



ROTARY CLUB OF STEVESTON

Club Bulletin for February 20, 2007



OPENING:

President **Jack Evans** welcomed members and guests to the 7:00 am meeting. **Sue Smith** – Toast. **Bob Jones** – invocation.

GUESTS:

Steve Johnson - California Raphael Santos - Taiwan

NOTES:

- **President Jack Evans** thanked the Family Committee - - **Thelma & Sally** - for all their hard work organizing the successful Family event on Saturday night. The evening was enjoyed by all.
- **Bob Butterworth** talked about the Jimmy Ng event concerning the family’s connection and profile. **Sally Houston** suggested that some of the proceeds go towards scholarships, perhaps those following a law enforcement discipline. A general discussion ensued regarding the future of the event.
- **Peter Mitchell** provided feedback on the Leadership event which discussed the direction of the District down to the club level, covering topics such as bringing in new members and publicity.
- **Don Pfeffer** may have finalized sponsors and contributors to the wine glasses. Tickets will be available 2 weeks from today’s meeting - they must be pre-paid.
- **Sally Houston** thanked those who have helped with the Community Meals so far and sent around a list to fill for the upcoming one at Gilmore - 5-7pm - park underneath “on a fish”.
- **Trevor Stickler** has a cheque to deliver for the Winter Family Festival.
- **Peter Mitchell** attended the School District’s 100 year anniversary event where **Sally Houston** provided the \$6,000 scholarship award from funds from the Dream Auction.
- **Sean Graham** provided a membership update on those who are on a leave and some return dates.
- **President Jack Evans** read out a portion of an email received from **Danica Meursing** who attended the Junior Achievement event with **Noel Philippot**.
- **Don Burgess** relayed a story about the decommissioned ambulance destined for Honduras.
- **Don Pfeffer** had been contacted by the School District who had books - fortunately they were sent directly out to Riverview for forwarding on.
- **Sue Smith** advised that the RYLA event is on and thanked those involved for their help.
- **Sue Smith** also advised that she is organizing a coach to transport those attending the District Conference in Kelowna, with a suggestion of a wine tour in the area. **Dieter Howald** kindly offered his hospitality to include a visit and possibly a party at his house. Motion carried by all!
- As a Paul Harris recipient, **Sue Smith** advised that IBM is contributing \$500 to her \$1,000 and this is reflected in her pin.

UPCOMING EVENTS & REMINDERS:

REGULAR MONTHLY:

St. Alban’s Meal: 2nd Tues at 4:30 pm
Gilmore Meal: 4th Thurs at 5:00 pm

Check meeting agenda handout and our website for detailed updates & events not listed in club notes.

RYLA Camp Jubilee, Indian Arm	March 22-25
5040 District Assembly	March 31
Steveston Seafood & Wine Festival	April 27
District Conference, Kelowna	May 17-20
Jimmy Ng Tournament	May 26 & 27
International Conference, Utah	June 17 - 20
Officer Induction Dinner, Charthouse	June 30