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Editor David Allen

If you have any comments or questions, please contact the editor.

Future Speakers

Nov 12, 2012 NO MEETING REMEMBRANCE DAY
Nov 19, 2012 Wif Lofdahl - CEO CREDIT UNION CENTRE
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Dec 03, 2012 Elaine & Peter Zakreski ROTARY AWARENESS - UPDATE on MALAWI PROJECT
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Club Events - AGM - Rotary Projects Inc and Rotary Charitable Trust

ROTARY FOUNDATION DINNER - (Evening Meeting)
BOFFINS CLUB
Nov 26, 2012 06:00 PM

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2012-2013 Club Executive

President - Gary Rusu
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STORIES

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS NOV. 5TH

Posted by James Pearson on Nov 05, 2012

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- President Gary wanted to thank everybody who made an effort to bring people out to experience our last meeting and to member of RAP.
- No meeting on Monday Nov. 12th, 2012 for Remembrance Day.
- Rotary Foundation Dinner will take place on November 26th in lieu of our regularly scheduled lunch meeting. Guests are welcome

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Cheryl Tuck-Tallon fined a number of groups of people for a variety of reasons including:

- Anybody who did not bring a guest to last week's meeting
- Anybody who failed to follow up with their guests regarding Rotary since last week
- Anybody who had zero kids at their door for Halloween
- Anybody who didn't have their poppies yet
- Anybody who wasn't planning to attend Saskatoon's Remembrance Day services
- Anybody who hadn't made an appointment to get winter tires on their vehicle yet

HAPPY AND SAD DOLLARS

- Josh Reis was happy that he got the chance to go to L.A. where he attended a USC/OREGON Football game and went to Disneyland
- Graham Pearson was sad because he just finished wrapping up his mother-in-law's estate
- Peter Zakreski was happy to have received so many school supply donations
- Wayne McGillvray was happy and sad because he has to miss some meetings, but it's because he'll be in Austrailia

GUEST SPEAKER

- Peter Zakreski introduced our guest, **Mark Regier**, who is the CEO of Prairieland Park Corporation.
- Mark holds a B.Comm from the U of S as well as a CMA, CFE, and C.DIR
- He holds an in-depth understanding of current Board Governance models
- Understands the roles & responsibilities of an individual board member
- Has experience in building consensus when dealing with complex issues
- Contributed to boards for the Vanier Cup, World Junior Championships, SMHA among others
- Prairieland Park Corp. is an independant, not-for-profit, membership based corporation with an elected Board of Directors
 - Our club's own Jack Brodsky is the Chair of the Board
- They can serve over 4,000 people in one sitting and have a million dollar kitchen to accommodate their patrons
- Horse Racing is a big draw with over 500 horses and approx. 300 staff
- Prairieland Park also runs Sports-on-Tap
- Approx. 350 employees year round with the summer being their busy time due to the Exhibition
- 93% customer satisfaction rating
- A new entrance off of Ruth St. is a high priority for them to increase roadway access
- There is no chance of an arena being built on the property as they consider themselves a Trade & Convention Center first and foremost
- It was noted that Prairieland Park is an excellent location for our club's annual Badge, Shield, & Star Dinner

NEXT MEETING - November 5th, 2012

Posted by Cheryl Tuck-Tallon on Oct 29, 2012

DUTY ROSTER for NEXT MEETING - October 29, 2012

Posted by Adriana Van Duyvendyk on Oct 29, 2012

TBD - Please contact Adriana if you are available to help

Visitors & Guests -

Greeter -

Cashier -

Grace -

Sergeant -

Please be at your posts by 11:45 AM. If you are not able to fulfill your assignment, please arrange for another member to replace you!

VISITORS & GUESTS

Posted by Bernard Sonntag on Oct 29, 2012

This past meeting was a great event in which we introduced many new guests to what being a Rotarian means! If you brought a guest we encourage you to continue to share the Rotary experience with them and if you need assistance or support don't hesitate to ask a fellow club member!

It was a great turn out and I know we can continue to build on our success!

Thanks to President Gary for all his hard work in promoting and coordinating this!

MEETING HIGHLIGHTS THIS WEEK

Posted by Bernard Sonntag on Oct 29, 2012

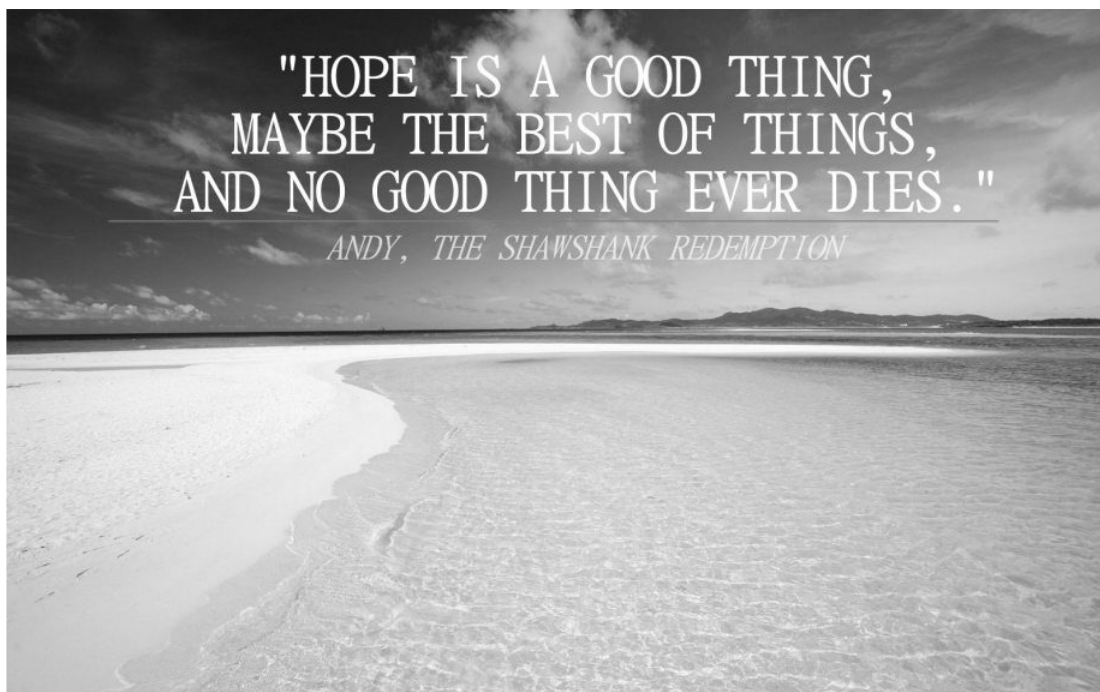
Health of the Club

No health issues were reported

Rotary Moment**The 4 Way Test**

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Weekly Words of Inspiration



PROGRAM/SPEAKER

Posted by Bernard Sonntag on Oct 29, 2012

Rotary Awareness Day

We had an informational panel at this meeting to highlight to our guests and prospective members what being a Rotarian means and the various ways in which we can live up to our motto of "Service Above Self" Each panleist was given 5 minutes to talk about projects that they have been intimately involved in. Well to be fair in Jim Weber's case it was more like 10 minutes..... :)

Elaine Zakreski - Hope for Malawi

Jim Weber - Programa de Becas

Peter Whitenect - Restorative Action Program (RAP)

SERGEANT-at-ARMS

Posted by Bernard Sonntag on Oct 29, 2012

Sergeant Notes and Happy and Sad Dollars

Sergeant Wayne pretty much made up random reasons to fine Rotarians. That appeared to make little sense :) Fines were levied at Gary Rusu for doing a good job organizing the awareness day and against one of our guests for doing a better job than Wayne did in a previous job.

I'm just going to go ahead and plan on bringing my check book to cover the fines that he's going to levy at me the next time he's Sergeant..... :)

Happy and Sad Dollars

- David Sunby's dad celebrated his 82nd birthday
- Mark Gyrba was happy about the Hilltops and Huskies games
- Gary was happy about the positive turn out and all the guests that attended the meeting and the volunteer activity at the Friendship Inn
- Wayne McGillivray was happy about the results of the recent Cormann Park Elections.
- There were several other happy dollars about the Husky, Riders, and Hilltops football games.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Posted by Bernard Sonntag on Oct 29, 2012

RAP - First Annual General Meeting

Scheduled for Tuesday, October 30, 2012 at the Willows
 Reception 5:00 PM - Business Meeting to follow at 5:30 PM
 All Members of All Clubs are invited!

We're shooting for a large attendance by our Club members

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Short Term Student Exchange

Dave Sundby announced the opportunity for a one month student exchange for next summer. It would be for a Grade 11 or 12 student with an approximate cost of \$2,400.

Contact Steve Wilson, if interested

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The Husky Beer & Wing Club

Jim Weber and friends wish to extend an invitation to join them after each Husky Football and Basketball Game to either celebrate or commiserate the Husky Football game. The club meets and the Tony Roma's off Idylwyld after each home game for beer, wings and fellowship

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Traveling to Puerto Vallarta?

Jim Weber is helping coordinate the transportation of music instruments to a partner school in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. If you will be traveling that direction in the near future and would be willing to help transport a instrument or two please contact Jim Weber for details

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The 2013 Annual District 5550 Conference May 30th to June 2nd

Is being hosted by the Rotary Club of The Pas. Contact Linda Northcott at 204.623.6437 for registration details

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The North Saskatoon Rotary Club Steak Night and Silent Auction

Thursday December 6th at 6:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$20.00

Ivan Wilson for details

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November 26th Foundation Dinner at Boffin's

Gary Rusu for details

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Gordon's Commitments

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