



The Rotary Club of Steveston

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

September 4 Guests:

Meeting Notes: (Club Meeting)

- Bob B and Don P commented on final preparation on Steveston Rotary's 1st Car Show & Shine.
- All who attended the District Govenors visit and evening planning session beforehand were thanked.
- Rob M outlined plans for the Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup and circulated a signup list.
- Peter mentioned a group meeting at J. Ratsoy's car collection. Bill M mentioned the Library book sale.
- Two potential new members received 1st reading. The annual Garage sale was mentioned.

September 11 Guests: Jim Kojima, Lorne Slye

Meeting Notes: (Speakers: Jim Kojima & Lorne Slye – Steveston Legacy Project)

- Jim Kojima & Lorne Slye outlined plans for the Steveston Legacy Project, a statue. \$100,000 of \$150,000 has been raised and it is hoped to be installed in the autumn of 2008.
- Bob B and Don P were complimented on a successful 1st Steveston Rotary's Car Show & Shine.
- Bill M mentioned a December Santa Claus Parade.
- The Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup was mentioned.

September 18 Guests: John Madsen

Meeting Notes:

- 6 year member Sue Smith passed away while attending a Rotary Zone 22 conference in Halifax last weekend. She was a past president and had been active in RYLA and District 5040.
- Rob M was congratulated on a very successful shoreline cleanup. We were also joined by students from McMath and Homma Schools and volunteers from St Anne's Church.
- Garage sale approved, September 29th in the Steveston Community Centre parking lot. Items?
- 2nd reading potential new members. Potential Volunteers are Stars nominations?

Sepetember 25 Guests: Belinda Boyd

Meeting Notes: (Speaker: Belinda Boyd, Vancouver Coastal Health- Richmond Safe Communities)

- Safe Communities was started 10 years ago in memory of 19 year old Sean Kells. Meeting Sunday 11-3 pm at Library. Also involved with programs like Meth Watch. www.SafeCommunities.com
- A scholarship will be renamed in honor of late Susan J. Smith.
- Caroline circulated a pledge sheet for a 10 Km walk, International China concern.
- Garage Sale planning continued.

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 Board Meeting Oct. 18, 7 AM
Rotary Leadership Institute \$85, Oct. 20, Jan. 26, May 15
Rotary Foundation Dinner \$70, 6 PM Nov. 23, Hellenic Centre

BIRTHDAYS:

Eric, Bill M,
Jim