



September 10, 2019

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**September 2019
Theme: Education & Literacy**

**Program Chair:
Stan Garchinski**

Date	Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Cheer Captain	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
Sep 17	Eileen Harvey	Kim Horan	Lorne Braithwaite	Boris Kishchuk	TBA	TBA	TBA
Sep 24	Randy Kutcher	Bob MacGillivray	Bryan Tastad	NA	<i>Nobel Peace Laureate Recognition @ Rotary Park</i>	TBA	TBA

Announcements

- The Rotary Club of Saskatoon North will celebrate its 40th anniversary on September 19 at the Travelodge beginning at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$25 and are available from PDG Peter Sen.
- The Executive meeting has been rescheduled for September 17 at 11 a.m. to allow for attendance at the North Club event.
- Asit Sarkar thanked Joe Dierker for the decision by McDougall Gauley LLP to sponsor a brick honoring the 2011 winners of the Nobel Peace Prize. These were Ellen Johnson Sirleaf, Leymah Gbowee and Tawakkol Karman who were recognized for their work in the area of women's rights. Our annual Nobel Peace Laureate Recognition will be held in Rotary Park on September 24. District Governor Fred Wright will attend.
- President Candace informed the Executive that a meeting with DG Fred Wright will take place at 11 a.m. on September 24, prior to the Nobel Peace Laureate program at Rotary Park.
- See Treasurer Bob MacGillivray if you haven't paid your \$250 dues.
- Candace Odishaw has complimentary meal cards available for those who want to bring a prospective member to a meeting. Every member is asked to bring one prospect to a meeting in the next month.
- Candace Odishaw circulated new duty roster for July 1 - December 30, 2019. Please take note and find a replacement if you cannot be present.

This Week's Program Highlights

Chair - Candace Odishaw

Desk - Michael Gramiak

O Canada and Rotary Grace - Betty Ann Arscott

4 Way Test Song - Betty Ann Arscott

Greeter - Walt Pawlovich welcomed:

- Guest speaker Chase Ruttig.

Program - Chase Ruttig - Prairie Records Cannabis



Stan Garchinski introduced Chase Ruttig, manager of the Prairie Records cannabis store on Broadway Avenue. Chase said that people buy cannabis for both recreational and medical purposes. Products are available in a variety of strengths of THC, the psychoactive component, or CBD, the non-psychoactive component. The second phase of cannabis legalization will take place in mid-October with the release of the federal government's regulations for edible cannabis products. Chase expects a variety of edible products to be available in stores before the end of the year. Prairie Records' parent company is Westleaf, a publicly traded company based in Calgary. Westleaf is currently working with Thunderchild First Nation to build a cannabis production facility near North Battleford. Randy Kutcher expressed the club's thanks.

50:50 Draw - Lorne Braithwaite coordinated the 50:50 draw. Ed Pek won the pot of \$19.

Cheer Captain - Bryan Harvey conducted a quiz on Saskatchewan trivia. Happy/sad dollars included Stan Garchinski for raising money for cancer through horse driving; Helmut Hamp for being back at the club; Kent Creelman because he was born in Saskatchewan; Betty Ann Arscott for a road trip all the way to Yellowknife; and Bryan Harvey because Betty Ann is back and we don't have to sing a *capella* anymore.

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