



# The Rotary Club of Wellington



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District 7070

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David Smith

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Club #60346

## Today: Joyce Fowler - St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog Program

### President's Remarks

If you grew up having a pet at home, most likely it was either a cat or a dog. Personally, our household is more of a cat haven, but for purposes of this bulletin, let's talk about dogs.

It is said that "dogs are a man's best friend". That's because dogs are completely accepting of people, they don't make judgements, they keep you company while they stand loyally by your side, they eat whatever you give them, and offer unconditional affection.

The man-dog bond can be traced back over 15,000 years, ever since humans began living in groups as hunter-gatherers. This long relationship has led dogs to be uniquely perceptive to human behaviour. They can read your moods and your commands, and perform many roles, such as hunting, herding, protection, assisting police, etc. They can also aid handicapped individuals and fulfill therapeutic roles for people in need of healing or companionship.

Today, our guest speaker will be providing more information about the St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog program. I'm told we may even have a therapy dog present at the meeting. So for the dog lovers in the club, you might want to bring a doggie bone treat or two for the lovable canine!

Phyo

### The Rotary Song

R-o-t-a-r-y that spells Rotary  
R-o-t-a-r-y is known on land and sea  
From north to south, from east to west,  
He profits most who serves the best;  
R-o-t-a-r-y that spells Rotary.

### Last Week: Don Wakefield, Kristen Nash and Brian Leavitt - Rotary Youth Exchange Program

Rotary Youth Exchange builds peace one young person at a time.

The objective is to build better understanding, peace and acceptance of different cultures around the world. It provides each participant the opportunity to experience a different part of our world under the protective umbrella of Rotary International.

Don Wakefield of Picton Rotary introduced the exchange program started in Picton in 1976.

This year 9 students will travel abroad. Net costs range from \$7,000 to \$8,500 per student.

Kristen Nash spoke briefly about her experience with a year in Japan in 2005 and she found the year quite challenging. Kristen is now involved in the District Youth Exchange Committee.

Jeremy was the second student and he talked about his year in Brazil. He returned two years ago. They spent their orientation week at a local resort with 63 exchange students.



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	
Aug 14	Kim Lee – Classification Speech
Aug 21	Jim Dunlop, Mike Harper, Brent Kleinsteinuber - Wellington - Ward 3 Candidates' Panel
Aug 25	2018 Rotary Saturday Night Fever Annual Fundraising Event
Oct 16	Mary Lou Harrison- Rotary District Governor Visit

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	None	

Bottle Duty Schedule for July/August		
Date	9-11AM	11AM-1PM
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. Carol L. <b>Open</b>
Mon July 30	Mike L.	
Wed Aug 1	Michelle K. David S. Brian M.	Karen S. Carol L. <b>Open</b>
Sat Aug 4	Pierre L. David M. Bill M.	David B. <b>Open</b> <b>Open</b>
Tues Aug 7	Tim C. Mike L.	
Wed Aug 8	William M. Trudy B. Alex L.	Phyo K. Colin F. Parker G.



**Visitors last week:** Linda Boysen  
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