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November is Rotary Foundation Month

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The Rotary Foundation is our “bank”. The Foundation provides Rotary clubs with the power to eradicate polio and make a real difference in the lives of others. Wear your PHF pin with pride and encourage others to become sustaining members.

Municipal elections are on 19 November. Please vote.

Club Assembly

President Deb led us through and announcement-packed agenda. She is obviously having too much fun as our president! The Board approved a donation of \$500 for the Cumberland Marching Band, \$200 to assist with the support of the Christmas hamper for the family of six that we will support this year. Three COL Enactments were presented to the club, Of the three, the only one to receive approval from our club was the one initiated by the RC of Tumwater that would see separate, annual RI themes disappear in favour of using our motto: as our sole theme in Rotary, making it a “brand” that will be clear and without confusion for Rotarians an the public as well. On 4 December, it is planned that a pancake breakfast will be held to raise funds and collect donated items for the food bank. Unlike most food bank drives, this one will have a focus on Basics for Babies, asking that baby food, diapers, other baby-related items and cash be donated by those attending in exchange for a delicious pancake breakfast. Robb Presented a moving video on the Rotary Foundation and Auctioneer Dave auctioned off scarves knit by Brenda Flannery with all the money going to TRF. Each scarf sold for \$55. Thank you, Brenda.



Announcements

All political lives, unless they are cut off in midstream at a happy juncture, end in failure, because that is the nature of politics and human affairs. ~Joseph Chamberlain (1977)

Jill Cornwell is always interested in suggestions for speakers: jcornwell@shaw.ca Jill is also accepting donations of good books for our library at Cumberland Lodge.



From President Deb: Will be attending a gathering in Nanaimo on Wednesday to meet and greet Jeneece and celebrate the progress of fundraising to date to create a Rotary room at Jeneece place. An e-mail with the location and time was sent to everyone earlier.

Linda announced that we will be supporting a Cumberland family of six with a hamper and asked that we each donate \$20 to help purchase food stuffs and gifts.

Jill announced that BCAA has offered us two tickets to a Canucks game. Air for two to Vancouver will be donated by Pacific Coastal Airline and Keith is working on hotel accommodations. As soon as all the details have been confirmed, we will offer the package like we did last time, through our website and Facebook page.

November Greeters: Dodie and Jill.

Greeters' Duties: Arrive by 6:30 AM, set up room, greet everyone as people arrive and hand out badges, help with visitors' name tags and make-up cards. Return room to original setup.

Rotary Moment

Rotary Foundation Month



November is Rotary Foundation Month. Your support of the Annual Programs Fund through the Every Rotarian, Every Year initiative makes it possible for The Rotary Foundation to continue its work of Doing Good in the World.

Attendance: 26 Cumberland Rotarians attended our meeting on 15 November. We missed the company of: Alan, Cathe, Rob, Stefan, Jon and Wayne Visiting Rotarian: Paul Edgington of the RC of Pemberton Centennial. Guests: Melissa Varkonja, Bill Ransom, Brenda Flannery and Roger Kishi.

Birthdays and Anniversaries in November

Birthdays: 24 Liz Phillipson and 25 Stefan Pletscher. Anniversaries: 18 President Deb Nolan and Bayne Mann and 19 John and Peg Challenger. Best wishes to all from our club.

Parting Shots



President Deb thanked Bill Ransom for his support to our Extravaganza Italiana 2011.

November Programs

- 22 - LeighAnn and Onyx Vaughan - Assam, Fertile Ground
- 29 - Dan Gallant - Rotary World Help Network

Chuckle Corner

