



THE EYE PEPPER

Official Bulletin of:

ROTARY CLUB OF SASKATOON MEEWASIN #22664

8B -3110 8th St East, Box 425 S7H 0W2

Founded: April 23, 1985

Meetings: Monday 0700

@ Heritage Inn

March 25, 2019

Water and Sanitation Month

Rotary: Making a Difference

District Governor (5550): Elaine Thompson

President: Ron Loopkey/Tom Geenan

1st VP: Robert Fisher

Secretary: Garth Courtney

Past President: Sunny Mundi

2nd VP: TBV

Treasurer: Robert Fisher

Chair: Tom Geenan

Desk: Harold Empey & Art Postle

Sergeant: Art Postle

Service Above Self

Meewasin Rotary Readers Schedule		Meals on Wheels	
Wednesday (St. Michael's, 1:00 p.m.)		Monday (1100 am pickup – City Hospital)	
March		March	
20	Wayne Walling, Robert Fisher	18	Les Ferguson
27	Kris Tenaski, Ron Loopkey	25	Kris Tenaski
April		April	
3	Kris Tenaski, John Benesh	1	Arthur Whetstone
10	Les Ferguson, Carol Claypool	8	Arthur Whetstone
17	Ken Wilson, 	15	Ken Wilson
24	Easter	22	Easter
		29	Driver Needed

* Meals Wheels Contact: Volunteer Service Department - Dawna Shand - (306) 655-4323

Rotary Meeting

Call to Order: The Chair opened the meeting at 0700 at the Heritage Inn with the singing of O Canada and Rotary Grace.

Attendance: There were 18 dedicated members who enjoyed a morning of fellowship with their fellow Rotarians and guests.

Guests: Linda Cernar



50/50 Draw (\$2.00/Ticket): Draw Master Leanne oversaw the 50-50 draw. Kris Tenaski was the lucky winner of the \$17.00 jackpot.



Sergeant Art Postle – Scribe missed recording this portion (will be fined next meeting)

Happy dollars – Tom for Blades and Bronco playoff games; Leanne and B for successful sporting event in Regina; Ralph for Hoopla; Hari for being the only Meewasin member at his table of 4.

Sad Dollars:

Announcements

MARCH DUTIES

Water & Sanitation Month Program responsibilities – Hari – Jacob – James

Front Desk: Don C & Les F

Sargent: Art P

50/50: Leanne

TEO: Scribes Art W., John L and Kris T

Meals on Wheels

Opening for Drivers in March 25, April and May.

Rotary Readers Needed

Readers needed for April 17 and beyond. If you missed the circular, Contact Art Postle to sign up.

Club Business

Ludovica placed 4th at Provincials for cheerleading. She will send out a new email with a new date for her Italian supper fundraiser (proceeds to buy shelter box). Watch your inbox for ticket information. She is also kindly asking members if anyone has a spare pedal bike that she could borrow for the spring/summer for her commute to and from school.

Garth – See John Luross for lobsterfest tickets. AIT looking for billets and drivers Sunday, April 29th.

Program

Hari introduced our guest speaker – Iain Phillips

Iain is from Saskatoon. Brief notes from a very technical presentation about the reference conditions of Saskatchewan’s flowing water systems and what we should expect.

- He and his team of students examine Saskatchewan’s River and water system organisms to help to determine the overall health/ pollution condition.
- With his studies have been able to determine various this and trends including the impact of the most recent Husky oil spill and other accidents with regards to our water systems.

Leanne thanked Iain for his presentation and wished him well.

Upcoming Programs and Events

Meetings

Date	Program/Activity
March	Hari Nair, Jacob Nickel, James Paproski Water and Sanitation
4	Waiting for information
11	Waiting for information
18	Waiting for information
25	Iain Phillips, senior ecologist at the water security agency of gov of SK

Events

Date	Event	Rotary Club	Information/Contact
April 17, 2019	Badge and Shield Dinner	All Club	Art Postle
May 2-5, 2019	District 5550 District Conference. Winnipeg.	District	
May 11, 2019	Rotary Park Cleanup	All Club	
May 2-5, 2019	District 5550 Conference Winnipeg		For more information, click on the following link: http://rotary5550conference.com/
June 1, 2019	Lobster Fest All Hands on Deck	Meewasin	Art Postle
Sept 21, 2019	Train, Dinner and Theatre		Robert Fisher

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	Tickets: \$120/person		

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



- Elaine Thompson, District Governor 2018 – 2019
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**Rotary Club of Saskatoon Meewasin
Monthly Speaker / Program Assignments for 2018-19**

Month	Monthly Rotary Theme	Members in Charge	
2018			
July	Start of new Rotary year	Bailey	Glen
	Note: No meeting Jul 2,; Change-over dinner on Jul 9; Grainfields Jul 23	Benesh	John
August	Membership and New Club Development, (DG Visit?)	Birkmaier -Tillotson	Donna
	Note: No meeting Aug 6; Holiday Inn & Belsher PI tour on Aug. 20	Clements	Don
		Ferguson	Les
September	Basic Education and Literacy, (Corn Roast?)	Courtney	Garth
	Note: No meeting Labour Day Sep 3	Empey	Harold
		Muir	Al
October	Economic and Community Development	Fisher	Robert
	Note: No meeting Thanksgiving Oct 8	McArthur	Murray
November	Rotary Foundation	Geenen	Tom
	Note: No meeting Nov 12	Howland	Ken
		Wilson	Ken
December	Disease Prevention and Treatment, (Club Elections)	Jaspar	Rob
	Note: No meetings Dec 24 and 31	Kessler	Leanne
2019			
January	Vocational Service, (Evening social?)	Klause	Brent
		Laforge	Phil
		Loopkey	Ron
February	Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution	Luross	John
	Note: No meeting Family Day Feb 18	Morgan	Ralph
		Mundi	Sunni
March	Water and Sanitation	Nair	Hari
		Nickel	Jacob
		Paproski	James
April	Maternal and Child Health, (AIT Monday?)	Postle	Arthur
	Note: No meeting Easter Monday April 21	Russell	David
		Stefiuk	Don
May	Youth Service	Sutherland	Ian
	Note: No meeting Victoria Day May 20	Tenaski	Kris

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June	Rotary Fellowships, (Lobsterfest, 'Change Over')	Walling	Wayne
		Whetstone	Arthur

COMMITTEES FOR 2018-2019

Meewasin Rotary Club: 2018 / 2019 Committee

Administration - Meeting program & admin, Sergeant, raffle, facilities, meals, supplies

Ferguson – Chair
Courtney – Secretary
Fisher – Treasurer
Morgan
Walling

Service - Club charitable giving, Foundation grant applications

Howland – Chair
Laforge
Klaue
Sutherland
Paproski

Youth - Youth exchanges, Adventures programs, school programs

Postle – Chair
Muir
Kessler
Nair

Foundation- Foundation donations, member recognition

Wilson - Chair
Bailey
Clements
Nickel

Membership - Member recruitment, education and retention

Stefiuk – Chair
Tenaski
Jaspar
Benesh
Loopkey

Public Relations- Club & event promotion, communications, manage website

Luross - Chair
Empey
Mundi
Whetstone

Social - Plan & organize monthly social event or service project, social Media

Birkmaier – Chair
McArthur Geenen
Loopkey