

Make Dreams Real

THE WHEEL

2008-2009

What is Rotary?

Rotary is an organization of business and professional men and women united worldwide dedicated to providing humanitarian service, encouraging high ethical standards in all vocations, and helping build good will and peace in the world.

Object of Rotary

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the idea of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his or her occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- The application of the idea of service by every Rotarian to his or her personal, business and community life;
- The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

The 4-Way Test

Of things we think, say or do

1. Is it the truth?
2. Is it fair for all concerned?
3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Today's Meeting

April 6, 2009
Speaker—Joe Siddall
“Baseball Experiences”

Our Local Projects

OUR PAST PROJECTS INCLUDE:
1994—Building of the Rotary Home for Children and Youth at Maryvale
Provided Hart Walkers for use in Haiti and Venezuela

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Program March 30, 2009
Joe Passa—Architect

Charlie Clark introduced our fellow Rotarian and guest speaker Joe Passa. Through a slide show presentation Joe was able to show and explain in detail the efficiency of Green Buildings. Joe shared that there are several "Green Buildings" in Windsor that are ranked in the top ten in Canada. Many of these "Green Buildings" are made efficient by the use of lighting, floor heating systems, windows with sunshades, green roofs and so much more.

He was thanked by Mark Donlon.

Memorial Tribute for Art Leadley

Fred Sorrell with the assistance of Norm Wheeler provided a very moving tribute with Art's family and friends in attendance.

On Next Schedule, April 13, 2009

Reporter: **David Holliday**
Registrar: **Margaret Ann Prince**
Front Door Greeter: **David Eady**
Parent Avenue Greeter: **Murray Elder**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

◆ Reminder of the "Winemaker's Spring Celebration Gala Dinner" presented by the Rotary Club of Harrow will take place April 17, 2009 with proceeds to be directed to the Harrow Rotary's local projects and Rotary International polioplus program.

◆ President Romeo noticing that April's Rotarian had an article of interest for anyone who missed the article it reads as follows:

CANADA: When the Children's Rehabilitation Centre of Essex in Windsor, Ont., opened in 1978, it had the capacity to serve 200 children with disabilities. Today, the John McGivney Children's Centre—renamed in 2006 for a past president of the Rotary Club of Windsor who's been involved with the facility since its inception—serves 2,100. After the Windsor club pledged \$1 million, which it plans to raise over five years, ground was broken in November on an expansion that will more than triple the current space.

Maureen Lucas and Janet Kelly handed out Easter baskets that are to be filled and returned April 6th to be given to Mark Donlon for distribution.

CLUB CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthdays

Ranjana Bird
Murray A. Elder
Rashid Farhat

Happy Club Anniversaries

Carl S. Cohen (25)
Matt Dunlop (8)
Louis A. Mayrand (52)
William L. Noble (58)
Donald Sadler (10)
John Strasser (8)

MEETINGS

If you would like a committee meeting posted in the Wheel please notify Lex McCrindle (519-735-2422), or email at: lex@mccsteel.com

This Week's Meetings

Membership Committee meeting Monday, April 6 at 1:30pm at the Caboto
Finance Committee meeting on Tuesday, April 7 at 4:30pm at CSV (Rotary office)
Art in the Park meeting on Tuesday, April 7 at 5:00pm at CSV (Board Room)
Board of Directors meeting on Wednesday, April 8 at 7:30pm at CSV

Upcoming Meetings

Youth Services Committee to meet Monday, April 20 at 1:30pm at the Caboto
Website Committee meets second Thursday of each month at 8:00AM, Cadillac Motel
2498 Dougall Ave.

***** **BINGO** *****

Next Bingos:

Wednesday, April 29, Tuesday, May 12, Saturday, May 30th Wednesday, June 24th
Tuesday July 7th, Thursday July 16th

Volunteers Needed:

8:00pm to 2:30am on Tues, May 12th
8:00pm to 2:30am, 8:00pm to 12:30am and 10:00pm to 2:30am on Sat, May 30th
2:00pm to 10:30pm, and 4:00pm to 10:30pm on Wed, June 24th
8:00pm to 2:30am; 8:00pm to 12:30am; 10:00pm to 2:30am on Tues, July 7th
8:00pm to 2:30am, 8:00pm to 12:30am and 10:00pm to 2:30am on Thurs, July 16th

**To VOLUNTEER, please contact Walter Willms at 519-739-0124 or
walter.willms@sympatico.ca**

Many thanks to Jeewen Gill, Milton Grant, Ian Henderson, Ken Wheeldon and Walter Willms for working the Bingo on Friday, March 20th.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, April 6th

Speaker— Joe Siddall
"Baseball Experiences"

Monday, April 13th

Group Study Exchange
A Joint Club Meeting
Monday, April 20th Rotary at work.

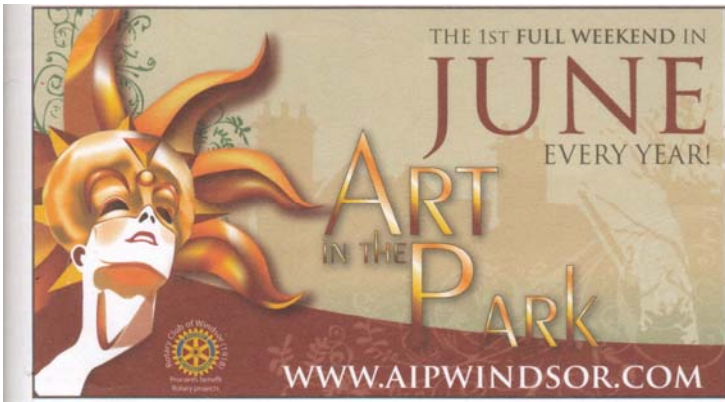
CONGRATULATIONS

No raffle last week

ROVING ROTARIANS

Shanti Rao—On Line (1)
David Boyd—On Line (1)
Peter Houghton—On Line (1)
Frank DeAngelis— Boca Raton, FL (1)
Tony Mancinone—Kissimmee W., FL (8)
Leo Meyer—Cocoa Beach, FL (2)

Thank you for the cards and visits to Dad. They all meant so much to him. The club and your friendship are the reason Dad fought so long to stay with us. Sincerely, Gayle Bruce on behalf of Bev Lounsbury—Family





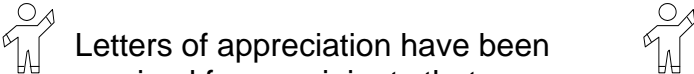
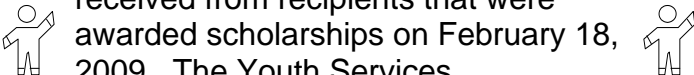












WEBSITE COMMITTEE,

Dear Rotarians,
 I am sending you this message on behalf of our Web Committee. I would like to know from our membership how user friendly our present Web Page/site is. Your suggestions/comments would help us to redesign/improve our page whenever and wherever it is appropriate to do so.
 Once again please accept my "Thank You" in advance.

Cheers,

Anil (Neil) Chitte


**Dr. Clare and Verna MacLeod
 Rotary Scholarships**


 Letters of appreciation have been
 received from recipients that were
 awarded scholarships on February 18,
 2009. The Youth Services
 Committees supports this Endowment
 Fund at St. Clair College. The 2009
 recipients are:
 William Bargel
 Jeremy Ducedre
 Katie Goodburn
 Megan Knight
 Christy Lauzon
 Ailen Shamoun


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