



July 17th, 2019

The Fortarian

Rotary Club of Thunder Bay, (Fort William)

2019/2020 Board of Directors

President: Stephen Margarit
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*Meets: 3rd Tuesday of each month,
 George Jeffrey Children's Centre
 Boardroom 200 Brock St E. , 6.30pm*

Website www.fwrotary.ca

Directors: Steven Beaucage
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Allocations Committee

Chair: Bob Hookham
*Meets: 2nd Tuesday of each month,
 Weiler Maloney Nelson Board Room 12 noon.*

Rotary House Lottery Committee

Chair: Dave Knutson
*Meets: 1st Tuesday of each month,
 Weiler Maloney Nelson, 12 noon.*

Weekly Dinner Meetings

*Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.
 Airline Hotel and Conference Centre
 698 W. Arthur St. Thunder Bay, ON*

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Note: For July and August, meetings will be on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday only.

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The meeting was held at Daytona's Restaurant and Sports Bar. Gloria Bagely was the guest of John Brodack. Irene Sottile gave the toast to the Queen and Canada.

President Stephen Margarit presented Jodi Phillips with her Paul Harris Fellow +1 pin. Congratulations Jodi! President Stephen thanked the generous Rotarians who had donated their points.



President Stephen then read a letter that he had received from Emma Townson, the first recipient of the Andy Morrow Memorial Bursary for the 70 Thunder Bay Air Cadet Squadron. President Stephen thanked Dawn Sebesta for replacing Andy Morrow as the club representative for the squadron.

The purpose of this meeting was a club assembly to review the results of the Satisfaction Survey. There was an 80% response to the survey. Overall, club members were fairly satisfied with how the club is being run. However, there were a few areas where club members felt that improvements could be made. Members

wanted more updates regarding news at the district and international level. Another area requiring improvement was regarding meals. As a response to this, the club will meet at Daytona's until the end of December then review this decision in January 2020. There is another question as to which organizations the club would like to support through the Allocations Committee. The club will try new things during the first part of the Rotary year and then review the changes in the second half. Also to be noted is that fines this year will be \$1.

David Knutson presented a House Lottery update. The winner had completed the inspection tour today.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will take place on July 31, 2019 at the Da Vinci Centre where club members will be playing bocce. More details will follow.

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