Jeannette Richardson

Thank you to **Steve Mason and Joe Connelly** for their time and work in making the video!! Thanks so much to your hard working and dedicated **Social Events Team** who have baked, shopped, wrapped and donated items for your beautiful green St Paddy's Goody Bag that came along with your Craft Beverage from New Level Brewing and fancy St Paddy's card featuring our RCCSP Executive!

None of this would be possible without all the volunteers that drive to each of your homes to deliver your gift.

LASTLY Thank you to all our fellow members for taking the time to answer the phone when we call and answer the door when we knock, to share a distanced hug and a warm "Hello, how are you?"
Happy St Patrick's Day ----- CHEERS!!!



RCCSP Member Bill LeClair makes headlines!!!!

Bill LeClair's wallet was stolen from the law office in 1984 but popped up bizarrely 37 years later ...

Click the link here to see the story:

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/calgary/stolen-wallet-returned-calgary-decades-later-1.5944272>





NEW MEMBER EVENT MURDER MYSTERY



The New Member Event Committee under the guidance of Sharyl Madigan, Chair are hosting a Murder Mystery Night via Zoom on the evening of **April 22nd, 2021.**

There is a dual goal of raising much-needed funds for our Club and engaging new and not new members for fun(d) raising.

Cost: \$150 per individual for the game link which includes: 1 Wine and Cheese gift bag

\$ 50 per one additional partner (date)

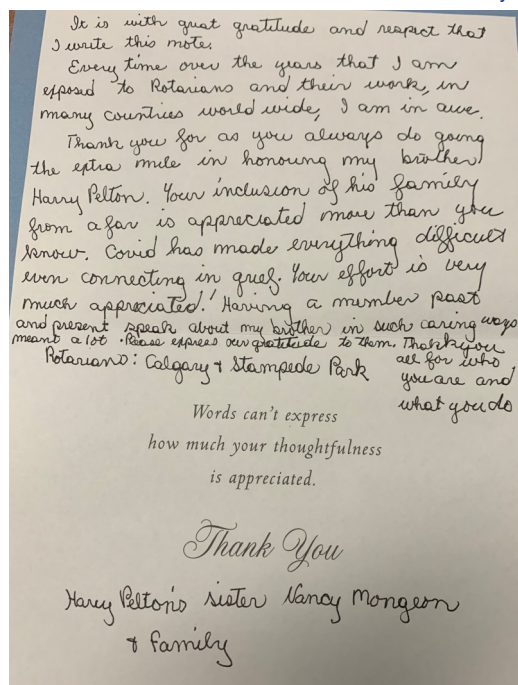
\$ 75 per additional Wine and Cheese gift bag

Additional items for purchase on the evening include a Treasure Chest Silent Auction, special on-line wine sale area and more ...

We would like Club Members to purchase a game link etc. for themselves and a date, plus consider additional links for business, friends and family who can all then bid on stuff that evening!

HARRY PELTON

Harry's sister, Nancy Mongeon and family wanted to pass along this thank you card to everyone at RCCSP for the tribute to Harry Pelton

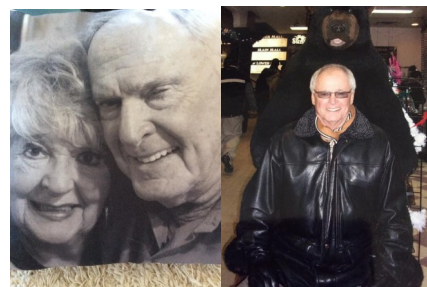


GARTH NICHOLL

It is with great sadness and a heavy heart that I want to inform you of the passing of Garth Nicholl. Garth passed away on March 5, 2021 with Mary and his family by his side.

Garth joined the club in 1974. Garth was President of the club in 1988/89 and was honoured the Clevel Award in 2007/08. He sat on many other committees over the years.

Mary lost her lifelong partner and best friend. She is doing as well as expected and knows that she has many friends in Partners & Rotarians. Garth will be missed by Rotarians and Partners



JEFF BURNS

October 26, 1960 – Calgary, Alberta—March 6, 2021 – Calgary, Alberta

We are deeply saddened to announce the peaceful passing of Jeff Burns on March 6, 2021. He is forever in our hearts as a loving husband and best friend to Kim, and devoted Dad to Lilly and Adam.

He was dearly loved, and will be dearly missed, in Calgary and New Brunswick as a son (Jim & Pat), brother (Scott, Karen), son-in-law (Joan), brother-in-law (Tracy, Chris, Brian & Dianne, Penny & Vernon, Angela & Paul, Tim & Kelli, Colin & Ellen, Colleen), and uncle (Lauren, Clayton, Jared, Avalin, Declan, Nick, Jonathan, Kyle, Alex, Scott, Julie, Loren, Marcia, Rosalyn, Amy, Kristofer, Monique, Dylan, James).

Jeff will be remembered for many remarkable qualities. He was a life-long Calgarian and a proud business owner. However, Jeff will be most remembered for his personal integrity, warm friendship, sense of humour, and immense musical talents.

In recent years, Jeff received excellent care in numerous departments at Foothills Medical Centre. He particularly appreciated the treatment expertise and compassionate care of Dr. Scot Dowden and Dr. Victor Jimenez-Zepeda at the Tom Baker Cancer Centre.

Keeping with public health restrictions on gatherings and travel, a public funeral will not be held. A time will come when we can share a story with a hug. To those who find comfort in their grief through donation, please consider the Terry Fox Foundation or your local food bank.

In living memory of Jeff Burns, a tree will be planted in the Ann & Sandy Cross Conservation Area by McInnis & Holloway Funeral Homes, Park Memorial, 5008 Elbow Drive SW, Calgary, AB T2S 2L5, Phone: 403- 243-8200.



Disinfect your ride with Lube Town's vehicle sanitization service. In support of our community, this service is FREE for front line workers. Amy Giang, Owner

of Lube Town and RCCSP Rotarian has kindly offered this to our Rotary Club free of charge with no purchase necessary <https://www.facebook.com/LubeTown/photos/a.584288988368315/2304477609682769/>



Calgary Stampede Lotteries (CSL) advertising campaign

Greetings - I wanted to give you the head's up reminder that we begin our paid and organic Calgary Stampede Lotteries (CSL) advertising campaigns over the next two weeks. Very exciting news on the Rotary Dream Home, Kinsmen Prizes and Stampede Showband.

The teaser email comes out on March 10th and the VIP Early Bird announcements come on March 17th. Please keep an eye peeled!

In addition to receiving emails, CSL will produce shareable social media announcements that Rotary Club Members are encouraged to send to anyone they feel would benefit from the news that we're back and greater than ever. This is super exciting news....stay tuned!!

Be safe and remain strong - Cheers.

Jim Bladon

Chair

2021 Rotary Dream Home and 50/50

STAY IN SCHOOL REPORT CARDS FROM MENTORS

We really need to receive the most current Report Cards for the Students in our Stay In School Program.

Covid 19 has certainly had an impact on this and we would appreciate your help in getting to your students for these reports.

Please remind our Students that the contract they signed at the beginning indicated they should get the reports to us **within 15 days**. This report card requirement includes our Post Secondary Institute Students as well

Our job as Mentors is more difficult now and we want to extend a very special thank you to all our mentors, your many efforts are much appreciated.

If you have any questions please call me at: 403 686 0828 or email me at: ehuslink@telusplanet.net

Submitted by: Earl Huson



COMMUNITY KITCHEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



Volunteers are required for each of the following shifts at **Community Kitchens** at:
3751 - 21 Street NE to support the Good Food Box program. The shifts are from 1 pm to 4 pm approximately. Volunteers 18 and older are eligible to volunteer.

One more volunteer is required for a shift on **Wednesday, March 17**

Two more volunteers are required for shifts on:

Wednesday, March 31

Wednesday April 14

Wednesday, April 28

Wednesday May 12

Evening shifts starting at 5 pm will be available starting May 31.

Please contact **Dorothea Schaab** at 403 660 6232 or email: schaabd@gmail.com to confirm availability

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VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

<https://www.calgaryseniors.org/fast-track-volunteer-application>



THIS PROGRAM SUPPORTS SENIORS (65+)

WHO HAVE LIMITED SOCIAL SUPPORT (NO FRIENDS
OR FAMILY IN THE CITY) ... AND WHO NO LONGER DRIVE ...



DID YOU KNOW?

Law of Logical Argument - Anything is possible if you don't know what you are talking about.

Law of Public Speaking - A closed mouth gathers no feet.

Law of Commercial Marketing Strategy - As soon as you find a product that you really like, they will stop making it.

Law of Physical Surfaces - The chances of an open-faced jam sandwich landing face down on a floor, are directly correlated to the newness and cost of the carpet or rug.

Law of the Result - When you try to prove to someone that a machine won't work, it will.

Submitted by: Bev Ostermann

ST. PADDY'S DAY CROSSWORD AND WORD SEARCH ANSWERS FROM THE PACKAGE YOU RECEIVED FROM THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE DRIVERS

St. Patrick's Day

CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Across

- You'll find this at the end of the rainbow.
- Ireland's patron saint.
- This ring represents love, loyalty, and friendship.
- Ireland is nicknamed after this gemstone.
- The meaning of a four-leaf clover.
- Kissing this stone is said to give you good luck.
- If you don't wear this color on St. Patrick's Day, you might get pinched!

Down

- This Irish fairy will grant you three wishes if you catch him.
- This plant is the unofficial symbol of Ireland.
- The popular Irish cuisine is made of root vegetables and lamb.
- Due to Ireland's showery conditions and latitude, it's common to see these in the sky.
- The capital of Ireland.

St. Patrick's Day

WORD SEARCH ANSWERS

BLARNEY	GOLD	MARCH
CABBAGE	GREEN	PARADE
CLADDAGH	IRELAND	POT OF GOLD
CLOVER	IRISH STEW	RAINBOW
DUBLIN	LEPRECHAUN	SAINT PATRICK
EMERALD	LUCK	SHAMROCK



The Partners Executive invites you to come join us for a fun drive-by celebration!! We will be in the South corner of the parking lot at Southcentre (where Sears entrance used to be) at 1:00pm on Wednesday, March 17th. Decorate your vehicle! Decorate yourself!

We will be collecting items for the Food Bank

Submitted by Denise MacLeod, Partners President



Rotary Partners Book Club

On March 22nd we are having a Guest Author, Genevieve Graham attend our Zoom Meeting!

Genevieve Graham is from Halifax and is a well known writer of Historical Fiction. Genevieve will give a short talk and answer questions about her novels and the writing process. This so exciting for us!

Please let Maureen Hutchens know via email (mo_hutch@hotmail.com) if you would like the link to attend. We start at 9:30 am.

We hope to see all of our Book Club Members attend this fun event.

Submitted by: Jane Topp and Maureen Hutchens



<https://www.stayinschool.ca/>



In a year of so many "firsts" - here's a really good one!

The Stay in School Golf Tournament is hosting its first-ever online auction with the July 22 tourney. If there's something we've all learned to do it is shop online and support local. There's nothing more local than supporting our deserving, young children from Calgary in their dreams - their dream for an education and desire to make a difference in the world.

The auction will be "live" for bidding July 12 - 22 however you can check what we have on offer now! Go to <https://www.stayinschool.ca/> and click on "Auction" at the top. Items will be added as we receive them!



Stay in School Online Auction

Rotary  Club of Calgary
at Stampede Park



Do you want to be a part of history?

Donate to our club's first ever online auction for the Stay in School Golf Tournament

No donation is too small. There's no limit to how many items we receive. Contact Janet, Roselyn or Corinne to donate. Collecting items now!



PISCES

Those born from March 1st to March 20th are members of the **Pisces** sign. One born under the **Pisces** sign, can be recognized for their optimistic ambition and determination. For those who were born from March 21st to March 31st, they are members of the **Aries** sign.



ARIES

March babies are optimistic and happy

Compared to **babies** born in winter months, who tend to be more susceptible to depression and seasonal affective disorders, the arrival of warmer weather and blooming flowers seem to be reflected in the temperaments of **March** kiddos

Happy Birthday
Rotarians & Partners !

Karen Grant	Mar 2
Barbara Cichon	Mar 6
Hans Tiedemann	Mar 12
Allan Johnson	Mar 14
Shellie Marshall	Mar 16
David Read	Mar 17
Bonar Irving	Mar 19
Neill Magee	Mar 19
Norm Devitt	Mar 22
Len Hamm	Mar 24
Corinne Wilkinson	Mar 28
Joe Connelly	Mar 31
Tony Fisher	Mar 31

"The snow comes to life"
Photo taken by Corinne near Carburn Park



Happy March
Birthdays

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING:

Mar 18th Sue Ozdemir, CEO: Exro Technologies and
Tribute to Jack Black



Mar 25th DG Mary Turner / RCCSP Communications Strategy

Apr 1st Virgil Lowe: Telus Agriculture

Apr 1st CASINO

Apr 2nd CASINO

Apr 8th Keith Davis/Hugh Delaney 100 Years of Broadcasting:

Apr 15th Mario Stella Grant Presentation

Apr 22nd New Member Celebration

Apr 29th Rotary Profile: Jim Burns

May 6th Annual St. Mary's 4 Way Test

May 13th Ray Price, CEO: Sunterra

May 20th Annual Stay In School Luncheon

May 27th Annual Dream Home Kickoff

June 3rd World Community Service Presentation

June 10th U of C Veterinary School Presentation

June 17th Annual Charity Day Presentation

June 24th Changing of the Guard

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WEEKLY ZOOM MEETINGS

- **A link will be sent out every Monday or Tuesday**
- **There is a reminder an hour before the meeting and 10 minutes before the meeting**
- **You can share the link with friends and Partners**
- **Save the link and join us at Noon On THURSDAYS**
- **This meeting is recorded**
- **If anyone would like to join but struggles with Zoom please either help them or reach out to the Tech Committee or Kathyann for assistance**

