

The Rotary Club of Wellington



www.wellingtonrotary.ca District 7070 Chartered: November 22, 2002 Rotarian of the Year 2017-2018 **Trudy Brown** April 3/2018 Club #60346

Today: Rob Clute, Executive Director QuinteVation

President's Remarks

In my opinion, a new-born child is the most vulnerable creature in the world. One that needs our love and care for such a long time until it becomes somewhat independent. But alas, aren't our children and grandkids a joy to watch and cuddle?!

In April, Rotary celebrates Maternal and Child Health

Month, one of our six areas of focus. Depending on the source where the number is coming from, but an estimated 6 million children under the age of five die each year from diseases, malnutrition, poor health care and inadequate sanitation – all of which can be prevented. So what is Rotary doing to help and support those women and children that need it the most? Generally speaking, Rotary provides education, immunizations, birth kits, and mobile health clinics. Women are taught how to prevent mother-to-infant HIV transmission, how to breast-feed, and how to protect themselves and their children from disease. Some examples include:

Mobile prenatal clinics: Haiti has the highest maternal and infant mortality rate of any country in the western hemisphere. Rotary provided a fully equipped medical Jeep to volunteers and midwives to reach mothers and children in remote areas.

Cancer screening: Rotarians provided a mobile cancer screening unit and awareness trainings around Chennai, India, where there is a high mortality rate of women with breast and cervical cancer due to late diagnosis.

Preventing injuries and death: Rotary members launched a \$3 million, five-year pilot to save lives of mothers and children during home deliveries in Nigeria.

Rotary makes amazing things happen!

Last Week: Club Forum

Trudy offered the treasurer's report.

Kristen updated the Diners & Duffers book sales.

Social Events-reminder of Trip to <u>Beer Store distribution</u> <u>centre</u> in Whitby on April 10th. Gather at Legion parking lot at 9:00AM. Parker will host a pot-luck supper and that over 30 people had responded so far.

Phyo-reminder about Home Hosting needs for District 7070 Conference.

Mike announced that Past President's night will be June 5th at W.O.L. Recreation Hall.

Howard-wishes to end Bottle Depot scheduling duties. Bill Mitchell offered to take-on.

Projects-waiting for support posts from fabricator. New LED lighting at bottle depot.

Memorial Trees-The County has agreed and is supportive. We must follow their policy guide which includes acceptable tree species. Cost estimated about \$250 per tree plus plaque.

Mike announced that the Wellington Beach project clean-up will be May $8^{\rm th}$ with a BBQ to follow.



Alex

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?

Monthly Set-Up Teams		
April Team #2	May Team #4	
Tim Cox(TL)	Art Sinclair(TL)	
Charles Lacy	Colin Fredericks	
Pierre LeBrun	John Inwood	
Kristen Nash	Dick MacArthur	
Brian McGowan	Dawn Cutler	
Michelle Kosoy	Phyo Kyi	
Dave Robinet	Alex Mayeski	
	Steve Thorn	

Birthdays/Anniversaries		Date
Birthdays	Lana Whitteker	Apr 5
Anniversaries	None	

Bottle Duty Schedule for March/April				
Date	9-11:00AM	11-1:00PM		
Wed	David S.	Sharon C.		
Apr 4	Michelle K.	Barry D.		
Sat	Ted N.	Howard Z.		
Apr 7	Liz B.	Liz B.		
Mon	Tim C.			
Apr 9	Brian M.			
Wed	David S.	Phyo K.		
Apr11	Trudy B.	Parker G.		
Sat	Lana W.	Dawn C.		
Apr 14	Alex L.	Bill M.		
Mon	Mike L.			
Apr 16				
Wed	David S.	Barry D.		
Apr 18	Alex L.	Dave R.		
Sat	Pierre L.	Bill M.		
Apr 21	Karen S.	Dave R.		
Mon	Tim C.			
Apr 23	Brian M.			

Future Meetings & Events			
Apr 10	Field Trip to Beer Store		
	Pot Luck Supper at Parker's House		
Apr 17	Neil Carbone, Director of		
	Community Development-PEC		
Apr 24	Club Forum		
May 1	Birgit Wartenberg-Indigenous		
	Peoples Partnership Committee		

The Rotary Club of Wellington Local Donations to March

for Rotary Year 2017-2018		\$Amount	
	Local Donations		
1	The County Found	ation \$5	00
2	PEFAC	\$10	000
3	Quinte Sailabili	ty \$5	00
4	Royal Canadian Air	Cadets \$5	00
5	Quinte Regional Science	& Tech Fair \$5	00
6	Pumpkinfest	\$5	00
7	Legion	\$10	000
8	VON (Victorian Order	of Nurses \$5	00
9	PEC Alzheimer's So	ciety \$5	00
10	Heal with Horse	es \$10	000
11	PEC Skating Clu	ıb \$10	000
12	PEC Curling Clu	ıb \$10	000
13	ROC (Recreation Outrea	ach Centre \$10	000
14	Community Care for	Seniors \$5	00
15	Matt Stever Fund for An	drea Taylor \$5	00
	Total	\$10500	

Dr. Hancock of the Cattleman's Association presents a \$10,000 cheque to the Wellington Rotary Foundation New Hospital Fund.



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