



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



April 6, 2020
Maternal and Child Health Month

Rotary: Making a Difference

District Governor (5550): Fred Wright
President: Hari Nair **1st VP:** TBD **Secretary:** Garth Courtney
Past President: Ron Loopkey/
 Tom Geenen **2nd VP:** TBD **Treasurer:** Robert Fisher

Sergeant: Harold Empey **Desk:** Leanne Kepler & Les Ferguson

Service Above Self

DONATION IN LIEU OF MEETING EXPENSES

- a) E-mail Transfer from Bank Account
 - a. Send to Rowasin Foundation using the email: rowasin2020@gmail.com
 - b. If there is an option to send an email to a second party send it to rfisher@leafandstone.ca.
 - c. If not an option, email (rfisher@leafandstone.ca) or text or call Robert at 306 222-8399
- b) Credit Card
 - a. For a credit card call Robert and he will handle it

One way or the other YOU need to advise Robert of your contribution

Meewasin Rotary Readers Schedule		Meals on Wheels	
Wednesday (St. Michael's, 1:00 p.m.)		Monday (1100 am pickup – City Hospital)	
		April	ON HOLD UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE
	Thanks for Reading this Year	6	Arthur Whetstone
	Schools are closed	13	Easter
		20	Arthur Whetstone
		27	Ken Wilson

* 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 16 dedicated members who enjoyed a morning of fellowship with their fellow Rotarians and guests.

Announcements

- 1) Zoom Dos and Don'ts
 - a) Hari will adjust setting to control who can access and submit documents.
 - b) Hari will be identifying individuals who can host meetings
 - c) DO NOT Forward your email invite to others. If you need to invite others send a note to me and I can send out the invite.
 - d) DO NOT share the meeting plan, link or invite to social media or website pages such as Facebook, WhatsApp, Weibo, TikTok, etc. :-)
 - e) Unless specifically asked do not share electronic files during the meeting
 - f) If you have concerns please do let me know and we can figure out a way to address them.
- 2) Meals on Wheels
 - Meals on Wheels are on hold.
 - Most volunteers are over 65, so they are treating it as if they don't have any volunteers
 - Ian will get an update on the status.
- 3) Lobsterfest update – Garth/Wayne
 - Meeting has been cancelled
 - The Soccer Centre has returned our deposit
 - There is limited or no
 - TICKETS: Return to Les Ferguson. Or shred. Tell Les what you have done.
- 4) Reading Program
 - a) Schools are closed, so no program
 - b) There are structured activities by the schools for elementary students
- 5) Donations in lieu of meeting costs -- Ken Wilson / Robert Fisher
 - a) Suggestion to donate the \$20 meal cost.
 - b) Can be done through direct email deposit to Rowasin using rowasin2020@gmail.com
 - c) Member would receive receipt for income tax purposes
 - d) Robert will keep track of the donations
 - e) The Club has sufficient funds built up to make a Paul Harris donation on behalf of a community
- 6) Regular zoom meeting time – what time do you prefer?
 - a) Email will be sent to all members to poll, PLEASE DO give your input.
 - b) Hari will send a Doodle
- 7) Coop Gift Cards
 - a) Robert has Coop Gifts Cards – the Perfect gift your yourself, your loved ones and special friends.
 - b) You can buy \$50 or \$100 cards.
 - c) GET YOUR GIFT CARDS TODAY
- 8) Brenda's Mask
 - a) She has sold about 800 masks. BHP has bought 500



- b) She was planning on donating the proceeds Health, but they refused. She is looking at donating them to an organization, such as the Salvation Army, for use by volunteers.

Remember – without “u” there’s no us

Club Business

1. United Way/ Saskatoon Community Foundation Funding Request – Ken Howland (needs vote)
 - 1.1. The United Way and Saskatoon Community Foundation are creating a fund for charities that have been harmed by CV19.
 - 1.2. The basic needs, health and mental health, etc.
 - 1.3. The Saskatoon Community Foundation has donated \$100,000.
 - 1.4. The intent is to make decisions quickly so the funds are in the hands
 - 1.5. Recommendation that the Club \$2000
 - 1.6. We will have savings due to the cancellation of the student, AIT and other youthprojects.

MOTION

Mover/Seconder: Ken Howland/Ian Sutherland

That the Club donate \$2000 to the Covid 19 Virus organization assistance fund established by the United Way and the Saskatoon Community Foundation.

CARRIED

Program

Lobsterfest Update

CANCELLED DUE TO CV19

Meeting

Date	Program/Activity
April	Maternal and Child Health, (AIT Monday?) Co-orindators: Fehr, Stefiuk, Postle
6	TBD
13	TBD
20	TBD
27	TBD

Events

Date	Event	Rotary Club	Information/Contact
May 23, 2020	Lobsterfest	Meewasin	

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
2019		
July	Start of new Rotary year	Bailey, Benesh
August	Membership and New Club Development, (DG Visit?)	Ferguson
September	Basic Education and Literacy, (Corn Roast?) Note: No meeting Labour Day Sep 3	Muir, Courtney, Empey
October	Economic and Community Development Note: No meeting Thanksgiving Oct 8	Fisher, McArthur Russell
November	Rotary Foundation Note: No meeting Nov 11	Geenen, Howland Sutherland
December	Disease Prevention and Treatment, (Club Elections) Note: No meetings Dec 30	Whetstone, Kessler Birkmaier-Tillotson
2020		
January	Vocational Service, (Evening social?)	Loopkey, Klause
February	Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Note: No meeting Family Day Feb 18	Luross, Mundi Morgan
March	Water and Sanitation	Nair, Nickel, Paproski
April	Maternal and Child Health, (AIT Monday?) Note: No meeting Easter Monday April 21	Fehr, Stefiuk Postle
May	Youth Service Note: No meeting Victoria Day May 20	Action, Tenaski, Wilson
June	Rotary Fellowships, (Lobsterfest, 'Change Over')	Walling Clements

COMMITTEES FOR 2019-2020

Meewasin Rotary Club: 2019 / 2020 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

Benesh, Muir, Sutherland, Paproski, Courtney

Youth - Youth exchanges, Adventures programs, school programs

Postle – Chair

Kessler, Acton

Foundation-Foundation donations, member recognition

Wilson - Chair

Bailey, Clements

Membership - Member recruitment, education and retention

Geenen – Chair

Tenaski, Stefiuk, Fehr, Birkmaier-Tillotson

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

Mundi - Chair

Empey, Luross, Whetstone

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

Loopkey – Chair

McArthur, Klause, Loopkey