



The Rotary Club of Steveston

12111 - 3rd Avenue, Richmond, BC V7E 3K1
Club Bulletin for October 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.

October 2 Guests: Gord Dalglish

Meeting Notes: (Speaker: Cory Viala, Nelson Rotary, Honduras Ambulance)

- Ambulance arrived in July in Guatemala (so hit with \$1800 duty). Transferred to Honduras and made 1st call for woman in renal failure within hours – before tandem wheels even installed.
- Susan J. Smith Memorial service Sat. Oct. 27 at Richmond Funeral Home. Donations including 3 weeks happy/sad \$\$ to Peace Garden at Terry Nova Park.
- Garage Sale yielded \$580 for Dream Auction.

October 9 Guests:

Meeting Notes: (Club Meeting)

- Sally represented club at Rotoract /Interact dinner. 40 there. G Dalglish, B Blacker, C Cheung.
- Bill advised Whale of a Book Sale Oct 21. We collect for local seniors homes and overseas thereafter.
- Club events screen and Tents to be purchased. Roger in Metro Theatre Agatha Christie production.

October 16 Guests: Steve Nicholson

Meeting Notes: (Speaker: Steve Nicholson – Villages of Hope, Africa)

- Send “Boxes of Love” to youth 3-5, 6-8, 9-12, and books in Dec. for May.
- Wine Festival will require changes without Pat. Dec. Seniors meal, and Santa Claus Parade.

October 23 Guests: Corrine, Linda Evans, Susan & Michele Nielsen, Joan & Charlie Haws, Maya Taniwa

Meeting Notes: (Speaker: Charlotte Diamond & Harry Diamond)

- Charlotte played a number of songs from her repertoire and involved the entire club: Four Hugs a Day; May There Always be Sunshine; I Am a Bubble; I Wanna Be a Dog; Leave the World a Little Bit Better. They’ll be playing at Lansdowne Mall Nov. 17.
- Susan J. Smith Service starts promptly at 2 PM, volunteer ushers there by 1 PM, Jim doing traffic.
- City Centre Community Association hit by plane 4 days ago. Steveston CC 50th anniversary soc hop.

October 30 Guests: Larry Pretty, ~Rick Thompson)

Meeting Notes: (Lee Bennett Induction Ceremony)

- ~25 from club attended Susan J Smith Celebration of Life including family members of Rotarians.
- Doug presented a draft events screen layout for comment. Guatemala trip covered in Richmond News.
- Sally thanks those who helped with this weeks Gilmore Park meal. Dream Auction Nov. 24.
- Bill away delivering Richmond Sports Council Seniors Games Bid to Victoria.

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:

Susan J. Smith, Celebration of Life, Saturday, October 27.
Steveston Rotary Board Meeting Nov. 15, 7 AM
Rotary Foundation Dinner \$70, 6 PM Nov. 23, Hellenic Centre
Dream Auction, Saturday, November 24, 2007 \$32

BIRTHDAYS:

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