



November 20, 2018

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**November 2018  
Theme: Rotary Foundation**

**Program Chair:**

Date	Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
Nov 27	Ed Pek	Asit Sarkar	Bryan Tastad	Jack Scott	Dr. Michelle Prytula <i>College of Education</i>	Jim Blackburn	Walt Pawlovich

**Announcements**

- Jack Scott distributed the signup sheet for volunteers to help work at the Enchanted Forest, which will run from November 14 to January 5. The updated sheet is being sent out with this newsletter. Please review it and put your name down to be an assistant on the nights you might be available to help. This project brings in \$5,000 to Nutana Rotary, so please help where you can.
- The club is considering holding a First Nations blanket ceremony for all clubs in the city. The program takes at least three hours so will likely have to be held in the evening or on a weekend.
- Candace Odishaw is preparing the new roster. Please let her know of any changes.
- Lorne Braithwaite thanked those who have signed up for Salvation Army kettles. Our next shift is November 23 at Market Mall.
- The Rotary Club of Saskatoon North's annual Steak Night will be held on December 6 at the old soccer centre. Tickets cost \$25 and are available from Jack Scott.
- Michael Gramiak gave a heads up that Adventures in Technology will be held April 28-May 4, 2019. One of the questions before the club is whether we will sponsor a Saskatoon student to attend.
- Bryan Tastad noted that now is the time to approach prospective businesses for RibFest sponsorships. The new sponsorship package is sent out with this newsletter. Please forward it to prospective sponsors. Please let Bryan know of any contacts you make so that we don't approach the same groups twice.
- Candace Odishaw prepared a new duty roster for January 1 - June 30, 2019 that is delivered with this newsletter. Please check your spots and arrange a replacement if you can't attend that day.

**This Week's Program Highlights**

**Chair** – Stan Garchinski

**Desk** - Walt Pawlovich

**Rotary \$** - Bob MacGillivray

**O Canada and Rotary Grace** – President Stan

**Make-ups** – (Note: You will only be credited with a make-up if you record it on the make-up sheet.)

**4 Way Test Song** - Stan Garchinski and Jim Gillis

**Visitors** - Greeter Candace Odishaw welcomed:

- Guest Speaker Maggie Stevenson;

- Jean Healey;
- Vi Mizuno, guest of Massey.

**Program - Maggie Stevenson - MS Society**



Massey Mizuno introduced Maggie Stevenson, Leadership Giving Supervisor with the MS Society. Maggie provided details about MS, the most common neurological disease in Canada. Tragically, it often affects young people with most diagnoses occurring between the ages of 15 and 40. Women are three times more likely than men to contract MS. It is neither hereditary nor contagious. While we have not yet found a cure, research has resulted in many more treatment options to improve quality of life. The MS Society offers many opportunities to help fight MS, including the MS Bike Tour at Waskesiu that Massey and Vi Mizuno and Jean Healey have been part of for many years. The MS Society website can be reached at the following link: <https://mssociety.donorportal.ca/Donation/Donation.aspx?F=1673&T=GENER&L=en-Candace> Odishaw thanked Maggie on behalf of the club.

**50:50 Draw** - Lorne Braithwaite coordinated the 50:50 draw. Bob MacGillivray won the pot of \$16.

**Cheer Captain** - Jack Scott administered a highly profitable quiz. Happy/sad included John Hanlin for the Huskies and the Hilltops; Candace Odishaw for working at the Enchanted Forest with Bill Christensen; Jack Scott for the Enchanted Forest; Joe Dierker for his son-in-law's improving health; and President Stan for an upcoming trip to Hawaii.

**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

**Rotary International**

- RI President - Barry Rassin

District Governor - Elaine Thompson  
Assistant Governor - Colin Taylor

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