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KIDNAPPED CANADIAN ROTARIAN RELEASED

Rotary International News -- 29 April 2009 The following reminds us to be selective in our GSE exchanges! What an experience for this Rotarian; what an experience for RI!

Rotary International is happy and relieved at the safe resolution of the kidnapping incident involving Canadian Rotary club member Julie Mulligan in Kaduna, Nigeria.

We also thank the government agencies in both Canada and Nigeria for their hard work and commitment to achieve a safe end to a very difficult situation.

Our top priority from the beginning has been the safe return of Julie to her family in Drayton Valley, Alberta. Rotarians will continue to provide assistance and support to Julie and her family.

Meanwhile, Rotary leaders in Nigeria and Canada continue to cooperate fully with officials investigating the case.

Julie was in Nigeria leading a Rotary Group Study Exchange team from Canada. Group Study Exchange allows non-Rotary members from a variety of professions to travel abroad to interact with their counterparts, gain valuable intercultural experience, and broaden their worldview. The program is just one way in which Rotary promotes world peace and understanding. Since 1965, more than 13,500 Group Study Exchange teams totaling 65,000 individuals from over 100 countries have participated. Last year, 565 teams traveled abroad.

THE DIRTY LITTLE SECRET.....

Thanks to Facebook and other electronic responses, this editor finds that Bruce Stimson has been in Palm Spring playing golf and imbibing in margaritas and related adult refreshments. Meanwhile, Tim Chambers slips away to Honolulu. Of course, Tim says he's working. Well, that may be true, but it's tough work when you have to struggle daily amid the trade winds and awe-inspiring vistas. And where is Bill Hambrick anyway? Marathons are planned all over the world. Hello, Bill? Where are you?



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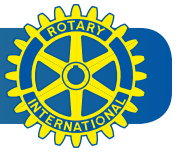
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Object of Rotary

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

First

The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

Second

High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

Third

The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business, and community life;

Fourth

The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

SOME OF OUR FINE MEMBERS ARE LOOKING FOR AFINE?

The following Arden Arcadians didn't make either of the Firesides! We know what could have happened to some of these good members: Bill Hambrick was probably traveling with his wonderful wife? (The President will find our Bill!) Phyllis Green was probably pow-wowing against some Indian tribe! Gary Johnson....international travel? Let's see....Dave Dahmen....east coast, perhaps?

We haven't seen Les Reese or Jack Worthington in awhile, however, these two great "rule of 85-ers" are absent with good reason, we know. However, we DO have some other Rule of 85 members that don't need to be singled out in this small feature.... but...we missed you!

However, for those of you who.....just.....forgot????? I know the President may have a message for you when next he sees you at lunch!

Many thanks for Patt McCormick and to Bruce and Nancy Stimson for opening their homes for the Firesides. Your special efforts are appreciated.

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AN INTERESTING NOTE

At five minutes and six seconds after 4 am on the 8th of July this year, the time and date will be: **04:05:06 07/08/09**

Upcoming Events

May 8-10District Conference
May 12Scholarship Program, John Gabriel
May 1911 am - Carvell Printing Tour

May 26 "Advertising Day"
May 29Petersen Golf Tournament, Woodcreek, Roseville
June 2Club Assembly
June 12Demotion for President Borg
June 21-24International Convention

Weekly meetings are held at noon on Tuesdays at the Buonarroti Restaurant in Town & Country - Same location as the old "The Chateau"



MEETING NOTES.....

President Jason Borg called the meeting to order at Noon. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Jed Van Wagner and a warm Invocation was given by Gary Johnson. Lunch was served.

Stewart Guthrie introduced his lovely wife Kathryn. Sheila introduced Erik Nooran who is a visiting Rotarian from North Highlands.

Jeri gave an update on the 2nd Annual Petersen Cup Golf Tournament. There will be lots of golfers BUT Sponsorships are greatly needed. Know anyone who might be interested - get them signed up!

Prez Borg said that he received an email from Carolyn, listing all the No Shows for the Fireside Chats, but he unfortunately left the list at the office. He said that anyone on the list that couldn't pass the 4 Way Test would be fined \$1.00 - this caused an up roar with the group. ONLY \$1.00!!! What could he be thinking??

Dave Dahmen was fined \$10 - \$1 for each year he and his lovely wife Joan have been married. Prez Borg then asked Tom Griffin if he was still married! Tom allowed as he and Maggie have been married for 8 years. Phil Sherwood paid a \$20.00 fine for an award he recently received, for a training course he gave the DMV, it was so noted in the Bee!

Sharon Camandona introduced the guests from SMUD. Howard Posner, President, Board of Directors, and Paul Lau, Deputy Assistant General Manager, addressed the proposed 9.5 percent increase, effective Sept. 1, 2009, and a 3.5 percent increase on Jan. 1, 2011. They have been conducting community meetings and public workshops throughout SMUD's service area to get input from customers before a decision is made. SMUD is the nation's sixth largest community-owned power district in terms of customers served. SMUD has been hit hard by the loss of customers - just like a lot of businesses. While SMUD has cut internal costs they are facing a \$90 million shortage. SMUD will vote on the increase at their June 4th meeting. Questions and Answers followed. Simple solutions - we all need to learn to use less energy.

Raffles were held: Carol Carvell won the first \$10, followed by Stan Affonso, and Sharon Camandona was unsuccessful in finding the Ace of Spades.

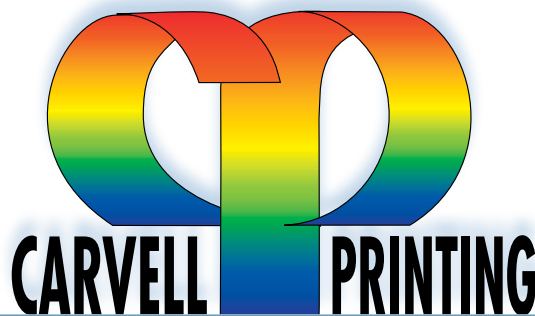
Meeting adjourned.



*Howard Posner
President
Board of Directors, SMUD*



*Paul Lau
Deputy Assistant
General Manager, SMUD*



MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!!

There will be a vocational meeting starting at 11 a.m. on May 19th at Carvell Printing. They are located at 1720 Fulton Avenue. Take a tour of the facility and learn all about the printing process! The Club Meeting will be held at Buonarroti's afterwards at noon, just like normal.



PETERSEN GOLF TOURNAMENT, MAY 29, 2009

We have the 2nd Annual Petersen Cup Golf Tournament. Jeri Petersen is leading this effort. Please, please offer to assist her! She reports that she now has 30 teams signed up. There is room for a few more! Don't be left out. For \$150 each, you can enjoy a day of golf at Woodcreek Golf Club in Roseville....shotgun start. There is an excellent dinner planned. Those of you who won't be on the course may still attend the dinner for \$35 each. There will be auction items and winners all around.

Proceeds from the event go to the Children's Receiving Home and the Rotary Club of Arden Arcade Foundation. Mark your calendar for Friday May 29, 1 p.m. Jeri needs workers, sponsors, golfers....

OUR LOVING THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS FOR FRED KNOWLES, SHELBY KNOWLES AND THEIR FAMILY...

On Saturday, May 16, 2009, a memorial service is planned for Fred Knowles at the Heritage Clubhouse, 2481 Heritage Park Lane, Sacramento. To reach the Clubhouse:
North of I-5 to the Yuba City cut-off. Take Elkhorn Blvd., right. At the second signal (Borough), turn right. Then take first right, go through gate to Clubhouse. Time for service is 12 noon.

4 - Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do...

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Complaints are not accepted, but if you need to contact us:
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CELEBRATIONS!

BIRTHDAYS

Tim Chambers - May 13

ANNIVERSARIES

Brian Wiese - May 6

Dave Dahman - May 10