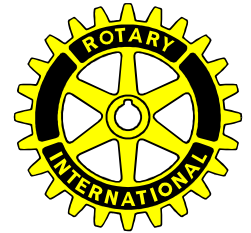




The Beacon News



The Rotary Club of Port Hope

News Bulletin for the Week of Mar 2, 2009

Leigh Facey-Crowther – Classification Speech

PP Hugh Parker presided in the absence of President Jim Hunt.



The stress starfish was awarded to Doug Burke.

The announcement that Bob Wallace had been chosen as Governor of District 7070 for the 2011/2012 term was greeted with genuine enthusiastic standing applause.



PRE-PRANDIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Foundation Night – The Paul Harris Dinner, will be held March 23, 2009 at Dalewood \$25 pp.

Glitz & Glam at The Palm, in support of Zac’s Dream, a barrier-free 100% accessible playground on March 26, 2009. Luncheon 12:00 pm \$30 pp. Dinner 6:30 pm \$40 pp. Tickets available at Susan Dewhurst Ltd., The Palm, The Campbell Company and Bling on King (Cobourg).

An Evening With Dr. James Orbinski, chair of Dignitas International, in support of Dignitas and the 2 Sweat Equity teams from District 7070 who are working in Malawi in April, March 12, 2009 Park Playhouse, Cobourg 7pm \$30 pp 905-377-9595.

Caribbean Night, Sunrise Rotary March 7, 2009 at Dalewood, 6pm \$70 pp.

Bowling for Big Brothers Big Sisters takes place on March 30, 2009, Monday night. This may be our regular meeting that night and Rotarian Bruce Coleman is investigating that possibility.



Jim Gilmer announced his intention to nominate Jamieson Ross, Ken O’Neil, Roger Ingram, Kelly Morgan-Mackenzie, Doug Burke and Erin Brown as directors, Sylvia Binkley as Secretary and Paul Tait as Treasurer on March 9th.

Ted Rafuse may be contacted at tedrafuse@yahoo.ca regarding newsletter content and those not on list.

Bob Wallace may be contacted at rwallace000@sympatico.ca regarding website content.

Merv Richards may be contacted for matters directed to the Club Secretary.

BUCKS: HAPPY, SAD AND NEUTRAL

Led by fearless Sgt.-at-arms (acting) Roger Ingram, a veritable plethora of bucks filled the pot for items, feelings, events and honours as diverse as:

A week in the sun



A passing grade from the corporate accountant
Memory lapses



3 children and parents in the same spot for 2 hours



Graduating “cum laude” from workshop
A death in the holy land



**PROGRAM:
CLASSIFICATION
SPEECH**

LEIGH CROWTHER **FACEY-**



Warmly introduced by Ted Rafuse, Leigh, a retired professional educator, took us for a tour of his personal life and professional career, with anecdotes that were informative and often humorous. Leigh’s description of his years as principal of the high school in Norwood revealed an individual who cared about his students and created programs and opportunities for the students in his school to feel good about themselves and encouraged to complete their education.



Members present welcomed Leigh’s presentation with applause and Erin Brown thanked Leigh for his speech.

50/50 DRAW

winner Susan Dewhurst took home the gold.

MEMORY TWEAK

Ron Coleman reminded us that the revised constitutions and by-laws, circulated before Christmas, will be the subject of a vote at the March 16th meeting.

The meeting concluded with O Canada at 7:40 pm.

WEB SITE

Please take a moment to visit the Port Hope Rotary web site. www.porthoperotary.com
We will be adding new information all the time.

**THE ROTARY CLUB
OF PORT HOPE**

The Four Way Test

“Of the things we think, say and do:
Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and better

FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?”




FUTURE MEETING SCHEDULE

Date	Speaker	Location	Door Duty	Scribe
Mar 9	Sylvia Terpstra – Dir of Ed KPRDSB	KofC	Susan Rafuse, Rolly Dalla Rosa	Trish
Mar 16	Paul Weber – Classification Speech	KofC		Dianne
Mar 23	Foundation Night Dinner - Spouse's Night	Dalewood		Bud
Mar 30		KofC		Rolly

Sergeant-at Arms Duty Roster:

Mar 9 – Bruce, Mar 16 - ?, Mar 23 – Roger, Mar 30 Bruce

Apr 07 - George

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<p>Directors</p>	<p>Club Service Doug Burke Community Service Roger Ingram</p>	<p>World Service Ken O'Neill Fund Raising Jamieson Ross, Sylvia Binkley</p>