



Saskatoon Nutana
Rotary
 Club



June 15, 2021

Editor: Jim Blackburn

June 2021 Theme: Rotary Fellowship

**Program Chair:
 Peggy Clark**

Date	Rotana Editor	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
June 22	Norm Woodcock	Ravi Chibbar	Kayleigh Lafontaine – Exec. Director at Elizabeth Fry Society	Peggy Clark	Will Grant
June 29	Norm Woodcock	Stan Garchinski	Farewell to Lorne – Passing of the Torch	Michael Gramiak	Not Applicable
July 6	NO MEETING				
July 13	TBD				
July 20	NO MEETING				

Announcements & Program Highlights

President Lorne called the meeting to order at noon and welcomed all members present. Lorne thanked all the members contributing to the meeting this afternoon.

“WE LIVE ON TREATY 6 TERRITORY, HOMELAND OF THE METIS”.

Betty Ann played “O Canada”, our 4 Way test Song and Happy Birthday to June birthday recipients Boris Kishchuck (11th), Ed Pek (13th), Bryan Tastad (18th), Uddhav Bhalerao (23rd) and Massey Mizuno (25th)

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Lorne encouraged all members to make a donation to Shelterbox during the month of June. He has received notice that the Badge, Shield and Star Dinner will be held on Sept. 22. Candace indicated that Sharon Ashton from District 9212 in Ethiopia has used our 4 way test song and she invited our members to join their meetings on Mondays at 10:30AM. Candace has the meeting invite information. Contact her if you would like to attend.

Club Assembly - Ribfest

Jack Scott began with a presentation on the site at Sasktel Centre. The 3 Ribbers will be located right outside the front door of the Centre on the parking lot on the north side of the main road towards the entrance. There will be pylons indicating the way to proceed through the parking lot to the ribbers with the 50/50 tent as well as a donation area near where the cars will first enter that parking lot. The hours will be: Friday July 30 - 4 – 8 PM; Sat. July 31 - 11 AM – 8 PM; Sun. Aug.

1 – 11 AM – 8 PM. They are projecting approximately 2100 automobiles with ribbers reimbursing us \$2500 each along with \$3.00 per car. Jack estimates approximate expenses \$15,260.00.

Candace provided a marketing plan using our website and FB page and the Saskatoon Ribfest site as well as the Saskatoon Ribfest on Facebook. She has already started promoting on Facebook. We will also use Instagram through the 5 Club website, our email list and media list by the end of the month. There will be media interviews with Mike and Stan. Assuming we are approved for an online 50/50 with SGLA, we will begin selling 50/50 tickets on July 15 and offer rib gift certificates prizes for early purchase. Club members are urged to buy 50/50 tickets early. Candace will keep the club posted once she has heard back from SGLA.

Boris indicated that there will not be extensive TV and Radio paid promotion and Candace will look after the media releases. They will all come from Michael. Obviously the drive thru will not be as good as our standard approach but it will keep Ribfest in the eyes of the public. Lloydminster put through approximately 1200 autos last year and are planning another one this year for Father's Day.

Cheer Captain – Bob Devrome

Question – Which province first recognized the status of Metis within the Society? The answer was Alberta in 1935 and there are 8 colonies in that province. Bob D; Jack; Jim B; Peggy; Asit; Walt; Dorothy; Michael; Boris; Jim G; Candace; Betty Ann; Bob M all made donations to ShelterBox (may have missed someone).

Lorne closed the meeting with a quote... "I think reconciliation with indigenous people remains the biggest social justice issue facing the country, because we don't do a good job of acknowledging the contributions native people have made. This is not just a country of immigrants." Wab Kinew, politician and broadcaster.

Have a great week!!

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