



Our Weekly Club Bulletin

The Rotooter

September 3, 2015

Rotary
Club of Orangeville



Welcome Back to our Regular Meetings!

After a Summer of BBQs with lots of great fellowship and fun, we return to the Hall for our regular weekly meetings under the guidance of President Knut.

Most of all, let's have fun and work hard in Service Above Self to make this a truly successful year for our great Rotary Club of Orangeville!

Membership and Roster Updates

Sorry to See You Go!

We are sorry to hear that two of our members have retired, Peter Danchuk and Barb McLeod. We understand the reasons for both folks leaving and certainly wish them well in the future.

The good news is that both have indicated they want to become Friends of Rotary to keep in touch with us and participate when possible.

Thanks Peter & Barb for all your years of service to RCO!

New Sgt at Arms

President Knut was pleased to announce that our new Sgt at Arms for the coming year will be Kourtney Livingston - great choice, should be a fun year!

Club Roster and Committee List

We will be updating the List and re-issuing it shortly. Be sure to look it over and confirm what committees you will be serving on.

Sad News:

Former RCO member, and President 1984-85, **Bob Fowler** passed away Sept 1st.

Visitation is next Wednesday, Sept 9th at St. Mark's Anglican Church - 10:00am to noon with the Service at noon.

In This Issue.....

- Business Meeting - **Lots to hear after the Summer!**
- Giant Rotary Golf Ball Drop - **coming soon!**
- Dinner of the Month - **First Draw Oct 1st!**
- Bee Keeping Project Grant - **Approved!**

Upcoming Rotary Meetings:

Sep 10 tba (Ribfest Mtg to follow)

Sep 17 tba

Sep 24 tba

Oct 01 Business Meeting

Oct 08 tba

Oct 15 tba

Oct 22 tba

Today's Meeting:

Guests:

John Meek was our only visitor tonight, here to speak to us as Champion for Friends of Rotary!

Birthdays

none

Rotary Anniversaries

none

Wedding Anniversaries:

none

Attendance:

18 of 36=50%

Weekly Draw:

held over to next week

Sgt. at Arms

No Sgt tonight, busy meeting, but we look forward to our new Sgt on duty next week!

The Rotooter

The Rotooter will have several Authors in the coming year, including **Susan Zbinden** and **Doug Harkness**. We look forward to their new ideas.

We are always looking for things to publish so Committees and Members please send us stuff!

Business Meeting

Treasurer's Report

Sure looks like a smooth transition has taken place from former Treasurer Ingrid to new Treasurer Dave, well done! Dave presented the 2014-15 Year End details and the 2015-16 Budget. After discussion, both reports were moved, seconded and approved by the club.

Our International Project Grant is Approved

P.D.G. Mike Gauthier has confirmed that our District Grant from Rotary Foundation for our Bee Keeping Project in Tanzania has been approved and funded! All we need to do now is proceed with the next steps of submitting a final report in the District Grant Module!



6 bee hives are in place and have bee colonies, great news!



Craft Beer Fest Report

Preliminary figures show a good profit, great work co-chairs Tauyna and Lorna!

Golf Ball Drop

All ticket stubs and cash must be in Lorna's hands before noon Tuesday so the balls can be numbered ready for a "test drop" in advance of the actual event 2:00pm Sat. Sept 12th.



Friends of Rotary - a new champion!

John Meek has accepted Knut's invitation to be F.O.R. Champion. John summarized the importance of this group and outlined some potential win/win situations for us. He will submit a full report shortly for action.

Ticket Selling Everywhere!

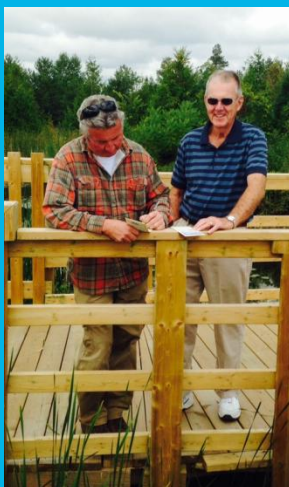
Even at the Trail Opening!

Only Wee Fred can sell tickets to anyone, anywhere, anytime!

Here he catches Larry on the Bridge just prior to the official opening!

Are you as prepared? Always carry tickets?

Must be Fred's Boy Scout background
- Be Prepared!



R.I. News

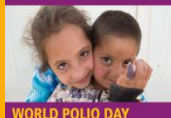
New Theme & New President

K.R. Ravindran of Sri Lanka



Be a gift to the world

END POLIO NOW: MAKE HISTORY TODAY
Rotary's Livestream Event



WORLD POLIO DAY
24 October 2014 | 6:30 p.m. CST
#EndPolioNow #MakeHistoryToday

World Polio Day

Oct 23rd. RCO and RCOH will be approaching the Mayor to declare that date World Polio Day in Orangeville

District News

Interclub Fellowship Event

Sun Sept 13 12 noon - 3:00pm at the Taoist Tai Chi International Centre, Mono. RCO is joining with RCOH and the Rotary Club of Mississauga West. Please confirm by answering the e-vite!

District Conference

Sept 18-20 in Burlington, register on 7080 website

Rochester Fellowship Dinner

Sun. Oct 18, join President Knut for the trip

R.I. Leadership Institute

Sat. Oct 24 register on 7080 website

Rotary Day at the United Nations

Sat. Nov 7 more details next week

Out & About in Our Community:

- 161st Fall Fair at the Fairgrounds
Sept 4th, 5th 6th details at www.oaseventcentre.ca
- Ferguson Memorial 5k Walk
Sun. Sept. 7th
At Island Lake Trails, 9:30am \$20 registration, proceeds to Family Transition Place. Details at www.fergusonmemorialwalk.com
- Headwaters House Tour
Sat. Sept. 19th proceeds for Hospital Equipment
Tickets \$45. phone 519-941-2410 x2268
- Mayor's Breakfast for the Arts
Thurs. Sept. 24th 7:00am at Tony Rose
Tickets now available for \$15 at Town Hall.
- Taste of Autumn (RCOH)
Sat. Oct 24th details www.rcoh.ca

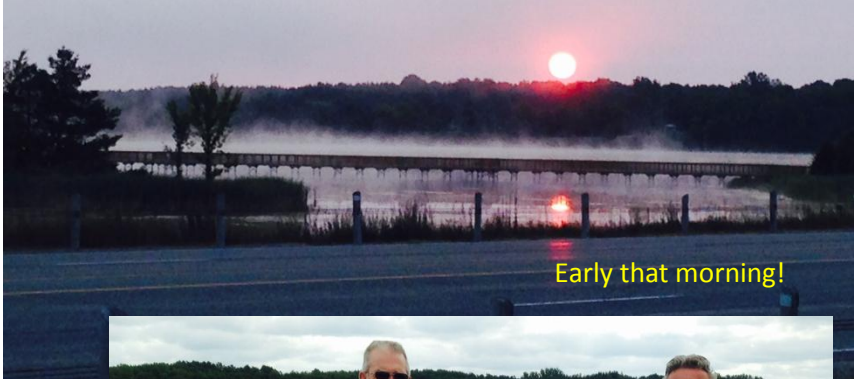
Yours in Rotary,
Don Voisey, Editor for today

Island Lake Bridges Officially Opened!

After years of volunteer hours by many community folks including Rotarians Fred Murphy, Larry Dee and Doc Gillies, the Vicki Barron Lakeside Trail was officially opened as a complete circle of Island Lake.

The Official Ribbon Cutting was well attended by dignitaries, volunteers, Rotarians, Lions and other members of the public.

Well done, and thanks to all who volunteered and all who donated to the cause! This is a true asset to our whole community.



Early that morning!



On the
Rotary/Gillies'
lookout



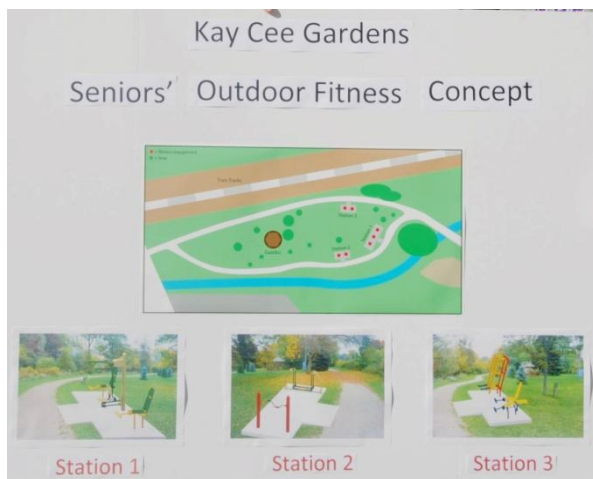
Ready for the ribbon cutting



Politicians and
the Town Crier



Count the Rotary Folks!



Outdoor Fitness Equipment

The Town of Orangeville has completed installation of outdoor fitness equipment for use by Seniors and others in keeping with an initiative of the Seniors/Age Friendly Community Committee.

To quote Councillor Scott Wilson as quoted in The Banner, *"This initiative, spearheaded by former Orangeville Council member Mary Rose and the Seniors Committee, serves to recognize the amazing contributions seniors make to our community and take their needs into account as we enrich our facilities."*

Seniors Exercise & Falls Prevention Classes

Upcoming Sept 9th is an Information and Registration Session at Montgomery Village that may be of interest.

See all the details and contact information on the poster:

Are you a senior who can benefit from Exercise & Falls Prevention Classes?

Join the Central West Community Care Access Centre (CCAC) for an **Information and Registration Session**

Wednesday September 9, 2015

Montgomery Village

155 Riddell Rd., Orangeville

Pub and Sports Lounge, Lower Level

Anytime between 10:00 AM—3:00 PM



Meet our staff. Learn more about classes being offered throughout Orangeville and Dufferin County. **Bring your OHIP card.** A physiotherapist will be available—wear comfortable clothing and supportive footwear!

Classes are free to seniors and funded through the Central West Local Health Integration Network (LHIN)

For more information, call 1-888-733-1177, ext. 7744

or visit www.centralwesthealthline.ca and

click



**Central West Physiotherapy
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