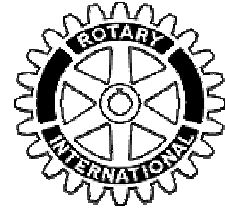


The Sunriser



THIS SIDE

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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 - **Natalie Smith** (aka Zigarlick) –Ladner; **Linda Hawks** – Terrace; **Sandy Simpson**-Richmond

Guests (Member) - **Christian St.Cyr** (Bill Learmont); **Brent Derrheim** (Don Michiel); **Laura Kuen** (Graham Mallett); **Linda & Jason Tobias** (Adam)

Rotary wannabe's: Boyd Ivens, Art Lam, Howard McCarthy, Bill Montgomery, Doug Thomas, Barb Verkuylen, Jerry White

Members Present 42 of our 67 members were at last week's meeting (63%)

AS THE WHEEL TURNS

~**Dave og Joanna Hutton** havde atten vidunderlige dage i Danmark og Sverige. De koerte fra Danmark til Sverige over den nye bro. De besøgte ogsaa Esbjerg, hvor Lise bor, men de saa hende ikke. De havde mange dejlige oplevelser i Ribe og Stockholm og noed at se og opleve Tivoli [den beroemte have i Koebenhavns midte] ***translation to follow.

~**Howard McCarthy** spent 6 weeks

on his boat

~**Gail Hussman** camped in Manning Park till the rain started

~**Cindy Phillip** was in Osoyoos, **Jim Northey** in Fort Nelson, and **Fran Schiffner** in Kelowna

~**Jack Kintner** wondered out loud to his wife why there were no Canadians on "Survivor" – and was voted off the bed for that comment

~**Don Michiel** and **Pres Dave** golfed with two beautiful ladies

~**Garry Hamblin** was in Bellingham with relatives, and **Bill Learmont** went to a family reunion in Sask & found out that Susan has status Indian in her background.

~**Jim Julius** whined about Rotary stuff that went missing in Point Roberts.

Andre was fined for "hiding it"

~**Steve Cutt** had a good time dressed up for a "lesbian wedding" ball tournament (came home with a black eye??) – [Boyd says it must have been the Boundary Bay Dyke]. Apparently **Pres Dave** was there too.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

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

Aug 31 – Don Michiel - Membership
 Sept 7 – Leslie Abramson - police
 Sept 14 – Assembly (Auction)
 Sept 21 – Canadian Mental Health Association – depression
 Sept 28 – Mayor Lois Jackson

PROGRAM

Jason Tobias told us of his wonderful year in France as our outgoing exchange student last year. He spent the year in Lyon with three families who also had a child away on an exchange. He found the year to be valuable as a buffer between high school and University, and was amazed at the difference in the way information is presented by the teachers. Here students are expected to participate and ask questions of the teacher, but in his school in Lyon, it is unusual for the students to query the teacher. Arriving with only “five” French words in his repertoire, it took till Christmas for Jason to feel like he truly understood and could participate in a conversation. While in France he managed to do some touring in Europe and spent time in Spain and England, as well as seeing Paris and the beaches at Normandy. Jason is glad to be home again for a short time before he heads off to U of Alberta for his next adventure.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT FRANK DEVLYN IN TOWN

Thursday September 7, President Devlyn will be in Richmond for a luncheon. See President Dave for tickets - \$30

GSE – District is now looking for a Rotarian Team Leader and young people to make up a team to England. The team members cannot be Rotarians and should be 25-40 years old.

AUCTION NOV 4

Dennis Power reminded us that it is time to start collecting items for the auction.

****Translation for the Danish impaired :
Dave and Joanna Hutton had 18 wonderful days in Denmark and Sweden. They drove

*from Denmark to Sweden across the newest bridge. They even visited Esbjerg where Lise lives, though they did not see her, and had many wonderful experiences in Tivoli (the amusement park in Copenhagen), Ribe, and Stockholm.*****

ROTARY CORNER

The next Rotary Parliament will be held in Chicago in 2001. Leo Nimsick is the rep for our district. It is the meeting where Rotarians can propose changes to the Constitution and Bylaws of Rotary International and the standard Club Constitution and Bylaws. This opportunity comes only every three years.

We often complain and grumble about Rotary's rules. We know that we must make changes in order for us to go forward as a modern, vibrant and dynamic organization.

Some of the issues Leo expects to see are changes in the forms of membership, changes in the process for bringing in new members, changes in the classification system, changes in attendance rules, and ways of improving Rotary meetings.

Leo needs to know what changes you would like to see. Let him know what those issues are.

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EXCHANGE STUDENT

Laura Kuen is here from Belgium. She is staying at the Mallett's and would love to get to know each of you.

SERGEANT-at-ARMS

Fines were levied by S@A **Greg Hoover** for the following: Late – **Leslie Abramson, Marianne Osborne**. Not signed in – **Jim Julius, Don Michiel, Roger Pryke, Dave Lay, Doug Thomas** left early again and still needs to be fined. Spelling words - **Bob Cooke** can't follow directions. **Adam Tobias** and **Don Michiel** did not sign in guests. **Myles** started O Canada very poorly. **Leslie Abramson** for her comment about the

corks on Jason's jacket – and Jason's retort that she must not have been around much??

RED FILE: Laureen McCleery, Cindy Philip, Fran Schiffner for their appearance last week in Who's Who In Delta. **Leslie Abramson** for her picture and story about the mobile command unit.

Best Dressed was **Gail Hussman** and **Dave Hutton** for knees; and the most rowdy was **Bob Burns**.

Spelling Bee Rules: Each word submitted is \$2. Words will be put in a hat & drawn, one at a time, by the contestants. The first contestant to have five more correct answers than the other is the winner. Decision of the judges is final! If neither contestant gets 5 more correct words, the winner will be the one with the most correct words when time or words are depleted. The person who submitted the word that results in the WIN will get 50% of the money collected – whether the word is spelled “write or rong”. Get your words in for a chance to win.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Friday's - Wheeler's club at the Breakers - 5 pm

Foundation Dinner – Nov 3 in Richmond

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

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irthdays: None reported

Anniversaries: None either

QUOTE of the WEEK...

“He was with his wife... it must have seemed like 6 months”

Jim Northey re: Howard McCarthy's comment about his 6 month- er 6 week-boating holiday.