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District 7070

The Rotary Club of Wellington

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Rotarian of the Year 2018-2019

David Smith

Rotary



July 17/2018

Club #60346

Today: Don Wakefield, Kristen Nash and Brian Leavitt - Rotary Youth Exchange Program

President's Remarks

Have you ever noticed babies are born without fear, prejudice or hate? We are all born with openness to learn new things, love, smile, and embrace things and concepts which we don't yet understand. The ability to learn different languages and appreciate different cultures is all sharpest when we are young. But it is also in our youth that we learn to fear or prejudge that which is foreign to us.

What if we gave our youth the opportunity to immerse themselves in a foreign land in a safe and friendly environment to learn new cultures, languages, and make new friends? Would we help erase some of the racism and xenophobia that is so prevalent in this world today? Would that better understanding between people of different ethnicity, customs, language, and economic reality help create a friendlier world? Rotary Youth Exchange seeks to achieve that vision, one youth at a time.

Through Rotary Youth Exchange, we hope to create a more interconnected and understanding world. The rationale is that if a student experiences different cultures and meet people from around the world, he/she will be more understanding of foreign people and cultures in their adult life, and this understanding will lead to a more interconnected and peaceful world.

We have in our midst a product of the Rotary Youth Exchange. Kristen as a young adult experienced all the promises of the vision upon which the Rotary Youth Exchange is based. Today she, in collaboration with a couple of other individuals, will provide more insights and help us understand the program better.

Phyo

Last Week: Phyo Kyi - President's Address

Phyo provided us some insight into how he will govern the Club during the next year.

Phyo has labelled us a vibrant club. He will focus on sustaining our vibrant club.

So his areas of Focus will include:

- support and strengthen our club. Increase transparency of the Board plus improve retention.
- Focus and increase our humanitarian and community presence and enhance public image and awareness.
- maintain a strong roster of Club members.
- maintain a strong roster of events

His action plan will include:

- continue to create community symbols of Rotary
- add presence of Instagram to reach more community and younger demographic
- budget for advertising
- more big cheque presentations
- more news about our New Hospital fundraising

He will look at a PEC fest, possible a rib fest.



What an incredible time it is to be a Rotarian in Rotary District 7070. We have just hosted the world in Toronto for the very inspiring 2018 Rotary International Convention, and what a party that was!

Rotary Grace
O Lord and giver of all good We thank thee for our daily food May Rotary friends and Rotary ways Help us to serve thee all our days.

FOUR WAY TEST
Of the things we think, say or do:
1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Future Meetings & Events	
July 24	Joyce Fowler - St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog Program
Aug 21	Jim Dunlop, Mike Harper, Brent Kleinstein - Wellington - Ward 3 Candidates' Panel
Aug 25	2018 Rotary Saturday Night Fever Annual Fundraising

Karen reported from the RI Convention about the Scarborough Rotary Club on-line children's reading program for kids 4-12. Each child can set up his or her own account and progress at his/her own speed. Karen circulated an e-mail with details.

During a session at the RI Convention, Wellington Rotary was awarded the best Club Bulletin for Past Governor Neil's year. Pictured is Past Pres Alex for his inspiring columns, Kristen for her photos and yours truly as editor.



Visitors last week: Brenda Hellyer (new President Picton Rotary and her partner John Wiens.

Photos by Kristen Nash

Bulletin Editor: Past President Art Sinclair

Monthly Set-Up Teams	
July Team #1	August Team #2
David Hawkins(TL)	Tim Cox(TL)
Lana Whitteker	Charles Lacey
Bill Mitchell	Pierre LeBrun
Barry Davidson	Geoff Telling
Parker Gallant	Kristen Nash
David Smith	Brian McGowan
Sharon Campbell	Michelle Kosoy
Dave Robinet	William Mulholland
Kim Lee	

Birthdays/Anniversaries		Date
Birthdays	None	
Anniversaries	Tim & Nancy Cox 42 Years	July 17
	Kim & Rosanne Lee 38 Years	July 19

Bottle Duty Schedule for July		
Date	9-11AM	11AM-1PM
Wed July 18	John I. Karen S. David S.	Barry D. Brian M. Charles L.
Sat July 21	Ted N. Bill M. Alex L.	Howard Z. Karen S. Open
Mon July 23	Tim C. Mike L.	
Wed July 25	John I. David S. Trudy B.	Parker G. Phyo K. Colin F.
Sat July 28	Pierre L. Alex L. David B.	William M. Open Open
Mon July 30	Mike L.	