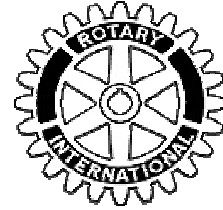


The Sunriser



FIRST OF THE MILLENIUM

OFFICERS

- President** Dave Hamilton
- Past president** Joan Hansen
- Vice President** Myles Noel
- President Elect** Don Michiel
- Secretary** Steve Cutt
- Treasurer** Ed Lye

DIRECTORS

- Club Operations** Leslie Bainbridge
- Club Service** Norm Brown
- Comm. Service** David Kalinovich
- Vocational Service** Blair Hagkull
- Intl. Service** Jack Waterfield
- Director-at-Large** Earle Nind
- Sergeant-at-Arms** Greg Hoover

Rotary Club of Tsawwassen

"Service through fellowship"

Chartered June 26, 1992

District 5040

Meets every Thursday at the
Beach Grove Golf Course

7:15 am

WEBSITE address:

www.versys.net/rotary

Visiting Rotarians - Dave Smith (Strathcona Sunrise Club)

Guests (Member) - Jennifer Hawes (Mom **Linda**)

Members Present 25 of our **70** members were at last week's meeting (36%) - not the best way to end the year 2000.....but hopefully the rest were enjoying family and friends.

Birthdays: none

Anniversaries: Jack & Linda Kintner – Jan 1

AS THE WHEEL TURNS

~ **Norm Brown** mentioned something about the transit levy in Vancouver and how it would not be collected??

~ **Gail Hussman** was happy that she

had a phone call from Andoni. She also was sad to report that he had been in a car accident but that he is OK. On a more positive note she reports an extremely succesful season in her kitchen shop, Cobblestone Cottage

~ **Brian Kelly** was pleased with a bean stringer gadget from Gail's Kitchen shop (*Ed note: so Bryan, are things a little slow around your house these days??*)

~ **Don Michiel** was pleased to have his boys home for Christmas

~ **Fran Schiffner** was happy to be able to sleep in and also for travel to Quadra Island

~ **Garry Shearer** had happy dollars for three weeks in a row with NO TRAVEL (*do you still remember the way to the airport???*)

~ **Steve Cutt** was happy to have his Dad out of the hospital

~ **Dave Lay** was happy to have celebrated his birthday last week and sad to have missed Joan's announcement of it at the meeting

The 4 Way Test of the things we think, say, or do

- 1** Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2** Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3** Will it build **GOODWILL & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**
- 4** Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Rotary theme:

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Jan 4 – Vicky Huntington??
 Jan 11 – Manon Lafleur – literacy in India
 Jan 18 – TBA

PROGRAM

Santa came to visit oh No that was last week, but I understand that perhaps he should have come back since the expected speaker **forgot** to come to the meeting **Doug Thomas** - our own internet junkie stayed up too late surfing the net and slept in!!!!??? Or was he partying too much and couldn't wake up????

Apparently Doug was to enlighten us on the intricacies of our website as well as leading us through some of the information available on RI President Frank Devlyn's website. I'm sure that Doug's talk will be riveting when we finally do get to hear it. It is rumoured that President Dave will make sure that Doug has a sleep over at our Pres's house the night before so that Doug is sure to attend.

STUFF

Air Canada Ticket sales will remain at the "cheap" price till Feb 28th. It's still a great deal for whomever buys it and especially for our club.

For all of us who missed the meeting of Dec 28th, we can be pleased that we were asleep or wherever else we may have been since apparently Pres Dave first adjourned the meeting at 8:00 am – only to have to re-convene since he had neglected to call for the Sergeant-at-Arms report. Official adjournment gong was at 8:02 (*was it worth getting up for???*)

EXCHANGE STUDENT

Laura Kuen, now living at the Wells - she needs to get to know all of us - take her to your next event - or simply have Laura in your home for dinner one night.

Notice of Candidate for Membership

Upon recommendation of the membership committee, the Board of Directors has requested the club secretary give notice of the following proposal for membership:

Lowell Breckon

Classification – **Chartered Accountant**

Sponsor – **Guenther Schreiber**

Members have seven (7) days from the date of publication to register, in writing, any objections or comments, failing which the board intends to issue final approval for membership.

ROTARY CORNER

Nominations for District Governor for District 5040 for the years 2003-2004 will close March 1,2001.

Qualifications include:

- Membership in a club in 5040
- Past president of club for a full term
- Seven or more years in Rotary
- Be able to assume the workload
- Be knowledgeable of Rotary
- Good public speaking skills
- Leadership skills
- Financial management skills
- Current computer skills

For a nomination form contact Chris Offer (offer@telus.net); Neil King (nking@telus.net); or Leo Nimsick (lnimsick@telus.net)

SERGEANT-at-ARMS

S@A Greg Hoover was replaced by former **S@A Doug Hooper** (No relation) who fined **Pres Dave** for no head table

Myles Noel was late (*Obviously not too late to take a fabulous report for your editor. THANX Myles*)

S@A Doug determined that all who did not get "Black Socks" for Christmas should be fined. (Amazing what TV does to us??). Also fined were **Cindy Philip, Adam Tobias, and Jack Kintner** for being too quiet (*Does that note really say Cindy?????*).

Bill Kushnir addressed the pres as Pres Graham, and proceeded to whine about a bad map from **Howard McCarthy** – apparently the TOOBS hamper delivery was wonderful.

Graham Mallett had the same whine as Bill K – he was Bill's navigator and he put his back out between hamper deliveries and moving books for Mexico. **Nancy Wells** was fined for forgetting that she had promised to help with the hamper delivery. **Keith Dinwoodie** had advice on how to turn the map up properly for hamper deliveries. He also suggested that you take someone with you, someone strong enough to carry those heavy boxes up three flights of stairs.

Jim Northey was fined for havin ghis picture taken with the Grey Cup.

Anyone with extra loonies was encouraged to share with the hat.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday's - Wheeler's club at the Lounge at Beaches - 5 pm

May 24-27, 2001 – 5040 District Conference in Penticton

QUOTE of the WEEK...

"Anyone wish they got black socks for Christmas instead of what they really got??"

Doug Hooper's comment before he fined everyone who did not get black socks.