



May 28, 2019

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**June 2019
Theme: Rotary Fellowship**

**Program Chair:
Walt Pawlovich**

Date	Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
Jun 4	Joe Dierker	Grant Devine	Bryan Tastad	Bob Devrome	Linda Suveges & Jane Richardson <i>Genealogy</i>	Jim Blackburn	Walt Pawlovich
Jun 11	Bryan Harvey	Jim Gillis	Norm Woodcock	John Hanlin	<i>Meeting at Oskayak High School</i>	NA	NA
Jun 18	Michael Gramiak	Kim Horan	Norm Woodcock	Eileen Harvey	Nich Fraser <i>Read Saskatoon</i>	Walt Pawlovich	TBA
Jun 25	Boris Kishchuk	Randy Kutcher	Bryan Tastad	Bob MacGillivray	<i>President's Reception</i>	NA	NA

Announcements

- Candace Odishaw announced we have a new, more compact name tag holder. There is no longer room to store your Rotary dollars so please take those home and bring them with you each week.
- Our June 11 meeting will be at Oskayak High School, 919 Broadway Avenue.
- We are invited to attend the Meewasin Valley Authority's Tree Planting and Dedication Ceremony on Saturday, June 15 at 1 p.m. at the Western Development Museum.
- Read Saskatoon invites us to attend an event on June 26 from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Hilton Garden Inn. Please let Lorne Braithwaite know if you plan to attend.
- Jack Scott announced the last call for orders for new Rotary golf shirts and vests. Norm Woodcock modeled the vest.
- Candace Odishaw has complimentary meal cards available for those who want to bring a prospective member to a meeting. Every member is asked to bring one prospect to a meeting in the next month.
- Please approach prospective businesses for RibFest sponsorships. The sponsorship package is sent out with this newsletter. Please forward it to prospective sponsors. Please let Bryan Tastad know of any contacts you make so that we don't approach the same groups twice.
- Candace Odishaw is working on the new duty roster for July 1 - December 30, 2019. Please let her know if you plan to be away during this period.



This Week's Program Highlights

Chair - Stan Garchinski

Desk - Lorne Braithwaite

Make Ups - Bryan Tastad

O Canada and Rotary Grace - Betty Ann Arscott plus *Red Red Robin*

Greeter - Randy Kutcher welcomed:

- Guest speaker April Sora.

4 Way Test Song - Jim Gillis and Betty Ann Arscott

Program - April Sora - Promoting Diversity and Inclusion in Saskatoon



Asit Sarkar introduced April Sora, Immigration, Diversity and Inclusion Consultant for the City of Saskatoon. April cited statistics showing the overall increase of Saskatoon's population and the increased diversity of its residents. The city responded to these trends by entering into a partnership agreement with the province and federal government to create an immigration action plan. April's role in the city administration is to serve as a catalyst, convenor, coordinator and consultant to many different groups. She has to make a judgement call whether to lead, follow or get out of the way. Programs include the Ethno Cultural Network, or which Asit Sarkar has been a part; Immigration Partnership Saskatoon; Committee liaisons; Civic Engagement and Outreach; "Borderless"; and Reconciliation. She noted that June 20 will be World Refugee Day, with a number of events planned to occur in Civic Square. Bob Devrome expressed the club's thanks.

50:50 Draw - Lorne Braithwaite coordinated the 50:50 draw. Boris Kishchuk won the pot of \$24.

Cheer Captain Peggy Clark - Peggy conducted a quiz on the NBA finalist Toronto Raptors. Happy/sad dollars included Candace Odishaw because her brother attended one of the Raptors playoff games; John Hanlin for Saskatoon's Colette Bourgonje's induction into Canada's Sports Hall of Fame; Asit Sarkar for April's presentation; Jack Scott for a good round of golf; Peggy Clark for her son's 38th birthday; Betty Ann Arscott because her son still can't get back to his work in northern Alberta due to forest fires; Eileen Harvey for her granddaughter's bridal shower and Bryan's conference; and Norm Woodcock for his granddaughter's medals in the Cold Lake track meet.

Board and Executive

Officers

President - Stan Garchinski
President-Elect - Candace Odishaw
Past President - Walt Pawlovich
Secretary - Jack Scott
Treasurer - Bob MacGillivray

Board members

Administration- Candace Odishaw

Membership - Candace Odishaw, Betty Ann Arscott
Projects- Randy Kutcher
Rotary Foundation- Asit Sarkar
Community Grants - Lorne Braithwaite, Peggy Clark
New Generations - Michael Gramiak

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