



October 20, 2016

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**November 2016 Theme:  
The Rotary Foundation**

**Program Chair:  
Ed Pek**

Date	Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Sgt-at-Arms	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
<b>Nov 1</b>	Boris Kishchuk	Bill Christensen	Bryan Tastad	Bryan Harvey	Stan Garchinski	TBA	TBA
<b>Nov 8</b>	Randy Kutcher	Jack Scott	Bryan Tastad	Joe Dierker	Arthur Slade <i>Writer in Residence</i>	TBA	TBA
<b>Nov 15</b>	Bob MacGillivray	Stan Garchinski	Bryan Tastad	Kim Horan	Bianca Pompolini Govoni <i>Rotary Youth Exchange</i>	TBA	TBA
<b>Nov 22</b>	Larry Neely	Jim Gillis	Bryan Tastad	Bill Sinnett	<i>Club Assembly</i>	TBA	TBA
<b>Nov 29</b>	Ed Pek	Harold Haid	Bryan Tastad	Bryan Tastad	TBA	TBA	TBA

**Announcements**

- The Five Club World Community Service is sponsoring a fundraising dinner for the Ripple Effect Education Project in Guatemala at the German Cultural Centre, 160 Cartwright Street, on Thursday, November 3. Tickets cost \$50 and include a tax receipt for \$25. Tickets can be purchased from Bill Christensen. Bill needs to know by Friday, October 28 if you are coming.
- If you cannot make your duty roster assignment, please arrange a replacement.
- Bill Sinnett has \$100 Co-op gift cards available.
- Contact Lorne Richardson at 373-4685 with any information you have about the health and welfare of club members or their families. Lorne will arrange for an appropriate card or visit.
- Principal Hugh Hamilton of Princes Alexandria School sent the following photographs of the fence for the new early learning student playground area that was put up this summer and that was funded by Nutana Rotary. Students using this playground area are pre-kindergarten, kindergarten and grade 1. The school will be supplying the playground area with playground equipment. There are about 150 students at Princess Alexandria and most come from First Nation families.



- Program chairs for the year are:  
November - Ed Pek  
December - Norm Woodcock

January - Jim Blackburn  
February - Eileen Harvey  
March - Lorne Braithwaite  
April - Bryan Harvey  
May - Asit Sarkar  
June - Candace Odishaw

### **This Week's Program Highlights**

**Chair** – Peggy Clark

**Desk** – Eileen Harvey

**Rotary Dollars and Co-op Cards** – Bill Sinnett

**O Canada and Rotary Grace** – Betty Ann Arscott plus *Sunrise Sunset*

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

**Visitors** – Greeter Kent Creelman welcomed:

- Guest Speaker Winston Blake;
- Former member Ted Fortosky and his partner Danielle.

**Program – Winston Blake - RAP**



Betty Ann Arscott introduced Winston Blake, Executive Director of the Restorative Action Program (RAP). RAP is now working in nine Saskatoon high schools with services that help create safe, respectful and caring communities. Winston focused his remarks on the ongoing evaluation of RAP's outcomes that is being conducted by the U of S Centre for Behavioral Science and Justice Studies. The evaluation has found that RAP is unique in the world, mainly because it grew from the grassroots up rather than being imposed from the top down. RAP started at Mount Royal Collegiate in 2003 as a project of the Rotary Club of Saskatoon. It has since grown to serve nine schools and, in 2015-2016, had direct service contact with more than 4,000 students or 15.5% of the student population. Although RAP became an autonomous non-profit organization in 2011, all five Rotary clubs continue to play an essential role in its governance and operations. Winston cited examples that show that RAP actually saves lives. RAP's new strategic plan took two years to develop. It identifies five goals, 13 strategies and 59 tactics. It will be released in full at the RAP annual meeting to be held on November 17 at The Willows, with the reception to begin at 3 and the meeting to follow at 4 p.m. All Rotarians are encouraged to attend. Please consider donating your time and expertise to one of the RAP management teams. For more information on RAP, visit the website at <http://www.rapsaskatoon.org/>. Stan Garchinski thanked Winston for his presentation.

**50/50 Draw** - Lorne Braithwaite organized the 50/50 draw. Peggy Clark won the pot of \$22.

**Sergeant-at-Arms:** Sergeant Kim Horan tested our knowledge of this day in history. Happy/sad dollars included Bryan Tastad for a trip to B.C. and for Bill Sinnott and Norm Woodcock filling in as Rotana editors; Ted and Danielle Fortosky for being back in Saskatoon; Bill Christensen for his and Dorothy's trip to Spain, Portugal and Morocco; Jim Blackburn for having Stan Garchinski back; Betty Ann Arscott for her son's wedding; Candace Odishaw for spending World Polio Day in India a few years ago; Lorne Braithwaite for his niece's daughter singing in the Fireside Singers; Asit Sarkar for an upcoming trip to India; John Hanlin for the Fireside Singers; Stan Garchinski for a one month trip to Europe and for his band playing at Danceland at Manitou Beach on Saturday.

## **Board and Executive**

### **Officers**

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President-Elect - Walt Pawlovich  
Past President - Bob Devrome  
Vice-President -  
Secretary - Jack Scott  
Treasurer - Bob MacGillivray

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Administration- Peggy Clark  
Projects- Randy Kutcher, Bill Christensen  
Rotary Foundation- Asit Sarkar, Stan Garchinski

### **RI President**

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## **Other News**