June 26th, 2024					CREATE HOPE in the WORLD	
July 2024 Theme: Maternal and Child Health					Ch	gram air: / Clark
Date	Rotana Editor	Greeter	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
July 09	Norm Woodcock	Dorothy Hudson	Lorne Braithwaite	<b>Sophia Pawlovich</b> Travels with Sophia	Walt Pawlovich	Jack Scott
July 28	Norm Woodcock			<b>Family BBQ, 12 to 5</b> Blue Roof Acres Karol Komar		

## CITIZENSHIP CEREMONY

The Rotary Club of Saskatoon Nutana sponsored a Citizenship Ceremony on June 26<sup>th</sup> at the Western Development Ceremony. Asit Sarkar was the club organizer for this event. This was the first ceremony for the club since the onset of the pandemic. There were 20 new citizens from 10 different countries.

The platform party was led to the stage by RCMP Officer Murray Milne in full dress regalia. After instructions from Clerk of the Ceremony, Hailey Reynolds, the ceremony commenced. Bill Waiser, (Order of Canada) presided over the ceremony and invited Knowledge Keeper Randy Morin from the Big River First Nation to provide some opening remarks.

Bill Waiser then addressed the citizen candidates and proceeded with the ceremony. The candidates were then asked to come to the stage individually to receive their Citizenship Certificate and congratulations from the platform guests. After the singing of O Canada (Led by Jim Gillis and Betty Ann Arscott) the platform guests were asked to come forward and address the new citizens.

Comments were provided by:

Kevin Waugh – MP for Saskatoon Grasswood; Erika Ritchie- MLA for Saskatoon Nutana; David Buckingham- MLA for Saskatoon Westview; Betty Ann Arscott- Co- President Saskatoon Nutana Rotary Club and Ali Akubar- CEO Saskatoon Open Door Society.

After adjournment of the ceremony the new Canadian citizens were invited to have their pictures taken with the platform party.

The afternoon concluded with coffee, tea and cake.







Asit with new citizens and Ali Akubar.



The Citizenship Ceremony is a very worthwhile event to attend and thanks to those involved in the organization of the event.

## The next meeting at Sports on Tap is on July 9th at 12 noon.

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