

THE ROTARY CLUB OF RENFREW

PROGRAMS & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

NOVEMBER 10 – CELINE RICHARD –
NOVEMBER 11 – DIRECTORS' MEETING –
7:30 A.M., Money Concepts
NOVEMBER 17 – CLUB ASSEMBLY
NOVEMBER 24 – BILL RINGROSE – Steven
Lorbetskie, Adventure in Hi Tech
DECEMBER 1 – ANDREW RITCHIE
DECEMBER 8 – NEIL RITCHIE
DECEMBER 9 – DIRECTORS' MEETING, 7:30 A.M.
Scapa Tapes
DECEMBER 15 – CLUB ASSEMBLY
DECEMBER 22 – CHRISTMAS MESSAGE
DECEMBER 29 – NO MEETING
JANUARY 5 – DOUG BLENKHORN
Operation Eyesight

MEALS ON WHEELS

NOVEMBER 11 – LARRY HOLDEN
NOVEMBER 12 – ANDY HUMPHRIES
NOVEMBER 18 – SHEILA KEMP
NOVEMBER 19 – MIKE LAVERTY
NOVEMBER 25 KATHY LOFTHOUSE
NOVEMBER 26 – RON LAVIGNE
DECEMBER 2 – LORNE MACDONALD
DECEMBER 3 – JOHN POWELL
DECEMBER 9 – CELINE RICHARD
DECEMBER 10 – BILL RINGROSE

NOVEMBER 03, 2009

Attendance: 84%

GUESTS: Exchange Student, Manuel, Rob Campbell

ROTARY MINUTE

Judith spoke about Rotary Action Groups. Please see www.rotary.org for information

SGT. AT ARMS

5 of 6 tables were perfect.

BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES, HAPPY DOLLARS

- John Bistko has another birthday
- John W. has Hospital Auxiliary Cookbooks at \$15.
- Andy H. is back from a 5 week tour of Australia and New Zealand
- Chris will see her daughter this weekend
- Guest speaker, Warren, got pulled over for using a cell phone while driving. Warning only
- Glenn, happy to be inducted today
- Kathy took Manuel out Trick or Treating.

UP-COMING EVENTS

November 12 – Evening Get Together in memory of Claude. 6 P.M., Rocky Mountain House.

November 29 – Car Rally. POT LUCK DINNER TO FOLLOW.

NEW MEMBER INDUCTED

Membership Chair, Judith, introduced Renfrew Rotary to Glenn Wirachowsky, formally of the Cornwall Club into membership of our Club.

Welcome to Renfrew Rotary, Glenn.

CHRISTMAS CAKES AND TRUFFLES

Lona has these in stock. \$10 each. See her for your supply.

50-50 DRAW

The pot stands at \$149.

AUCTION

\$531.38 now in the pot for local poor children.

PROGRAM

Warren from the STEP program returned to tell us more about this project which hopes to raise \$1 million over the next 5 to 7 years to pay for the Drug Treatment Centre which is being built and will open in March. They anticipate, based on current realities that they will have a residential program to treat children as young as 14. They are hoping that our Club will become a partner. They will be able to offer tax receipts by the end of this year.

BITS & PIECES

A woman went into a hardware store to purchase a bale of peat moss. She gave a personal check in payment and said to the clerk, "I suppose you will want some identification."

He replied, without hesitation, "No ma'am, that won't be necessary."

"How come?" asked the woman.

"Crooks don't buy peat moss." answered the clerk.

While prosecuting a robbery case, I conducted an interview with the arresting officer. My first question: "Did you see the defendant at the scene?"

"Yes, from a block away," the officer answered.

"Was the area well lit?"

"No. It was pretty dark."

"Then how could you identify the defendant?" I asked, concerned.

Looking at me as if I were nuts, he answered, "I'd recognize my cousin anywhere."

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