

September 22nd.

'ELI GOLDIN AWARD'

The Eli Goldin Award is given annually in memory of the late Eli Goldin, local entrepreneur and community benefactor, whose generosity and leadership was legendary. The award recognizes those who, like Eli, have exhibited a lifetime commitment to their vocation and their community.

1922 - Established an organization which became the Ontario Society for Crippled Children and is today Easter Seals

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Allan Kidd, Jr. introduced, and presented, and D.G. Bruce pinned, Mandy Mitroff, with a P.H.F. Mandy's mother, Bev Cyr, was given a 2-Sapphire pin.

President Romeo and D.G. Bruce Goldsen inducted three new members: Kelly Gregoire, sponsored by Karen Mingay, Pat Valleau, sponsored by Shari Cunningham and David Hillis, sponsored by Julie Bell. Welcome new Rotarians! The sponsors were then presented with a sponsor pin.

D.G. Bruce Goldsen spoke about this year's theme "Make Dreams Real". He spoke of the world's children, the dreams they have and the difference Rotary can, has and will continue to make in their lives. He encouraged Rotarians to invite new members and potential members to help make dreams real and become part of our Rotary family. D.G. Bruce revealed his sub-theme for the year "Celebrate the Differences". He invited us all to embrace the differences we make in peoples' lives all over the world through Rotary by giving people a hand-up in life. D.G. Bruce presented President Romeo with a gift, a paperweight which read "Make Dreams Real".

LAST WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Karen Mingay encouraged everyone to come out to Children's Fest this weekend.
2. Kay Curtis initiated a fun new activity to the meeting. Everyone was asked to observe the room and each other and guess what was different. Karen Durocher was named 'most observant' for her guess - PP Shari is now braces free! PP Shari donated \$25 to our Foundation Fund in Karen's name.
3. Zora Sanson and Matt Dunlop, on behalf of the Public Relations committee, asked everyone to notice the new look of the Wheel.
4. President Romeo welcomed back Bill Waugh after a long time away due to ill health. Welcome back, Bill!
5. Janet Kelly shared a story about a young woman, in Afghanistan, losing her eye-sight. She asked the club for help in getting this young woman to the Rotary Eye Institute in India. She received overwhelming financial support from many of the Rotarians and guests that were present. D.G. Bruce and his wife, Sue, committed to donating any shortfall.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, September 29, 2008

'How Cancer Touches Lives and the Progress Being Made in the Cancer Fight'
Speaker: Peter Goodhand, CEO
Canadian Cancer Society (Ontario Division)
There will also be a photo exhibit that explores the impact cancer has on Canadians.

Monday, October 6, 2008

Speaker: Klaus Dohring, President,
Green Sun Rising,
a start-up company offering state-of-the-art European solar heat hardware and systems

CLUB CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthday

✓ John McGivney

Happy Club Anniversary

✓ Jim Adkin (16 yrs)

✓ Sheila Gordon (14 yrs)

CONGRATULATIONS

Last week's raffle was \$86.00

Winner: Stu Sutton, who donated the money back to our Foundation Fund for Maryvale

ROVING ROTARIANS

Shanti Rao - On-Line Make-Up (2)

Asmat Naebkhil - Mississauga, ON (1)

Milton Grant - Moncton West (1)
and Riverview (1)

Janet Kelly - Windsor-St. Clair (1)

David Boyd - On-Line Make-Up (1)

On Next Schedule, September 29, 2008

Reporter: Sheena McCabe

Registrar: Bonnie Pacuta

Front Door Greeter: Hasu Naik

Parent Ave. Greeter: Hy Muroff

50/50 Raffle Seller: Gerry Pocock

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

Program/Speakers Committee on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 12:00 Noon @ The Windsor Club

Upcoming Meetings

Membership Committee on Monday, October 6, 2008 at 1:30pm @ Caboto Club

Finance Committee on Tuesday, October 7, 2008 at 4:30pm @ Rotary Children's Safety Village

Youth Services Committee on Monday, October 20, 2008 at 1:30pm @ the Caboto Club

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

BINGO

Next Bingos: Monday, September 22nd, Friday, September 26th, Thursday, October 9th,
Monday, November 10, Wednesday, November 26 and Monday, December 1.

Volunteers are needed: 8:00pm to 12:30am and 10:00pm to 2:30am on November 10th
8:00pm to 12:30am and 10:00pm to 2:30am on November 26th
8:00am to 2:30pm and 10:00am to 4:30pm on December 1st

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

SEPTEMBER IS 'YOUTH SERVICES' MONTH

Through the month of September, it is our pleasure to honour the youth of today. Through the Youth Services Committee, our Club has been privileged to send an outstanding student to attend the "Adventures in Citizenship" workshop hosted by Rotary Club of Ottawa each Spring.

This year we were pleased to send Cydney Curtis, daughter of fellow Rotarian, Kay. Cydney joined 220 outstanding senior high school students from across Canada spending four days in the National Capital in a program designed to develop their potential as leaders in their communities and in Canadian society.

This workshop is an exceptional opportunity for the Adventurers to explore Canada's identity, shared values, the implications of the freedoms we all enjoy, our history of tolerance and the search for compromises to bridge our differences. The obligation to be ethical and fair in all relationships is highlighted. These are truly Rotarian values.

The meeting on Monday, September 22nd will be the last opportunity to pick-up prepaid tickets and to purchase tickets for:

Rotary Club of Windsor (1918)

PRESIDENT'S NIGHT

St. Clair College for the Arts

Canadian Club Room 'A', 201 Riverside Drive West

Thursday, September 25, 2008

Veal Porcini Dinner (Vegetarian available)

• Cash Bar - 6:00pm • Dinner - 6:45pm

• Members - Prepaid • Guests - \$35.00 • Suggested Dress Code - Business Casual