



Saskatoon Nutana  
**Rotary**  
 Club



May 21st, 2024

**June 2024 Theme:  
 Rotary Fellowship**

**Program  
 Chair:  
 Jim Gillis**

Date	Rotana Editor	Greeter	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
June 4	Norm Woodcock	Peggy Clark	Joe Dierker	<b>SIMFC</b>  Michelle King	Jim Gillis	Hannah Enti Brown
June 21	Norm Woodcock	Jim Gillis	Stan Garchinski	<b>St. Francis School</b>  Greater Saskatoon Catholic Schools	Jim Gillis	Kim Horan
June 25				<b>Citizenship Court            WDM            2 PM sharp</b>		

**OPENING**

Co-President Peggy welcomed everyone and reminded us that we were meeting on Treaty 6 Territory and Homeland of the Metis. Thanks were given to those helping at today's meeting: Jim B., Norm and Candace.

Our guest today was: Nuru's Guest: Carvil Richards.

.Norm led the singing of O Canada and the 4 -Way Test song.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Peggy reported on the District Conference held in Moose Jaw, May 10 and 11. The theme of the conference was "Hope" and Peggy gave a summary of the speakers. She was tremendously impressed with the event.

- Early registration is available for the International Convention being held in Calgary in 2025.
- Asit advised of the Nutana Club sponsoring a Citizenship Ceremony set for the Western Development Museum on June 25<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM.
- Dorothy has been in contact with the Friendship Centre. They are holding an event on June 21st and could use some volunteer help. A sign up sheet was circulated.

## **PROGRAM**

Nuru Nyoni and Hannah Enti-Brown attended the District Leadership Training Session on behalf of the club. This was held on Zoom and is intended for those who are on the incoming club leadership group. It is hoped that Nyoni and Hannah would become part of the club leadership group when they are able. Nuru presented to the club what was learned at the session.

Rotary clubs in North America have been shrinking in size for a number of years. This is not unique to Rotary but is happening to all voluntary service organizations . (service clubs, churches, amateur sports orgs. Etc) The focus of the session is to turn the membership in Rotary from “resistible to irresistible by engaging the existing members, recruiting new members and Have Fun!

A four part plan was suggested to help achieve club revitalization.

Action Plan 1- Increase Impact

Action Plan 2 – Increase Your Reach

Action Plan 3 – Enhance Participant Engagement

Action Plan 4 – Increase Our Ability to Adopt

A questionnaire was distributed to each member present to be completed and returned at the next meeting

Candace thanked Nuru for her presentation and willingness to take part in the training session..

## **CHEER CAPTAIN**

Norm was the Cheer Captain. May birthdays were recognized and heralded with the “song” as follows: Joe Dierker-May 1, Betty Ann Arscott-May 7, Norm Woodcock-May 12, Stan Garchinski-May 15. After a few brief question concerning the contents of the current Rotary magazine(poorly answered) self assessed happy/sad \$ were donated by numerous members for various reasons.

**The next meeting is at Sports on Tap on June 4th at 12 noon.**

## **Officers**

President - Betty Ann Arscott and Peggy Clark.

Secretary – Jack Scott

Treasurer – Bob MacGillivray

## **Board members**

Club Administration- Candace Odishaw

Membership – Betty Ann Arscott and Karol Komar

Major Projects- Jim Gillis

Service – Dorothy Hudson

Rotary Foundation- Asit Sarkar, Zibah Salaudeen

Youth – Candace Odishaw, Hannah Enti-Brown

Image Committee/Communication – Candace Odishaw

## **Rotary International**

RI President – Gordon McInally

District Governor – Sonya Susut

District Leadership Team – Ruth Merritt

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