





December 7, 2021

December 2021 Theme: Disease Prevention and Treatment

Program Chair: Dorothy Hudson

Date	Rotana Editor	Greeter	Desk	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
Dec 14	Norm Woodcock			Jack Scott	Chris MacLeod Be the CEO of Your Own Health		Betty Ann Arscott
Dec 21	Norm Woodcock			Candace Odishaw	Club Christmas Party on Zoom		Jim Blackburn
Dec 28					NO MEETING		

OPENING

President Michael, called the meeting to order with the acknowledgement that WE LIVE ON TREATY 6 TERRITORY, HOMELAND OF THE METIS" and welcomed all members and guest of Asit Sakar, Noy Ponsarath from the Open Door Society. Noy runs the Womens Business Hub for ODS. President Mike also thanked those who are helping with the meeting today.

We were led in "O Canada" and our "4 Way Test Song" vocally and on the piano by the multi-talented Betty Ann Arscott.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Candace advised that all five city Rotary Clubs will be participating in a PR blitz in about three weeks. The gist of the campaign is how rotary benefits the city. Individual members will be asked to participate, more to follow.
- Bob MacGillivray announced that any happy/sad dollars donated in 2021 will be receipted by Rotary Intl and you will receive the receipt in February.
- -Candace advised that our Childrens Encyclopedae that were ordered in the fall are delayed by customs at the Canada/US border

PROGRAM

President Michael advised that the scheduled speaker for today was unable to be present.

One of the benefits of attending Rotary is being able to visit with other Rotarians at meetings. Since the COVID restrictions began we have been unable to meet in person so the social aspect has been missed. To make up for these missed opportunities President Mike asked each member to do a five minute "catch up" of whats been going on in their lives.

All members participated and we had a very interesting session. We heard about everything from health issues, going to the chapel and gonna get married(MIKE), delayed retirement and a 24 year old cat which doesnt like being on screen. Even cats get crabby when they get older! Great idea Mike.

CHEER CAPTAIN

Asit Sarkar asked everyone to contribute a Happy \$5 in honor of Mikes engagement.

Happy and Sad \$ were given by Massey, Bob Mac., Jim G., Lorne, Ravi and others whose names I missed.

The Rotary Foundation thanks Asit and those who contributed.

Next meeting is **December 14th on Zoom.**

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