



The Rotary Club of Steveston

12111 - 3rd Avenue, Richmond, BC V7E 3K1

Club Bulletin for August 2007



President Sally Houston welcomed members and guests to the Tuesday 7:00 am breakfast meeting at the Steveston Hotel. The Queen and Country were toasted, and the invocation was given.

August 7 Guests: Darren Molder

Meeting Notes: (Speaker: Darren Molder – Richmond Health, Foodsafe)

- Darren Molder gave a seminar on Foodsafe for public events, and those present received certificates.
- Jimmy Ng Bursaries were announced for two in training at RCMP Depot.
- The Twin Oaks Derby, and the Richmond Maritime Festival were mentioned.

August 14 Guests: Felicitas, Youth Exchange student from Germany

Meeting Notes: (Member meeting, and Induction)

- Felicitas provided a bit of information about herself.
- Peter thanked Rob N, Deb, Don P, Judy and others for helping raise \$2150 at the Twin Oaks Derby. Cheques were issued to the FoodBank, City Centre for community festivals, First Responders & for a bursary.
- A banner was presented by Jack on behalf of a visiting daughter of a member in Scotland.
- Bill M noted that club members had donated \$43,500 to Rotary Foundation since 2001, and that the club members have earned 35 Paul Harris's.

August 21 Guests: Gord Dalglish

Meeting Notes: (Member meeting)

- Planning for September Car Show. Comments about September dental trip to Guatemala.
- We now have an incorporated non profit society, and are pursuing charitable status.
- Gateway "Clink" wine festival mentioned. River Rock golf tournament \$150 entry fee.

August 28 Guests: D.G. Dean & Rhino Rohr, A.D.G. Gord Dalglish, Pedro Ching from H.K.

Meeting Notes: (District Governor's Annual Visit – Dean Rohr)

- D.G. Dean Rohr gave an informative speech. Among a wide ranging past she was an ER nurse for Dr. Christiane Barnard. She spoke of first joining Rotary as a Rotary Ann. Dean spoke about poverty in the world, insufficient water, lack of proper education, and Rotary's efforts to address these issues. She spoke of the Rotary Leadership Institute and the May 15-18 2008 seminar at the River Rock Hotel, and the guest speakers. She also described Club Trainer role.
- Neville Atkinson was named our clubs 1st honorary member of 2007-08.
- Planning comments were made about the upcoming Car Show.
- Comments were made about the upcoming dental trip to Guatemala.

UPCOMING EVENTS and REMINDERS

REGULAR MONTHLY:

St. Alban's Meal: 2nd Tues at 4:30 pm
 Gilmore Meal: 4th Thurs at 5:00 pm
The meeting handout and our website provide a more detailed event listing.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Steveston Rotary Car Show, Sept. 2.
 Thompson Nibbles & Bites, Sept. 9 & 10
 Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup, Sept. 18
 Steveston Rotary Board Meeting, September 20, 7 AM

BIRTHDAYS:

Richard, Don B,
 Thomas, Trevor