

#### **THE BULLETIN** of The Rotary Club of Calgary South

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#### 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**. 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** 



Do you want to watch this week's meeting? CLICK HERE: <u>https://bit.ly/2IKLIVc</u>

# Independent Living Resource Centre of Calgary (ILRCC)



The Independent Living Resource Centre of Calgary is one of the few agencies in the city serving complex cross disabilities and is dedicated to promoting and enabling all persons with disabilities to achieve their own level of independence. It's our mission to provide the best possible referrals, training, programs & activities, impacting the lives of thousands throughout the community. Donations allow us to continue to offer valuable programs and any donation made is matched by the Alberta Treasury Branch.

**Paul Brick introduced** Anna-Maria Korell. She has specialized in fund development in the not-for-profit sector for 25 years. She has worked for many organizations including Habitat for Humanity, Operation Eyesight Universal & The National Broadcast Reading Service.

Anna-Maria She now works for herself through Korell Strategies and currently represents the Independent Living Resource Centre of Calgary.

Anna-Maria is a 19-year Rotarian and is the President Elect for 2019-2020 for the Rotary Club East.

Anna-Maria currently lives in Canyon Meadows with her spouse Garry and many of their furry friends. (She has a rescue problem).

Her hobbies include singing, backwards camping and travelling.



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#### Mission

To empower disabled individuals by providing them with the opportunity to learn life-long social values through community involvement, allowing them to reach their full potential as an independent members of society.

#### Vision

To ensure equality and independence for all persons with disabilities. We will continue to work toward achieving our vision until there are no barriers for those with a disability.

#### ILRCC has served people with disabilities in Calgary for almost 35 years

ILRCC's unique programs support learning, building personal confidence, peer support and provide skills development through the following 3 vital programs:

#### LEARN: Lifelong Education & Awareness of Recreational Needs

- The only program of its kind designed to help integrate people with disabilities into society alleviating social isolation and fostering inclusion.
- Peer Support environment
- Programs include music and movement, fitness, sports, cooking, arts and various local attractions

#### **PEP: Personal Empowerment Program**

- Encourages self-advocacy and independence and assists people with disabilities to take ownership of the direction of their support.
- Offers transitional support through service navigation, self advocacy, referrals and resources such as RDSP, AISH, PDD and Access Calgary.
- Also offers learning opportunities through workshops, courses and presentations that help build life skills such as banking, budgeting, grocery shopping, wellness and cooking.

#### **Volunteer Program**

- Creates barrier-free volunteer opportunities for adults both with and without disabilities.
- Decreases social isolation, builds skills and improves the quality of life
- Provides connectedness and enhances community integration for persons with disabilities
- Provides volunteers with an opportunity to have a meaningful, productive role in society

#### Shawn's Story: What does ILRCC mean to me: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XtZ6DyzP378





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Good afternoon and Welcome to the Rotary Club of Calgary South for November 15, 2018

#### Joke for the day:

Three men are sitting naked in a sauna. Suddenly there is a beeping sound. The first man presses his forearm and the beeping stops. The two others look astonished. "Oh", he says, "I have a microchip under the skin of my arm and that's my pager". A moment later there is a ringing sound. The second man lifts his arm to his ear and starts talking. When he is done he explains, "I have a microchip in my arm and that's my mobile phone".

The third man, feeling somewhat left out, steps out of the sauna. After a few minutes he returns with a piece of toilet paper sticking out from between his buttocks. The two others look astonished. "*Oh, he explains, 'I-m just getting a Fax".* 

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

Head Table: Ed Gordon: Chair, Calgary Stampede Lotteries, Jason Azmier: First Vice Chair, Calgary Stampede Lotteries, Bruce Williams: Second Vice Chair, Calgary Stampede Lotteries (and a member of the Downtown Club), Lynn Grant: Past Chair, Calgary Stampede Lotteries, Sandy O' Conner: Director, Calgary Stampede, Paul Brick and Anna-Maria Korell: Guest Speaker

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Visiting Rotarians and Guests: Liisa Lehtio: YEX Student, Spencer Tomkinson: Guest of John Shield, Sandy O'Connor: Calgary Stampede, Bruce Williams: Downtown Rotary, Jason Azmier: Stampede Lotteries, Edward Gordon: Stampede Lotteries and Guest Speaker Anna-Maria Korell: President- Elect Calgary East

Rotarian from farthest away: He was too far away to be recognized, couldn't even see him.





# Presentation of cheque from Calgary Stampede:

**Ed Gordon** presented the cheque for \$569,324.82 after calling for recognition to past chairs.



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**MUSTARD SEED DOWNTOWN LUNCH SERVICE**: On Wednesday we served lunch. This is a new service that the Mustard Seed started in June. They do not have enough support yet to do it every day. Wednesday is the day they are trying to cover first. 10 volunteers served over 150 meals of hamburgers and pasta salad. Ben Steblecki was at the coffee station along with Earl Huson. I think they spilled as much coffee as they served. You club contributed \$1,000 towards the cost of the meal.

We will likely book a couple more lunch events in the New Year I have not had a chance to do a final count on the volunteers needed for Feed the Hungry on Sunday December 9. I may need a few more but not many. It is also a good idea to have a few spares in case someone has to cancel

#### Harry Pelton: Cell: (403) 585 - 2625 Home: (403) 244 - 9140



**YEX Student: Liisa Lehtio**: Our exchange student returned from a cross-Canada ringette tournament tour where she secured two medals. She is selling raffle tickets at \$10 each.

#### **Club and District News**

**The District 5360 Scholarship Team** is now ready to receive applications for the Global Grant Scholarship. Financed by a District Global Grant, these scholarships fund graduate study (normally masters' programs) outside of Canada in one of The Rotary Foundation's six areas of focus:

- Peace & Conflict Resolution/Prevention
- Disease Prevention & Treatment
- Water & Sanitation
- Maternal & Child Health
- Basic Education & Literacy
- Economic & Community Development

Candidates should be residents of District 5360 and preference is given to students starting new programs of study. The value of this scholarship is US\$30,000 and it is entirely funded by District Designated Funds and a World Fund Match. As per long-standing Rotary International policy, lineal descendants and ancestors of Rotarians are ineligible for Global Grant Scholarships.

A District 5360 Application Form and further information is available at: <u>http://www.rotary5360.ca/page/global-scholarship-funding</u>

The District 5360 Global Grant Scholarship application deadline is January 21, 2019. Currently supporting 3 students working on Global scholarship funding

#### 50/50 Draw: Lynn Topp won \$155

#### Meeting is adjourned

**Rotary House:** There is an event right after our November 22<sup>nd</sup> Meeting. Do not plan any committee meetings so that catering can set up.



**THE BULLETIN** of The Rotary Club of Calgary South 2018 RCCS Christmas Luncheon





# hri tma Luncheon

Thursday, December 13th Carriage House Inn

Cocktails 11:15 Luncheon 12:15 Turkey and all the trimmings - \$45/person

Seasonal songs and carols by the ever-popular St. Mary's Choir.

Enjoy the mastery of "Acclamation", the advanced handbell choir from First Baptist Church, under the direction of Anne Hergott.

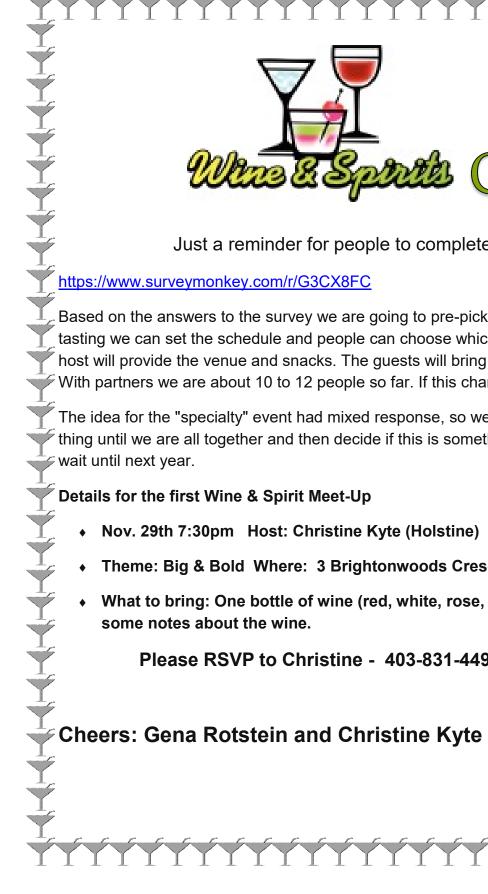
Bring a new, unwrapped toy worth \$15 or more for Charity (optional) and receive a free ticket in a raffle for a \$200 dining experience.

CLICK THE LINK BELOW TO REGISTER https://portal.clubrunner.ca/952/Event/2018-rotary-christmas-luncheon--carriage-house-inn



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# Just a reminder for people to complete the survey.

#### https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/G3CX8FC

Based on the answers to the survey we are going to pre-pick some themes and at our first tasting we can set the schedule and people can choose which theme they want to do. The host will provide the venue and snacks. The guests will bring the wine and their "notes."  $\checkmark$  With partners we are about 10 to 12 people so far. If this changes I will let you know.

The idea for the "specialty" event had mixed response, so we can hold off on planning anything until we are all together and then decide if this is something we do in the first year, or

#### **Details for the first Wine & Spirit Meet-Up**

- Nov. 29th 7:30pm Host: Christine Kyte (Holstine)
- Theme: Big & Bold Where: 3 Brightonwoods Crescent SE
- What to bring: One bottle of wine (red, white, rose, bubbly...) under \$30 with

Please RSVP to Christine - 403-831-4498 by Nov. 26th.



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







The last few weeks have been really busy for me, I was in Vancouver with my host family and had two ringette tournaments. I really enjoyed our trip to Vancouver, the ocean and the mountains were beautiful!

I playd with the Calgary ringette team in Vernon, BC, and we got silver! The next weekend I played with Sherwood Park team in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. We didn't have time to go to Edmonton, even though it's only a few minutes away from Sherwood Park, so I'm hoping to go there again some day.

I made Finish buns ("pulla") with my host helping me. They were good! I got to experience a "real" Halloween, because in Finland we don't really celebrate it, so it was interesting and fun!





I was in my first NHL hockey game but unfortunately The Flames lost. I still enjoyed the game and I hope that I could go to see another one! ... Liisa





# Rotary Partners Book Club November 19th 2018: The Calgary Golf and Country Club

Please be ready to start at 9:30 am. Cost is \$16.00. Try to have the correct change. Please let us know if you are COMING or NOT. You must confirm your attendance to Jane no later than noon on Thursday, November15th

Please bring the books you have enjoyed to share and return those you borrowed. We will be signing up for our Book Club Christmas Party. Maureen and I look forward to seeing you at CGCC!

Jane Topp: janetopp@shaw.ca

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Guest Speaker: Dr. Raylene Reimer, Professor (Nutrition) (Kinesiology in the Cummings School of Medicine, U of C) Tickets \$40.00- Guests Welcome!

Please R.S.V.P. by Wednesday, November 21 to Millie Huson 403-686-0828 or ehuslink@telusplanet.net. Send cheques payable to "Calgary South Rotary Partners" to: Karen Grant, 3927 Vancouver Crescent NW, Calgary AB T3A 0M2

Door Prizes! 50/50 Draw! Bring loonies and toonies for the Emergency Shelter Calgary Mustard Seed Do you require a ride? Please contact Denise MacLeod 403-771-1913.









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#### Health, Wellness & Transportation:

Contact **Dave Read** at: <u>nread@telusplanet.net</u> or: **403 271 5856** if you know of anyone that is not well, that could use a visit or a ride to a Rotary Meeting.

Did you miss a meeting? You can watch it here. Do you need a makeup? You can also pay \$20.00 to the Club and receive a makeup. Just click this link to go to our online meetings: <u>https://bit.ly/2IKLIVc</u> You can view any meeting for free but if you want a make up please remember to register at the bottom of the meeting list and pay \$20.00. Kathyann will receive a notification and she will record your makeup for you

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#### 2018 2019 Club Officers

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