



# The Miner's Lamp

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## The Month of October is Vocational Service Month

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Vocational service involves aspiring to high ethical standards, recognizing the worthiness of all useful occupations, and contributing professional talents to solve society's problems and meet community needs.

## Club Assembly



With her hair combed and her lippy on, President Deb led us through a busy assembly agenda on Tuesday. She reminded the executive and board that there will be a meeting with DG David Stocks at her home on Monday, 24 October at 7 PM. The DG's official visit will occur on

Tuesday, 25 October and President Deb asked that everyone make an effort to attend the meeting to meet David and Frances Stocks.

The Directors provided reports of their activities and Christine summarized the Seventh Annual Extravaganza Italiana. We raised more than \$46K before expenses, which are still being finalized. A successful event made possible by the generosity of our community through the donations we received and the hard work of club members, family members and friends of the club. Christine also thanked everyone who provided feedback to her and the other co-chairs, Rob and Leslie. The committee will consider raising ticket prices for next year's event and will finalize the actual date. Thank you cards will be written to be mailed to all of our donors at Christine's home on Thursday, 26 October. Please let Christine know if you can help.

## Announcements

Life is like photography - you use the negatives to develop ~ From Kim's FB page.

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



- From President Deb: Leslie Baird was declared Mayor of Cumberland on Friday. Congratulations Your Worship! Dawn to Dawn shoes and gift vouchers have been distributed to the homeless. Anyone interested in manning a Salvation Army Kettle for the Christmas Cheer Campaign is asked to contact Dawn at: 250-338-5133. Our club will put together two hampers for needy families again this year.
- **October Greeters:** Cathe Egan and Bill Armstrong
- **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 Vocational Service



Through the Avenue of Vocational Service, Rotarians contribute their professional expertise and skills to address societal problems and needs, while promoting high ethical standards.

See a gallery of vocational service activities and read a roundup of model vocational service projects at: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

**Attendance:** 20 Cumberland Rotarians attended our meeting on 18 October. We missed the company of: Catherine, Alan, Steve, Debbie, Kurt, Linda, Liz, Kim, and Paul . Guests: Coral Copeland of the Cumberland Lodge, Melissa Varkonja and Olaf Hinriches.

### Birthdays in October

Birthdays: 7 Bill Armstrong, 16 Kim Sleno, 20 Alinda Ware and 25 Catherine Bell. No one celebrates a wedding anniversary in October. Best wishes to all from our club.

## Parting Shots



The stimulator is pictured on the right



Jill and David presented a cheque for \$1200 to Coral Copeland of the Cumberland Lodge for a Sensory Stimulator for dementia and brain-injured patients. The money was raised through the online auction of hockey tickets donated by BCAA

## October Programs

25 - Official Visit of DG David Stocks and Frances Stocks

## Chuckle Corner

