

Lakehead Rotary Club—Thunder Bay

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2018/19 President—Brian Brescia



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OUR SPONSOR THIS MONTH!



Rotarian Donald MacDonald

Our sponsor this month, Donald Mac Donald, shared that Scouting will be holding a World Jamboree in West Virginia, USA this August. There are two children from Thunder Bay and three from Atikokan who are raising funds to attend. The cost is about \$4,500 per person to attend. It is a great experience for those who are able to participate meeting with scouts from around the world.

On a very cold January morning, 23 members braved the weather to attend our meeting.

ON THE DOOR IN 2018/19:

Moe was our cheery door greeter today.

Help your Club this year by taking on the door for one of the remaining months – confirm your choice with Clint.

JULY	Mo Papich	JANUARY	Mo Papich
AUGUST	Clifford Mushquash	FEBRUARY	
SEPTEMBER	Graham Stewart	MARCH	
OCTOBER	Richard Kehrig	APRIL	
NOVEMBER	Jennifer Kahan	MAY	
DECEMBER	Carol Dagenais	JUNE	Gail Brescia

Thank you Rotarians for your service to our Club.

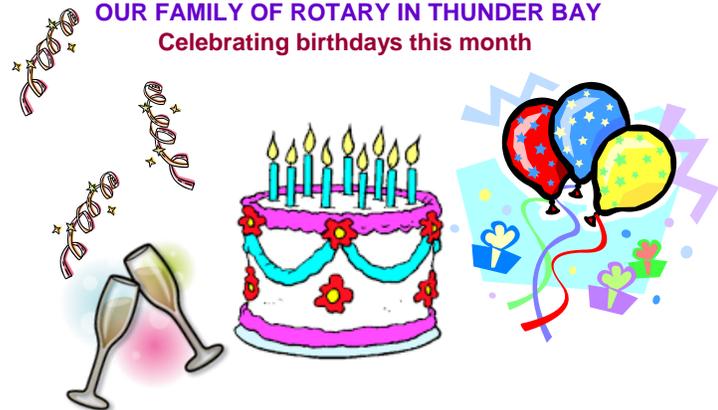
SPONSORSHIP:

If you can help your Club and wish to promote your business or community interests through a month sponsorship, please contact Sergeant Bill or Clint. Here is the sponsorship line-up so far:

JULY	CEDC	JANUARY	Don/Scouts
Canada			
AUGUST	Shirley DeWilde	FEBRUARY	Clint/TBAG
SEPTEMBER	4 Amigos	MARCH	Volker/RFDA
OCTOBER	Shirley DeWilde	APRIL	MS Society
NOVEMBER	Lori/A&W	MAY	Salvation Army
DECEMBER	N.O.S.M.	JUNE	5 Star Rotarians

OUR FAMILY OF ROTARY IN THUNDER BAY

Celebrating birthdays this month



Celebrating anniversaries this month

CLUB CALENDAR

JANUARY IS VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

JAN 1	NEW YEAR'S DAY
JAN 3	DR. JORDAN SOKOLOSKI, NATUROPATHIC CLINIC
JAN 10	JASON NAPER, THUNDER BAY DIVING CLUB
JAN 17	BUSINESS MEETING
JAN 24	MANDI O'CONNOR, DENNIS FRANKLIN CROMARTY
JAN 31	KARL EVERETT, ROTARY WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE: BOLIVIA

**FEBRUARY IS PEACE & CONFLICT
PREVENTION/RESOLUTION MONTH**

FEB 1 SPIRIT OF THUNDER BAY
FEB 7 OPEN
FEB 9 ONE ROTARY SUMMIT - DULUTH
FEB 14 VALENTINE'S DAY
FEB 14 DONALD MACDONALD
FEB 18 FAMILY DAY
FEB 21 MEETING CANCELLED
FEB 22 ROTARY ANNIVERSARY EVENT – ITALIAN CULTURAL CENTRE
FEB 23 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL ANNIVERSARY
FEB 28 BUSINESS MEETING

PRESENTATION:

Today was the monthly business meeting.

We are pleased to hear that two people are considering membership. Our financial picture has fallen into the negative for the first time with lower returns from our fundraising events. As a result, there is little left to donate in support of community organizations. This comes at a time when we are getting a lot of requests and a number for some high amounts.

A communications committee has been struck under Audrey Halvorsen's leadership. Roles have been assigned to handle internal club communications as well as marketing and promotion through traditional and social media.

Spirit of Thunder Bay is set for Feb. 1st. Allan Kozlo is asking for cash donations to purchase Chinese auction prizes and also donations of silent auction items. Have sold 65 tasting tickets and 10 non-tasters and would like sell about 35 more tasters and 20 – 30 non-tasters. Contact Clint Kuschak to purchase tickets.

Our Foundation and Polio Plus goals for the year have been met. Will put any other funds received this year towards next year. Fifteen people will receive 200 points from the club challenge at the end of the year.

The Anniversary event theme is Foundation and Paul Harris. Each club has been encouraged to use their points to award an external person a Paul Harris Fellowship to be presented at the Anniversary. This will provide an opportunity to promote Rotary to the recipients and in the media. Ticket cost is under discussion with the Canada Club as is the continuation of having a silent auction.

This month's board meeting has been rescheduled to Wednesday, January 23rd at 4:00 p.m. at Northwood Dental.

Donna Yocom reminded members that there are still openings in the Cardiac Care Tour on February 13th.

Bill Butuk announced that he is going to organize a club curling event around the end of March. Details coming soon.

FELLOWSHIP FINES:

Fine Master Richard, extracted loonies from those who hadn't been on the club website, those who had forgotten a password, and those who have never been to West Virginia. Ken was happy to share that he has tickets for the Symphony's draw for a trip for two to the Mediterranean with only 1,200 tickets available at \$20. Don is going winter camping this weekend and paid \$1 for going and \$1 for returning. Audrey was happy that the sun has been out and all her solar lights on her trees shone. Al thanked everyone for the donations received so far for Spirit. Carol was happy for a great Guiding weekend at Fort William Historical Park with her three daughters.

50/50:

Clint Kuschak won the 50/50 draw today. His share will be forwarded to the Rotary Foundation.

Thought for the Week:

"Everybody can be great...because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love." *Martin Luther King Jr.*

NEXT MEETING

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24
MANDI O'CONNOR
DENNIS FRANKLIN CROMARTY



Rotary Lakehead Rotarians Present **Spirit of Thunder Bay**
A Premier Scotch Tasting Event
In support of Lakehead Rotary's community service

Friday, February 1, 2019
Valhalla Inn Scandia Room
6:30 p.m. Fellowship * 7:00 p.m. The Tastings Begin
\$ 90 per person [Taster's Ticket]
\$ 40 per person [Non-Taster's Ticket]
Meet the Whiskies...

Cardhu 12 Year Old Single Malt
Dalwhinnie Distillers Edition Single Highland Malt
Macallan 12 Year Old Double Cask
Talisker 10 Year Old
Highland Park 18 Year Old
* Subject to availability—substitutions may be made

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