



Saskatoon Nutana  
**Rotary**  
 Club



May 16th, 2023

**May 2023 Theme:  
 Youth Service**

**Program Chairs  
 Mike and Brynn**

| Date   | Rotana Editor | Attendance  | Cheer Captain | Speaker/Topic   | Intro | Club Thanks   |
|--------|---------------|-------------|---------------|---|-------|---------------|
| May 23 | Norm Woodcock | Peggy Clark |               | <b>Friendship Inn</b><br>Service Project                |       |               |
| May 30 | Norm Woodcock | Peggy Clark | Mike Gramiak  | <b>Presentations</b><br>To SIMFC and St. Frances School |       | Jim Blackburn |

## OPENING

President Candace welcomed Guest Speaker Kala Bhandari, guest of Carmen, Sameer Chhetry and all members to the Parktown.

We were reminded that we are on Treaty 6 territory and land of the Metis.

Stan and Jim G. led the singing of O Canada and the 4 Way Test song.

## CLUB BUSINESS

-The District Conference was held this past weekend in Saskatoon and was deemed a success by those who attended. Good job organizers!

- Candace has arranged for club members to help serve lunch at the Friendship Inn on May 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11:00 AM to 1:30 PM. It appears Candace has 8 volunteers and 2 spares. Candace will email details to those who signed up.

- For those who have replied to the Enchanted Forest survey, Jack expressed his thanks and asked all those who still needed to reply to please do so. Sounds like its a “go” if the club gets asked to man the gates.

- Meewasin Club Lobsterfest is on May 25th. Attend the event if you can and bring family and friends. Or play the 50/50.

- In July and August the club will be meeting every two weeks. The first meeting in July will be the 10<sup>th</sup>.

## **PROGRAM.**

Our guest speaker was Kala Bhandari. Kala is from Katmandu, Nepal and is currently a Visiting Research Student at the U of S for a six month term in Public Health, Kala is currently the President of a Rotoract club in Katmandu and is speaking to our club about her clubs activities.

Kala is the President of the Rotoract club of Nepal National Hospital. The club has 34 members and is comprised of mainly health care professionals that work in the hospital. They work closely with their sponsor club on their projects and the sponsor club helps out financially.

Kala went on to outline their projects in the areas of breast cancer, COPD, blood collection, mental health and others,

Projects are monitored to ensure they align with the club areas of focus. Kala then shared pictures of the club activities.

Kim thanked Kala on behalf of the club for her presentation.

## **CHEER CAPTAIN**

Stan (of folding guitar fame) asked a number of questions about happenings on May 16 throughout the years. It was multiple choice answers with all of the answers being correct. May 16<sup>th</sup> is Stan's birthday so he got the song.

Stan asked for Happy/Sad \$ which were given by Kim, Asit, Zibah, Jack, Jim G., Nuru, Candace, Jim B., Joe, John, Betty Ann and Norm

**There will be NO meeting at the Parktown on May 23<sup>rd</sup>. The next meeting at the Parktown Hotel is on May 30<sup>th</sup>.**

### **Officers**

President - Candace Odishaw

Vice-President – Betty Ann Arscott and Peggy Clark

Past President -Mike Gramiak

Secretary – Jack Scott

Treasurer – Bob MacGillivray

### **Board members**

Club Administration- Peggy Clark

Membership – Betty Ann Arscott and Karol Komar

Projects- Jim Gilles

Rotary Foundation- Ravi Chibbar and Lorne Braithwaite

New Generations – Michael Gramiak

Image Committee/Communication– Candace Odishaw

### **Rotary International**

RI President – Jennifer Jones  
District Governor – Fred Wright  
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