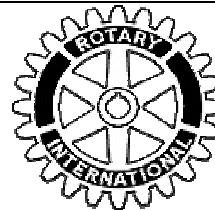


The Sunriseser



SUNNY SIDE UP

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

AS THE WHEEL TURNS

~ **Greg Hoover** was sad to hear of the death of the race car driver. He was happy however to hear that the quarantine had been lifted at the Kinsmen Centre so that ALL of our members could attend our meeting??

~ **President Dave** was happy for a fun time bowling

~ **Malcolm Ashford** told us of the stressful time at his former job, but was happy to get on with life again and especially to be back at Rotary

~ **Ed Lye** had 25 happy dollars for his retirement after 25 years with the same company.

~ **Gail Hussman** was in Edmonton where it was cold and dry - but she had a very successful buying trip for her store, Cobblestone Cottage

~ **Garry Shearer** was happy to be at his second meeting in a row, though he also had travel dollars.

~ **President Dave** made sure that Visiting Rotarian Alex Tappert was fined for not listening.

~ **Joan Hansen** paid \$5 for a very

successful conference of Canadian Optometrists at the Pan Pacific Hotel. Joan was Chief organizer.

~ **Earle Nind** was happy that **Jacqueline** was inducted into the Richmond Sunset Club

~ **Nancy Wells** paid happy dollars for the upcoming move of Macon Shaw Insurance to a new location in the Safeway mall on Feb 26

Birthdays: Ed Lye

Anniversaries: Garry & Colleen Shearer

Members Present : 44 of our 72 members were at last week's meeting (61%).

Visiting Rotarians Natalie Zigarlick & Alex Tappert (Ladner); Paul Dhillon (Rotaract)

Guests (Member) - Jon Connick (Bill Montgomery); Robert Lye (Ed)

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

March 1 – Vicky Huntington – Treaty

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 proposals for membership:

Bob Taylor

Classification – postal administration

Sponsor – Dave Hamilton

Zahir Dossa

Classification – investment representative

Sponsor – Bill Montgomery

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.

STUFF

Website has registration info and forms - www.rotary5040.org for the conference in Penticton. Eleanor says the committee is working hard and it is coming together well. Brenda Delf, Marianne Osborne, and Graham Mallett were the envelope stuffing team, and Eleanor thanked them for their assistance.

ACC committee is offering a prize for sales of packages. All who have bought a package will have their names entered to win golf and a weekend at Semiahmoo. We are now over \$20,000 and **Frank Donis** has sold most of the packages.

Ladner Club is again organising a bus trip to a Mariners Baseball game - May 6 - \$24 but you must sign up now.

At the meeting of Feb 15, Jay Triano gave out tickets to the grizzlies for Feb 27, Three pair were left and Blair Ledingham auctioned them off to Leslie Abramson (25), Nancy wells (30), and Joan Hansen (20).

Curtis Williams (Mom Natalie) will be our rep for ROSE program.

PROGRAM

Fred Schiffner was our speaker for the morning, and after he and Norm Brown traded jibes and had us howling with laughter, he proceeded to tell us about our neighbours on the Tsawwassen Reserve. He told us how life on the Reserve is so different than ours, how living on Assistance becomes a way of life that is very difficult to change. He mentioned the treaty process that is underway, how long it is taking, and how expensive it will be for the band members. They only have 750 acres of land and much of it is protected foreshore. One of the main objectives of the band is to restore health, employment opportunities and to make the community safe for all of the families who are part of Tsawwassen First Nation.

ROTARY CORNER

Making up missed meetings

There are various ways to make up missed meetings.

* The most common is to visit another club.

* As well, you can attend a District Conference or Assembly or you can be involved in extracurricular activities that have been okayed by the Board of Directors. These include things like work projects and the auction. Social functions cannot be used to make up a missed meeting.

Attendance is a requirement of Rotary so it's important to make up meetings. And with a number of ways to do so, it's fun and easy.

The Object of Rotary

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise;

FIRST - The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND - High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his/her occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD - The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his/her professional, business and community life;

FOURTH - The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men and women united in the ideal of service.

SERGEANT-at-ARMS

S@A Greg Hoover was only given a short time to make his report, so he started by fining those not signed in – Nancy Wells, Jerry White, Paul Arcand, and Leslie Abramson. Joan Hansen was fined re the Bulletin and Ed Lye's grandson (*the future basketball star*). Cindy Phillip was fined for addressing the chair as Pres Dave blah blah blah. Malcolm Ashford was fined for a bad replay on Dec 4. Andre Schellekens was fined for recycling the gift that he won last year at bowling. Cindy was fined a second time for her work in organising the bowling and then not showing up. Norm Brown was fined for bald jokes.

Red File: Earle Nind and Gary Hamblin double fines for ads in the Leader: Leslie Abramson and Nancy Macey were in the Optimist. Jim Julius was in the All Points Bulletin. Dave Hamilton (Pres Dave) was fined for poor journalism re the Valentines special. Cindy had a sappy letter in the Optimist describing how her lover won her heart.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday's - Wheeler's club at the Rose & Crown- 5 pm

April 2001 – GSE team will be here from England

May 24-27– 5040 District Conference in Penticton

June 16 – President's Ball

QUOTE of the WEEK...

“When the stock drops like that - they obviously have no money for travels”

President Dave commenting on Garry Shearer being at two meetings in a row.