



**THE FUTURE OF ROTARY
IS IN YOUR HANDS**

"In every one of our communities, there's work to be done. As Rotarians, we will not stand idly by. As Rotarians, we will accept our responsibility. We can, and we must."

John Kenny,
RI President, 2009-10

The Wheel

Rotary Club of Windsor (1918)

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 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 goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service

Today's Program

Monday, December 14, 2009

**Annual General Meeting
Club and Foundation**

Board of Directors

Officers

President: William MacArthur
President Elect: Richard Caron
President-Nominee: Ronald Arkell
Past President: Romeo Girardi
Secretary: David Eady
Treasurer: Jason Ilijanic
Sergeant at Arms: Walter Willms

Director Chairs of Division

Membership: Sheila Gordon
Public Relations: Donald Marsh
Service Projects: Gary Katz
The Rotary Foundation: Kay Curtis

Director Secretaries of Division

Membership: Allan Kidd
Public Relations: Karen Mingay
Service Projects: Marcela Diaz
The Rotary Foundation: Anil Chitte

Service Above Self

The 4-Way Test

Of the 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?

LAST WEEK'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. ADG Arnie Charlton announced the Olympic Torch Run at the waterfront on December 23rd.
2. ADG Arnie Charlton asked that everyone bring in their donation of cereal next week. 490,000 lbs of food have been collected by the school board for the "Together We Triumph" program.
3. A Certificate, from The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, in appreciation for our Club's financial support of Rotary's US \$200Million Challenge was presented to President Bill by ADG Arnie.
4. Don't forget the Elvis Impersonator show, with Max Pelicano, at 2pm on Wednesday, December 9, 2009 at Caesars. There are still a few tickets available at \$15.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, December 21, 2009
Annual Christmas Party Luncheon

Monday, December 28, 2009
No Meeting

On Next Schedule, December 21, 2009

Reporter: Gord Faas
Registrar: TBA
Front Door Greeter: TBA
Parent Avenue Greeter: TBA

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

Allan Kidd introduced, and PDG Murray Elder pinned, Goran Vucajnk with a Paul Harris Fellow.

Carl Cohen received a 5-Sapphire pin.

Ken Sherman presented President Bill with a cheque for \$518 representing a percentage of the proceeds from Ccoral's 4th Annual Open House that was held on Tuesday, November 17, 2009. Thank-you, Ken!

President Bill, in turn, presented Ken with a 'The Future of Rotary Is In Your Hands' pin.

Our guest speaker, Marty Gervais, winner of the 1998 Toronto Harbourfront Prize, along with another 20 newspaper awards, presented a humoristic and well developed look back at the Roaring 20s. He spoke of the smuggling of booze across the border between Windsor and Detroit. The laws restricted drinking of liquor except under a prescription plan or home use or exporting to any place that did not have prohibition. As one writer wrote '.....you could not have or get a drink unless you walk ten feet.' Marty brought along his revised and expanded book THE RUMRUNNERS, a Prohibition Scrapbook.

Reporter: Jim Quinn

LAST WEEK'S 50/50 RAFFLE WINNER

Ed Zusko - \$91.00

Peter Hrastovec donated 4 theatre tickets for 'Every Christmas Story Ever Told', taking place at the Capital Theatre. The winner was Duffy Davidson.

ROVING ROTARIANS

Peter Houghton - On-Line Make-Up (1)
Mike Drake - On-Line Make-Up (1)

CLUB CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthdays

- ✓ Ian Henderson
✓ Jason Ilijanic
✓ Bill MacArthur

Happy Club Anniversaries

- ✓ Don Arpin (45 yrs)
✓ Nick Bibic (6 yrs)
✓ Jim Blue (33 yrs)

CORRECTION

This should have read:

A DONATION

\$2,000 was donated, by Frank De Angelis, to the Rotary Club of Windsor Foundation Fund, for the John McGivney Children's Centre, in memory of his brother, the most Rev. Fr. Augusto De Angelis, a theologian, a missionary, a teacher and a philanthropist, who died on November 17, 2008 in Rome, Italy.

5 Easy Ways to Make a Big Difference.

Club Administration.

To ensure effective functioning of the club. Executive Committee, Awards Committee, Finance Committee, Special Funding, Projects and Planning Committee, Past President's Program Advisory Committee, Program Committee, Regular Office Volunteers

Membership Division.

Membership, fellowship, support. Family Matters, Fellowship and Entertainment, Fireside Chats Program, Membership Committee, Visiting Committee

Public Relations Division

To ensure the continuation of Rotary through community support and membership commitment. Four Way Test Program, History Committee, Publications Committee, Website Committee, Publicity and Publications Committee

Service Projects Division

Service above self. Adult Assistance Committee, Art in the Park Committee, Children's Assistance Committee, Children's Fest Committee, Environmental Committee, Fundraising Committee, Health Committee, Youth Services Committee

The Rotary Foundation Division

Service in conjunction with District 6400 and Rotary International Group Study Exchange, Student Exchange, Rotary International Foundation Fund, World Community Service



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MEETINGS

If you would like a committee meeting posted in the Wheel please notify Rotary Office (519-735-2422), or email at: info@rotary1918.com

This Week's Meetings

Adult Assistance Committee on Monday, December 14, 2009 at 11:30am @ Caboto Club
Membership Committee on Monday, December 14, 2009 at 1:30pm @ Caboto Club
Board of Directors on Wednesday, December 16, 2009 at 7:30am @ CSV

Future Meetings

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

***** BINGO *****

Next Bingos:

Wednesday, December 16th	Saturday, January 16th	
Saturday, February 6th	Friday, February 19th	Tuesday, March 2nd
Monday, April 12th	Friday, April 30th	

Volunteers Needed:

8:00pm to 12:30am on Saturday, January 16th
4:00pm to 8:30pm on Saturday, February 6th
8:00pm to 2:30am, 8:00pm to 12:30am and 10:00pm to 2:30am on Friday, February 19th
10:00pm to 2:30am on Tuesday, March 2nd
8:00pm to 2:30am and 8:00pm to 12:30am on Monday, April 12th
2:00pm to 10:30pm and 2:00pm to 8:30pm on Friday, April 30th

TO VOLUNTEER, please contact Walter Willms at 519-739-0124 or
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