



"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, February 1, 2010

“What in the World are we doing?”

The World Community Service Committee will share with you the amazing work that is being done through the efforts of this Club, and it's partners around the world.

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
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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. President Bill reported there has been a tremendous response to the request for donations for disaster relief for Haitians affected by the recent earthquake. He asked for two volunteers for the Spitfire's game this Thursday to help collect 'Toonies for Haiti'.
2. Allan Kidd Jr. reported that the recent Scotch Tasting, at Jim & Laurel Adkin's home, netted \$200 for our Foundation.
3. Sheena McCabe & Janice Bellemore announced that the Annual Valentine's Day Auction, to benefit Youth Exchange, will take place on Monday, February 8th.
4. Sheena McCabe also announced that the annual Rotary Curling Party will be held on February 21st, from 3pm to 7:30pm at Beach Grove CC.

Reporter: Glenn Stresman

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Monday, February 8, 2010
Rotary Youth Exchange Auction

Monday, February 15, 2010
Family Day - No Meeting

Monday, February 22, 2010
Speaker: Spike Bell,
Photographer and Author

LAST WEEK'S PROGRAM

There was a 'Youth Exchange Minute' where Miley told us of her great trip to the Detroit Auto Show and Pepe updated us on his transfer from Massey Secondary School to Walkerville.

Our speaker, Reza Shahbazi, Executive Director, New Canadians Centre of Excellence, Inc. presented a very informative snapshot of immigration in Canada, using figures to demonstrate that newcomers to this county currently represents 60% of population growth. By 2030, if the trends continue, that figure will rise to 100%. At the same time, our current aging population will cause a significant labor shortage. Attracting, integrating and retaining newcomers to this country will be key to solving this anticipated shortage. For Windsor, that currently translates into 4,000 newcomers a year. Reza closed with the observation that the 21st century will be about the migration of knowledge, wealth and people, and the global competition for the brightest and best of these.

On Next Schedule, February 8, 2010

Reporter: Peter Hrastovec
Registrar: David Moon
Front Door Greeter: Lou Valente
Parent Avenue Greeter: Bill Waugh

ROVING ROTARIANS

Pat Valleau - On-Line Make-Up (1)

CLUB CELEBRATIONS

Happy Birthdays

- ✓Graham Keogh
- ✓Lex McCrindle
- ✓Gary Wintermute
- ✓George Yee

Happy Club Anniversaries

- ✓Bev Cyr (16 yrs)
- ✓Zora Sanson (5 yrs)

LAST WEEK'S 50/50 RAFFLE WINNER

Peter Hrastovec - \$99.50

Peter donated his winning to our Foundation Fund for Haiti Disaster Relief

Adventures in Citizenship - Ottawa, May 2-5, 2010

Each year, the Rotary Club of Windsor (1918), through the Youth Services Committee, sends **one** deserving student to attend Adventures in Citizenship, hosted by the Rotary Club of Ottawa.

If you know of a student, between the ages of 16 to 19, who is interested in Canadian politics, learning more about our government, our diversity and the privilege and responsibility of citizenship, the Youth Services Committee would be pleased to receive the student's resume and a cover letter explaining why he/she should be chosen to attend Adventures in Citizenship.

Deadline for application is February 10th.

Resumes/cover letters should be addressed to the Youth Services Committee, c/o Brenda Cohen.

For further information, call or email Nancy Leavoy, Chair of Youth Services Committee (519 944-6985 or nleavoy3@cogeco.ca)

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

Foundation Fund Board on Monday, February 1, 2010 at 1:30pm @ Caboto Club
Art in the Park Committee on Wednesday, February 3, 2010 at 5:00pm @ CSV

Future Meetings

Membership Committee on Monday, February 8, 2010 at 1:30pm @ Caboto Club
Board of Directors on Wednesday, February 17, 2010 at 7:30am @ CSV

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

***** BINGO *****

Next Bingos:

Saturday, February 6th
Friday, February 19th Tuesday, March 2nd
Monday, April 12th Friday, April 30th

Volunteers Needed:

8:00pm to 12:30am 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 walter.willms@sympatico.ca

The NET BINGO REVENUE FOR December 2009 - one date, two sessions - was \$814.62.

POLIO VISION TRIP TO INDIA

Taken from the Speaking Notes for Rotary meeting January 18, 2010 by Shari Cunningham:

'Fellow Rotarians: I have told you that Kay Curtis and I are participating on the Polio Vision Trip to India in Feb. Participating in a NID is self funded by Rotarians.

We wanted to give you a little more detail. We leave Feb. 4 and fly into Delhi late in the day Feb. 5. The next day we visit Venu Eye Hospital in Delhi where our District has donated funds for cataract surgeries on 115 underprivileged patients. We will see patients being treated and will be delivering prescription glasses for those 115 people that were sponsored for surgery.

The next day we participate in the National Immunization Date called a NID in the Mewat District.

We will work with a team and expect to vaccinate around 300 children each in a half day.....'

The balance of Shari's speaking notes will be in next week's Wheel.

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