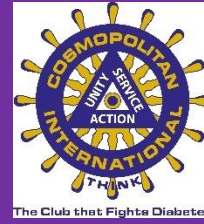




The Cosmo Rays



Shining Light on the Cosmopolitan Club's Activities

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Meetings Held at Noon on Mondays at Thirsty's at 819 West Main, Rapid City, South Dakota

C Cosmo Club News and Notes

March 11, 2019

Nick Dupont – Co-owner of Black Hills Radon Specialists

Frank Morrison introduced Mr. Dupont. Nick spoke to the members about Radon and the amount of problems with it in the Rapid City area. He said that according to Radon.com, its map shows South Dakota has some the highest levels of Radon in the United States, due to Uranium deposits and that the Black Hills area has the highest levels in South Dakota.

Radon is the second leading cause of Lung Cancer nationwide. His company tests for levels of Radon in businesses and homes in the area. The company normally charges \$95 per site for the testing, but this month of March, they are charging \$50 per site. If the levels are higher than the EPA standard of 4.0, they can install a four-inch pipe under the concrete floor in your house. This pipe is connected to a vent pipe up to the roof of the house with a low voltage fan to suck out the Radon under the concrete foundation. The price of this installation costs about \$1200, for normal installations. It costs about \$29 per year to run the fan, Nick then answered numerous questions from the members.

www.bhradon.com.

Thanks to **Lynne Mooney** and **Rod Gunn** for the notes and photos for this issue of The Rays.



Editor's Note: Nick and his brother, Jared, are the sons of **Connie Dupont**, one of our fellow members.

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HAPPY DOLLARS

Gloria Gunn - Happy the Rush won all three games this week.

Sue Vaughn - Happy the Rush won and her relatives will be here next week.

Rod Gunn - Happy **Frank Short** used Club Runner to see if there was a meeting.

Frank Short - Happy he won \$5 for being Mr. X.

Chuck Reuwsatt - Happy **Frank Short** put in a dollar

FINES

Frank Morrison - No name Tag

Meeting Assistants

Chaplain
Dick Kahler

50/50
Rod Gunn

Deuce
Rod Gunn

Mr./Mrs.X
Kaye Duffield

Weekly Winners

50/50
?
Deuce of Diamonds
?
Mr./Ms. Lucky
?

Attendance

Members - 17
Guests - 1

Board of Managers

President
Karl Merbach
President-Elect
John Duffield
VP of Programs
Frank Morrison
Secretary
Eileen Desmond
Treasurer
Lynne Mooney
Sgts. At. Arms
Steve Doshier
Bill Keck
One Year Term
Linda Bakken
Connie DuPont
Two Year Term
Brenda Johnson
Vacant
Three Year Term
Dave Daughters
Bill Scholl
One Year (Past Pres.)
Gloria Gunn



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Sue Vaughn – Exceptional Substitute
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MARCH

Birthdays

Anniversaries

Ushering Events

March 16 – *Kinky Boots* – Contact **Sue Vaughn**
Report time 6:00 PM – Theater Lobby
Wear **Black and White**

March 17 – *Kinky Boots* – Contact **Sue Vaughn**
Report time 12:30 PM – Theater Lobby
Wear **Black and White**

March 22 – *Rush Hockey* – Contact **Rod Gunn**
Report Time 5:30 PM – Room 102
Wear **yellow jackets**

April 5 – *Rush Hockey* – Contact **Rod Gunn**
Report Time 5:30 PM – Room 102
Wear **yellow jackets**

April 6 – *“Sound of Music”* – Contact **Sue Vaughn**
Report time 6:00 PM – Theater Lobby
Wear **Black and White**

April 10 – *“Beatles Tribute”* – Contact **Sue Vaughn**
Report time 6:00 PM – Theater Lobby
Wear **Black and White**



- 7 **Carol Merbach**
- 11 **Pauline Sumption**
- 12 **Kaye Duffield**
- 13 **Bill Keck**
- 14 **Dick Kahler**
- 16 **Alan Mathis**
- 18 **Todd Culham**
- 25 **Patrick Wolff**
- 26 **Brian Sumption**



- Paul Phelan**
6/80 – 38 years
- Naomi Whalen**
31/89 – 30 years
- Doug Jackson**
23/98 – 21 years
- Robbie Murchison**
24/04 – 15 years
- Louie Schwengler**
21/05 – 14 years
- Sue Vaughn**
03/13 – Six years
- Shelli Terwilliger**
14/14 – Five years
- Rosa Magnuson**
23/15 – Four years



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Announcements

John Duffield announced the members with Birthday's in March, with **Kaye Duffield's** birthday being tomorrow, the members sang Happy Birthday to her.

March 18 – Program – Julie Jensen – Visit Rapid City

John Duffield announced the upcoming North Central Conference in Sioux Falls, SD on May 3rd and 4th. Great Cause, Great People, Great Meetings, and lots of **“Fun at the Falls”**

Upcoming Events

Bob White reported that he had been in contact with Dayton Smith from the Rockford Club regarding the Teen Club attending the International Conference in Chicago, IL. Dayton and **Bob** are in the process of developing a tentative Teen Club program. **Bob** will work with the Teen's to see who is interested in attending the Conference. **Bob** has the details and spoke to the members about flying into O'Hare International Airport which is three miles away from the Convention Center. There will be Shuttles to the Convention center in Rosemont, IL.



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