



Official Bulletin of:

ROTARY CLUB OF SASKATOON MEEWASIN #22664

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Saskatoon, SK S7H 0W2
Founded: April 23, 1985
Meetings: Monday 0700

June 8, 2026
Rotary Fellowship Month

Rotary: Making a Difference

District Governor (5550): Wayne Jacobson

President: Arthur Whetstone
Past President: Luis Pagliarini

Pres Elect: Volunteer Needed

Secretary: Jahn Luross
Treasurers: Dale Worrall

Sergeant: Don Stefiuk
Chair: Arthur Whetstone

Desk: Anne Luross

Service Above Self

DUES AND OTHER PAYMENTS TO THE CLUB

- E-mail Transfer from Bank Account
 - Send to Meewasin Rotary Club using the email: meewasinrotary2020@gmail.com

DONATIONS TO THE FOUNDATION

E.G., Fines, Donations In Lieu Of Meeting Expense

- E-mail Transfer from Bank Account
 - Send to Rowasin Foundation using the email: rowasin2020@gmail.com

Payment by Credit Card (For either Meeting Expenses or Fines/Donations)

- For a credit card payment contact

Rotary Meeting

Location:

Grasswood Smittys
Highway 11 South/Grasswoods Road @ Esso

ZOOM: <https://us05web.zoom.us/j/88619629540?pwd=UL0YWkGMOPM90MapdbfgspruS5vDP1.1>

Password: Meewasin

Call to Order: Chair opened the meeting at 0700.

Attendance: There were 8 dedicated members who enjoyed a morning of fellowship with their fellow Rotarians and guests

Guests: No guests

Sergeant and Happy, Sads and Celebrations

What do computers like? Chips. For wrong name. Lions have sex 10-15 times per day. I just joined Rotary. For sitting in spot for more than 2 weeks.

Brent for John Benesh hiring a lawyer. Hosting Citizenship Party on Thursday, June @ 7:00 pm
Garth's son back from Africa. Dale for getting new job last week in the city, so won't have to commute to Biggar. Anne for grandson getting Black Belt in TKD and other grandson to hockey and ball.
Les took his old to a car show in Pike Lake, with about 150 cars. Art P for minister loosing mother last week, and daughter moving to White Rock. Les's wife participated in Pike Show Art show, where she had 50 paintings.

Announcements

1) St Michael School Reading Program – Art P

- a) Tuesdays
- b) Time 12:30ish – 1:20
- c) Reading to Grade 2 and Grade 3-4 classes

Date	Readers
June	
9	Les F and John B
16	Kris T & Dale W

2) Christchurch dinner Nancy

- a) Every Third Tuesday of Month – June 16/26 – Meal - Serve meal: Start at 4:30
- b) Prepare and Serve Meal – volunteers needed - Preparation: start at 3:00 pm;
- c) Contact Nancy

3) Youth Exchange

- a) Exchange student Austin is going to Finland.
- b) We will have inbound student. Have some housing, but need more housing.
- c) Will arrive sometime in August.
- d) Booking flights this week. Has insurance and visa.

4) Changeover Event

- a) Dessert in the Park – at Luross -
- b) Date/time: June 22 - 7:00 om
- c) Location: John and Nancy Luross – 80 Red River Road

5) Incoming students finishing their Western Tour

- a) Tuesday June 9
- b) Leanne will share their lunch location

6) Announcement

- a)

7) EDADZ BACKPACK and Supplies Drop Off - John B and Anne

- a) Anne goes regularly and can take stuff need.
- b) Bring coats, sweaters, socks, supplies, etc. Anne will take to EGADZ.
- c) You can Drop off items at John Benesh's Office.
- d) There is a Box in the reception area
- e) Any bag is OK, not just back packs.
- f) You may bring the backpacks to the meeting to give to John B.



8) SARCAN Bottles

- a) Donate bottle proceeds to Meewasin
- b) Use the Self-Deposit area and Enter Code SMR.
- c) Send a photo of the deposit receipt to Dale (daleworrall2020@gmail.com) so that a donation receipt may be issued to you.

9)

Club Business

No club business

Program

Improve your meetings

<https://youtu.be/blc5QryG78g?si=YjYYCOrmW02egkoj>

Upcoming Meetings

Month	Theme, Coordinator and Meeting Status
June	Rotary Fellowship
8	Video
15	Budget and Next Year
22	No morning meeting – dessert in the Nancy and John Luross
29	No meeting

Events

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Welcome Song

We welcome you today
Good fellowship 'twill be
We're glad you chose to begin your day
With Meewasin Rotary

We hope that you will return
And join with us again
Fellowship at breakfast time
With Meewasin Rotary

4-WAY TEST

Is it the Truth?
Is it Fair to all concerned?
Will it build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

ROTARY GRACE

O Lord and giver of all good
We thank you for our daily food
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways
Help us to serve Thee all our days

Task Groups/Committees - 2024-2025

Administration/ Executive —Meeting administration (program, facilities, meals, supplies)

Whetstone (President/Treasurer), Luross (J) (Secretary), Pagliarini (Past President)

Membership—Membership recruitment, engagement, and retention

Anne Luross (Lead)

Meeting Program (Speakers)

Leanne Kessler (Co-ordinator)

Foundation—Foundation donations, member recognition

Worrall (Lead)

Social Media — Social Media, Event promotions, website management

Geneen, Loopkey, Luross (J), Pagliarini

Service—Club charitable giving, foundation grant applications

Luross (N) (Lead) , John Benesh

Youth—Youth exchanges, adventure programs, school programs

Stefiuk, Postle, Kessler

Literacy—Postle (Lead)

Officers and Directors – 2023-2024

Board Executive/Officers:

President: Arthur Whetstone
Past President Luis Pagliarini
President Elect TBV
Treasurer Dale Worrall
Secretary John Luross

Directors:

Don Stefiuk
Nancy Luross
Anne Luross
Tom Geenen

Monthly Themes for Program

"Rotary Connects the World"

Listed below are the Theme months and the Committee Chair for each month.

July – New Rotary Year

August – Membership

September - Education and Literacy

October - Economic and Community Development

November –Rotary Foundation

December –Disease Prevention and Treatment

January – Vocational Service

February –Peace and Conflict Prevention

March –Water and Sanitation

April –Maternal and Child Care

May –Youth

June –Rotary Fellowship