



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 4, 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: Ron Loopkey / Tom Geenan

Desk: Don Clements and Les Ferguson

Sergeant: John Benesh

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	
6	Donna B-Tillotson, Readers Needed	4	Donna Birkmaier Tillotson
13	John Luross, Robert Fisher	11	Kris Tenaski
20	Wayne Walling, Robert Fisher	18	Les Ferguson
27	Kris Tenaski, Ron Loopkey	25	Driver Needed
April		April	
3	Readers Needed	1	Arthur Whetstone
10	Readers Needed	8	Arthur Whetstone
17	Readers Needed	15	Ken Wilson
24		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 20 dedicated members who enjoyed a morning of fellowship with their fellow Rotarians and guests.

Guests: Ludovica (Bee) Mazzotto (Exchange Student)



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



Sergeant John solicited donations for the Foundation for not knowing the number of volunteer hours by Rotarians (16,000,000), the number of children vaccinated by PolioPlus (2.5 Billion), the number of people provided shelter by ShelterBox (175,000), SRT (shelterbox response teams – 20 complete of over 100 individuals who start the 1 year training program), the number of Canadians on the SRT (5), March birthday,

Happy and Sads: the \$5.6 Million for Telemiracle, for the Husky loss, for the great trip to India, for great show at the Broadway, for the win of the Rush, for a great family visit on the weekend, for great Rush game, for being back from Victoria and a great welcome at the Harbourside Club, and \$1/year for a great rendition of the Birthday song by Wayne.

Announcements

Donation to PolioPlus:

Carol Claypool donated \$2500 for PolioPlus in the name of Wayne.

Meals on Wheels

Drivers signed up to the end of June. Ian thanked the members for their commitment to this program.

Rotary Readers Needed

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

Club Business

Bee informed members that she has a great Winter Formal. She danced a lot and had a great time.

Program

Club Assembly was held. Members discussed new fund generation opportunities and membership.

Upcoming Programs and Events

Meetings

Date	Program/Activity
March	Hari Nair, Jacob Nickel, James Paproski Water and Sanitation
4	Club Assembly
11	Service Canada – Shirley – All u need to learn of programs
18	Waiting for information
25	Waiting for information

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 Tickets: \$120/person		Robert Fisher

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



**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
 Klause
 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