



ROTARY CLUB OF WINDSOR (1918)

Today's Program
FEBRUARY 11, 2008

'The Walkerton Clean Water Centre Role to Provide Safe Drinking Water' Speaker: Dr. Saad Y. Jasim, P.Eng., Executive Officer, Walkerton Clean Water Centre

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

A full house was on hand for a dynamic presentation and commentary by the Hon. Ed Lumley, representing U of W in his role as Chancellor. The Centre for Engineering and Innovation has been awarded \$110,000,000 in investment to move forward; but in the process received negative comments for not moving the facility to where other parties felt it should be. After exhaustive research the University decided to support the needs of their customer; "the students", thereby making this world class program and the corporate partners an integrated part of the campus. This is a huge opportunity for Windsor and the world, as U of W embarks on a revolutionary process of research, teaching and implementation wherein they are creating the most important leveraging tool to attract investment and employment in our area. Opportunities abound for the future as there is also no robotic school anywhere in Canada. With this program and the proposed medical school and the other academic projects in the pipeline we are poised to be one of the premier learning environments in North America. Our club is fortunate to have such prominent ties to U of W through our membership. Great meeting!!

LAST WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Pres. Elect Romeo Girardi gave an update on the condition of fellow Rotarian, Bryan Head, who is still unconscious after suffering a devastating coronary last week. Our thoughts and prayers are with Bryan and his family.
2. Romeo reminded everyone about 'Just-Ice' - the lawyers-on-ice fundraiser spearheaded by PP Peter Hrastovec.
3. Jim Adkin advised the membership of the upcoming trip to Mississippi to serve people in need that are still suffering from the aftermath of Hurricanes Rita and Katrina. The trip is March 8-15 at a cost of only \$350 inclusive.
4. Walter Willms introduced and DG Jennifer Jones inducted new member, Karen Alldis. Welcome, Karen!
5. Don Snyder presided over PHF presentations. Allan Kidd honored his family and presented a PHF to Allan Kidd, Jr., to Carolyn Kidd (accepted by son Thomas) and to Robert Allan Kidd. Allan Kidd Sr. received his 4-Sapphire Pin. Bill Wilkinson honored his son, Jeffery Tyson Wilkinson, with a PHF. Frank Bagatto honored his wife, Gail, with a PHF. Congratulations to all!

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, February 18, 2008
NO MEETING - FAMILY DAY HOLIDAY

Monday, February 25, 2008
'Policing Then and Now on Retirement'
Speaker: Chief Glen Stannard

CLUB CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday

✓Ron Arkell

Happy Club Anniversary

✓Tom Holmes (15 yrs)

✓Connie Martin (17 yrs)

✓Bonnie Pacuta (2 yrs)

CONGRATULATIONS

Last week's 50/50 Raffle was \$146.50

Winner: Guest Matt Marchand

ROVING ROTARIANS

Mark Donlon - On-Line Make-Ups (2)

Leo Meyer - Cocoa Beach, Florida (1)

Ron Arkell - Accra West, Ghana (1)

On Next Schedule, February 25, 2008

Reporter - Ken Wheeldon

Registrar - Catherine White

Front Door Greeter - John McGivney

Parent Ave. Greeter - Jim Moore

50/50 Raffle Seller: Dianne Moore

MEETINGS

If you would like a committee meeting posted in the Wheel, please notify the Rotary Office (253-6382), or email at: info@rotary1918.com

This Week's Meetings

Youth Services Committee on Monday, February 11, 2008 at 1:30pm @ Caboto Club
Membership Committee on Monday, February 11, 2008 at 5:00pm @ Children's Safety Village
Board of Directors on Wednesday, February 13, 2008 at 7:30am @ Children's Safety Village

Upcoming Meetings

Website Committee meets the second Thursday of each month at 8:00am @ Cadillac Motel, 2498 Dougall Avenue

BINGO

A BINGO THANK YOU! To Curling Ellsworth, Ian Henderson, Margurite Reid, Don Snyder, Don Spafford, Ken Wheeldon and Walter Willms for working the Bingo on Wednesday, January 30th.

Next Bingos: Sunday, March 23rd, Friday, April 4th and Saturday, April 19th.

All volunteer slots for March 23rd are filled. Thank-you.

Volunteers are needed: 2:00pm to 8:30pm on April 4th.

4:00pm to 10:30pm on April 4th

8:00pm to 12:30am on April 19th

10:00pm to 2:30am on April 19th

Please contact Walter Willms at 519-739-0124 or walter.willms@sympatico.ca to volunteer

Please Update Your Roster and Welcome New Member:

KAREN ALLDIS

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Classification: Customer Service, Management Consulting

Sponsor: Walter Willms

Dear Chair of the Youth Services Committee: I would like to express my great appreciation in regard to my receipt of a Rotary Club of Windsor bursary. Awards such as this are of great assistance to students, like myself, experiencing financial need. Please forward my sincerest gratitude to all persons involved with the Rotary Club of Windsor (1918), not only for this award but also for the many years they have dedicated to the enrichment, betterment and care of our community. Thank you.

Sincerely, Desiree Chevalier

Let's join together and celebrate Peace at the
ROTARY WORLD PEACE SUMMIT



Information and Schedule of Events available at rotarypeacesummit.org