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Rotary Club of West Vancouver Sunrise



Proceedings of the meeting of June 17, 2004

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Invocation:

Nico

Guests/Visitors:

Tamara came to breakfast this morning.

Regrets:

Ray, John, Hendrik, Robert.

Club Business/Announcements:

- Val welcomed everyone with the reminder that next week the new Board of Directors will be installed at the Capilano GCG, 07:15 June 24.
- The Club Social hosted by Tamara is this Saturday at her residence in Gibson's Landing. Ferries leave Horseshoe Bay at 09:20 and 11:20. Potluck.
- Board Meeting: the Board has decided to make a contribution to the Rotary Foundation in the name of our Guest Speakers; the tax receipt will be forwarded to the speaker.
- Cancer Society/Run for the Cure: the weather was not the best but the atmosphere was great: tofu and fruit (who knew?), music, runners and walkers. Thanks to all who pitched in to make it a great day!
- LOPS: Sam spoke briefly about the lunch out program for seniors. Four seniors have been dined so far and more to come! Let Sam know when you are available and meet some new friends.
- Canada Day Shake Shack: don't forget your four-litre bottle of milk and your sense of humour and fellowship. See you there!
- A Special Events/Fundraising meeting will be held at Vicki's residence Tuesday July 6th, everyone is welcome, bring your thinking caps.
- Ian has spoken with Doug MacCauley of the West Vancouver Youth Orchestra regarding a possible fundraiser/concert to benefit the Orchestra and Sunrise Rotary Service projects.
- WineFest 2004: Klaus asked that everyone seek out auction items for this year's Gala at the Capilano Mall. The event promises to be a great success and great fun!
- The Gourmet dinner for 10 took place last Saturday night with Rotarians mixing with Chefs and Butlers to make a wonderful evening

for the winning bidder at our Casino Night auction.

- Quarterly dues are now \$250.00 to cover the cost of the increase in District dues.
- Ian reports that support is flowing in for El Hogar: matching grants will be sought, the Rotary World Help Network will be involved and offers of help are coming in from other Rotary Clubs as well as Rotaract and Interact
- **Incoming President** Janice Bosley has asked that the Club set aside time at our July 8th meeting to discuss the new Board's duties and portfolios.
- **Youth/Vocational Service:** Ken wrapped up a very successful year with a review of all the great strides made. Interact at Rockridge School has had an unbelievable first year with membership topping 50 and successful Community and International Service projects completed, the Ambleside Youth Centre will again be funded for the Work Experience program, and Klahanie saw big changes with the Club actively involved with the Seniors and children through LOPS, movie night/pizza, the reading program and meetings with the tenant groups.
- **Club Service:** Mark reported briefly on the area of service: Ian's speaker program was a tremendous success, the Club maintained a high level of attendance, Fellowship outside of Rotary is likely still the best of any Club anywhere!, membership slipped slightly but this will just give us a new goal for

the coming year! Thanks go out especially to Val who made the year a great one!

- **International Service.** Marko reports that while last year was somewhat slow, the groundwork was laid for a great year to come with the Rotary World Help Network and possible projects in Honduras and elsewhere.

50/50/happy/sad:

No winners, no losers.

Meeting adjourned.



LOPS in action. The Lunch Out Program for Seniors saw two Rotarians, Jim Wright (far right) and Nico Human (second left) take two Klahanie ladies to lunch. On the left is Gwen Cornfield and second from right is Lorraine Bates.