



The Rotary Club of Wellington



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District 7070

Chartered: November 22, 2002
Rotarian of the Year 2018-2019

July 31/2018
Club #60346

David Smith

Today: Club Forum

President's Remarks

A sign of a vibrant club is not only that members participate in club events, but also that members are keenly interested in the administration of the Club. We will have had our first Board meeting this fiscal year on the Monday.

The stated objective of the Board this year is to be more succinct and clear about the motions we put forward for the Club, to be more transparent about our policies and decisions, and to be action oriented about our resolutions.

We have a great base to work from, thanks to great work by our Past Presidents. Our financials are solid, our revenues are strong, our donations to local charities are varied and generous, and our new hospital building fund is growing.

Treasurer Trudy will be reporting the numbers, sliced and diced in different ways. I will also be presenting the proposed budget for the 2018 fiscal year for the club's approval.

We will also have discussions of the plans from our portfolio directors:

Karen S. for PR and Literacy,

David S. for International and RI,

Parker G. for memberships.

Secretary Howard has done a good job of keeping us organized.

This Tuesday's Club Forum will be very informative, but potentially longer than usual, so make sure you take an extra helping at breakfast!

Phyo

Last Week: Joyce Fowler

St. John Ambulance Therapy Dog Program

Joyce Fowler spent 35 years in the military.

The program started in June, 1992 as a pilot program in Peterborough, Ontario and today more than 3,400 therapy dog teams reach thousands annually.

The program is growing, boasting 3,354 therapy dog program volunteers and dog teams in 2015 which assisted more than 120,000 clients throughout the year. Therapy dog teams gave more than 230,000 hours of their time visiting hospitals, providing relief and distraction for patients awaiting cancer treatments. Also, retirement residences, care facilities, schools and universities.

They do bi-weekly visits to the local Chapters book store in the children's section. They will also visit the witness assistance group at the local Belleville courthouse.

Therapy dogs are owned by their handlers and are not formally trained or certified.

Service dogs are more formally trained for one person to aid with some form of disability and are a large financial investment.

Therapy dogs love to be petted but treats are not encouraged. They will start their work at one year and are evaluated for suitability at several levels depending on where they serve. Evaluation will include temperament and command observance.



St. John Ambulance

SAVING LIVES
at work, home and play

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 Kleinstein - 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 Aug 1	Michelle K. David S. Brian M.	Karen S. Carol L. Open
Sat Aug 4	Pierre L. David M. Bill M.	David B. Open Open
Tues Aug 7	Tim C. Mike L.	
Wed Aug 8	William M. Trudy B. Alex L.	Phyo K. Colin F. Parker G.
Sat Aug 11	Bill M.	Dawn C.
Mon Aug 13	Mike L.	
Wed Aug 15	David S. Alex L. John I.	Karen S. Barry D. Howard Z.

Joyce Fowler with our DawnRN



Dawn's therapy dog Molly.



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