



**March 3, 2009**  
**Editor: Bryan Tastad**

**Rotary Club of  
 Saskatoon Nutana**

**Club No. 1380**  
**Founded May 31, 1961**

**Club Officers**

President	Kim Horan
President-Elect	Dorothy Hudson
Past President	Alice Hanlin
Vice-President	Bill Christensen
Secretary	Jack Scott
Treasurer	Garry Schlichemeyer

**Board of Directors**

Club Administration	Khysar Pasha
Membership	Philip Asea
Public Relations	Eileen Harvey & Dorothy Hudson
Service Projects	Bob MacGillivray
Rotary Foundation	Asit Sarkar

**Rotary Int'l President**

D. K. Lee

**District Governor**

Harold Law

**Assistant Governor**

Winston Gokavi

**Call to Order**

President Kim Horan called the meeting to order in the South Dining Room. After *O Canada* and *Rotary Grace*, Kim thanked Bill Christensen and Keith Downey for working at the desk and Kent Creelman for selling Rotary dollars.

**Visitors**

Greeter Rick Lee welcomed Lou Leventhal, guest of Winston Gokavi.



*Congratulations to Bob Devrome, who received Paul Harris recognition from President Kim.*

**Program – Club Assembly**

Directors reported on their areas of responsibility as follows:

**Khysar Pasha, Club Administration** – We are introducing a new feature of our meetings. One member each week is invited to give a brief report on a recent book he or she has read. Let Khysar know when you would like to make a presentation.

**Jack Scott, Secretary** – Membership is now 54. All are encouraged to help recruit new members.

**Bob MacGillivray** – There are about seven teams re-registered for the **Dragon Boat Festival**, which is about the same as at this time last year. Concentra Financial donated \$1,000 to sponsor the Duck Race. Sask Power will increase its sponsorship from \$10,000 to \$15,000. The

**Websites**

**Club**

[www.rotarynutana.org](http://www.rotarynutana.org)

**District**

[www.rotary5550.org](http://www.rotary5550.org)

**Rotary International**

[www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

Heart and Stroke Foundation will give us 20% of donations received, and is also seeking corporate matching grants.

Bob invited comments on the beer tent. The beer tent and related equipment cost about \$6,500. While we make money on the actual sale of beer, these extra costs are a drain on our profits. Are there alternatives?

In the area of **World Community Service**, we raised about \$1,600 at the Turkey Shoot. This money will go to the Tanzania Tree Project. It is possible we could get involved with a school project in South or Central America.

Bob would like to see the club sponsor a Shelterbox at a cost of \$1,200 and started the ball rolling with a \$100 donation!

**Eileen Harvey, Public Relations** – The next meeting of the Public Relations Committee will be on March 26.

**Kim Horan, President** – Congratulations to Winston Gokavi who has been appointed Assistant Distant Governor. This will mean that Winston will step off the board.



## Announcements

- **Kim Horan** - The Rotary Club of Saskatoon will hold its annual Badge and Shield Dinner on March 26. See any member of that club for tickets.

## Sergeant-at-Arms

Sergeant Winston Gokavi strove to maintain order and decorum with a variety of fines. Happy and sad dollars of note came from Bryan Harvey (cousin played third on the Canadian team that won the world wheelchair curling championship), Lorne Richardson (grandson wrote a play that will be performed this month), Bob Devrome (trip to Florida, Panama Canal and San Diego), Jim Gillis (John Montgomery's son Jeff organized a very successful Blues Festival), Kenn George (has to go to Mesa and Palm Springs), Kim Horan (daughter's birthday), Winston Gokavi (Lou Leventhal will perform as an illusionist at Emmanuel Baptist Church on March 12-13).

## Draws

50/50 - Pot - \$27; Winner – Bob MacGillivray

Co-op Gas Card – Keith Downey

## Call for Applications – Rotary World Peace Fellowships

The Rotary Foundation announces a call for applications for the 2010-12 Rotary World Peace Fellowships. The deadline for completed applications to be submitted to The Rotary Foundation for these sessions is **1 July 2009**.

## Program Synopses

The [Rotary Centers for International Studies](#) program offers fellowships for master's degree and professional development certificate study fields related to peace and conflict resolution. Beyond academics, Rotary World Peace Fellows also gain practical skills in conflict resolution appropriate to their individual careers. Each year, up to 110 Rotary World Peace Fellowships (60 master's degree fellowships and 50 professional development certificate fellowships) are offered on a competitive basis at seven Rotary

Centers, which operate in partnership with eight leading universities (centers offer master's degree unless noted otherwise):

- Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand (professional development center)
- Duke University and University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA
- International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan
- Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina
- University of Bradford, West Yorkshire, England
- University of California, Berkeley, USA
- University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia

Please forward this announcement to friends and colleagues who may be interested in Rotary's peace programs. The program is not open to Rotarians or their family members.

**For More Information**

Please contact [rotarycenters@rotary.org](mailto:rotarycenters@rotary.org) with any questions or to ask for more information. Program materials and participant profiles can be downloaded from <http://www.rotary.org/rotarycenters>

**Program Chairs and Coordinators for upcoming months.**

Month	Program Chair	Desk Workers	Greeters	Sergeants
March 09	Asit Sarkar	Bill Christensen	Norm Woodcock	Rick Lee
April 09	Bill Christensen	Norm Woodcock	Norm Woodcock	Rick Lee
May 09	Joe Dierker/Boris Kishchuk	Lorne Richardson	Norm Woodcock	Rick Lee
June 09	Khysar Pasha	Norm Woodcock	Norm Woodcock	Rick Lee

**Rotary Exchange Students**



*Kevin Binaux of France is being hosted by the Rotary Club of Saskatoon Meewasin. Kevin's counselor is Robert Fisher and he currently is staying at the home of Al and Myrna Muir. He attends Walter Murray Collegiate.*



*Lisa Tomschiczek of Germany is jointly hosted by Saskatoon's Rotary Clubs. Lisa's counselor is Joanne Harpauer-Digneau (Saskatoon North) and her current host family is Darren and Judy Williams. She attends Marion Graham Collegiate. Email: [l.tomschiczek@yahoo.de](mailto:l.tomschiczek@yahoo.de)*

## Program Calendar March 2009

Program Chair: Asit Sarkar

Date	Attendance Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Sgt-at-Arms	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
March 4	Meals on Wheels Driver – Kent Creelman						
March 5	Meals on Wheels Driver – Harold Haid						
March 10	TBA	Larry Neely	Bryan Tastad	Winston Gokavi	Kevin Binaux <i>My Rotary Exchange Year</i>	Khysar Pasha	Rick Lee
March 11	Meals on Wheels Driver – Lorne Richardson						
March 12	Meals on Wheels Driver – Joe Dierker						
March 17	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	Rick Lee	Ayesha Baig <i>Newcomer Centre</i>	Asit Sarkar	Eileen Harvey
March 18	Meals on Wheels Driver – Joe Dierker						
March 19	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
March 24	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	Ray Bannister	Brooke Dobni <i>Professional Programs at Edwards School of Business</i>	Asit Sarkar	Boris Kishchuk
March 25	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver Needed						
March 26	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
March 31	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	Ray Bannister	Smita Garg <i>City's Immigration Initiative</i>	Asit Sarkar	Kent Creelman

## Program Calendar April 2009

Program Chair: Bill Christensen

Date	Attendance Desk	Greeter	Rotana Editor	Sgt-at-Arms	Speaker/Topic	Intro	Club Thanks
April 7	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	TBA	Peter Shiel/Brenda Banbury <i>Rotary Youth Exchange Program</i>	Darren Williams	Norm Woodcock
April 8	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
April 9	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
April 14	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	TBA	Meredith McKague <i>Communication Skills Program in the College of Medicine</i>	Tim Sandell	Boris Kischuk
April 15	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
April 16	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
April 21	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	TBA	Lisa Tomschiczek <i>My Rotary Exchange Year</i>	Philip Asea	Eileen Harvey
April 22	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver Needed						
April 23	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						
April 28	TBA	TBA	Bryan Tastad	TBA	Bill Richards <i>Saskatoon Theological Union's 'Intensive' Courses</i>	Bill Christensen	Winston Gokavi
April 29	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver Needed						
April 30	Meals on Wheels Driver – Driver needed						

## World Community Service Awards

We need your help! District World Community Service Committee is accepting nominations for the five annual awards detailed below. If you know of an individual or a club that deserves a “pat on the back”, based on the criteria, please submit their nomination. Your nomination should include an objective and factually supported achievement record concerning the individual or club attesting to their worthiness to receive such an award. You may wish to access a history of World Community Service projects undertaken by all of the Rotary Clubs in this district by visiting the W.C.S. section of the District 5550 Web Site. Please identify a worthy recipient(s) and submit their name(s) together with details supporting your nomination to the nominating committee chairman, PDG Wayne Claypool by **April 10, 2009**. His email address is: [wclaypool@sasktel.net](mailto:wclaypool@sasktel.net)

The awards will be presented at the 2008 District Conference. We appreciate your assistance and interest in helping us recognize those who have demonstrated significant commitment in assisting others through Rotary's International Avenue of Service.

Yours in Rotary,

Doug Mortin, Chair  
District 5550 WCS

### **D5550 WCS Annual Awards**

#### **Guiding Principle:**

Over the years the World Community Service (WCS) Committee has recognized Rotary clubs, Rotarians and others who have demonstrated significant commitment to assisting others through Rotary's International Avenue of Service.

This has been achieved by awarding recognition at the Annual District Conference in the form of an engraved plaque or other suitable form in the following categories;

- 1. Long Term Individual Award:** The award recognizes a Rotarian who over many years has provided leadership and commitment to achieving successful WCS projects at the Club or District level.
- 2. Short Term Individual Award:** This award recognizes an individual Rotarian or non Rotarian who in the past year has contributed to the goal and objectives of Rotary International's 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue of Service with or on behalf of District 5550.
- 3. Long Term Club Award:** This recognizes a club in the district who over many years has carried out significant WCS projects either in conjunction with the WCS Committee or on an individual basis. The Award recognizes the level of funding as well as successful project management of their project(s) over several years.
- 4. Short Term Club Award:** This recognizes a club in the district who in the past year has carried out a significant WCS project in conjunction with the WCS Committee or on an individual basis. The Award recognizes the level of funding, uniqueness of the project, as well as successful project management.

*The recognition items for all the above is in the form of an appropriately engraved plaque.*

**5. Paul Harris Award:** From time to time the WCS committee may wish to honor and recognize the assistance provided to the District Committee or to an individual club by a person or organization within our client countries. This honor reflects a significant role to assist with project identification, significant problem solving management ensuring that the result is the ability to carry out a successful project or projects. A Paul Harris Fellowship credited to the District 5550 WCS Committee is used for this recognition. The award is announced and presented if possible at the Annual District Conference.