



# The Spokesman



ROTARY CLUB OF  
CAMPBELL RIVER  
BC, CANADA

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## District Governor Bob Martin and his wife Jan

attended our lunch today. They arrived early and met with our executive. Bob and Jan were then "Piped" into the meeting room by Brian Shaw accompanied by



Assistant District Governor Dale Roberts. (Left)

Dr Bob graduated from Medical School in Oregon in 1968 and has been a Board certified Dermatologist since 1973. In 1985, he married Jan Atkinson, and she helped raise two boys and a daughter. They now have two grandchildren.



*DG Bob hands out one T-Shirt to each Club for a Member well deserving. Below, Pieter Koeleman was the happy recipient.*

The Motto:

**The Best Gear in Town**

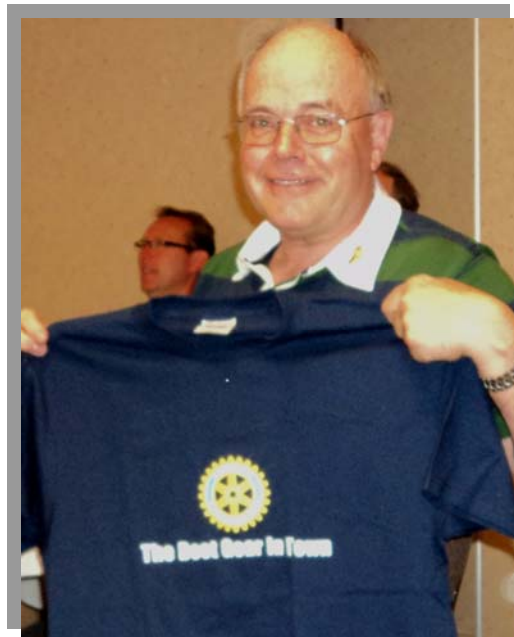
The DG has been a member of the Gig Harbor Club since 1983 and has served three years as Secretary, President 1989-90, and bulletin editor for 4 years. He served as Floyd Olson's conference chair in 1995. Serving as an AG for three years, his eyes were opened to the time and responsibility of the DG.

Bob and Jan are multiple Paul Harris Fellows and their children are well on their way. They are also Benefactors. DG Dr Bob constantly stated how proud he is of Rotary's contributions to our communities, to the world, and spoke to us as to why we should be proud as well.

He challenged our Club to keep track of the amount of hours we spend weekly. We currently underestimate the time we are spending and by keeping track it will keep us motivated to do more. Bob also challenged us to ensure that 20% of our Club makes it to the Tacoma District Conference next June.

**Motto**

**Know what you are doing , Love what you are doing and be Proud of what you're doing**



## CLUB NOTES

### Other Visitors and Guests

Craig Gillis; President of the Morning Club  
Martin Jurek; Guest of Warren Thompson  
Kevin Weston with Jeanne  
Rene Blaine; visiting from Ontario California. (right) exchanges Club Banners with President Sterling.  
Mary Rolinski with Jens  
Cris Wasylyk: Club Videographer for the Auction

### Upcoming Events

- July 17-25 Cari-Daycare Overhaul
- Sept 18 – Rotary Historical Buildings Tour

### Bob Gowryluk:

#### Cari-Daycare Centre Renovation

The Start is this weekend. Come out, check it out, and volunteer!

### Greeters for next Week

Kermit Dahl, Joe Dinn & Doug Chapman

### Birthdays

July 17, Klaus Von Posser

### Anniversaries:

July 15, Terry Bannister & Danielle, 3 years

### Jeanne Weston – PR Grant

#### Application Progress

**Our submission for a P.R. Project Grant has passed the first hurdle in that it has been chosen to rep Dist 5020. On to the Nationals!**

### President Stewart

**Way da go Jeanne! Special thanks also to Patricia Gagnon who lent her special skills to the project. Good news for the newsletter. Cheers to all involved.**

This document is now displayed on the Club Website under the <Members> TAB in the <Downloadable Documents> subsection as “Public Relations Grant Application” simply click on the <Club Business> Tab and then on the link to the document.

### Bruce Woermke Bursary Committee

We are having a meeting at my office Tuesday night at 7pm. Please bring your reviews.



**DG Bob Martin** has approved the following awards for club achievements in respect of MEMBERSHIP for his year.

#### In the club categories of :

1. Up to 49 members
2. 50 - 99 members, and
3. 100 or over members

... there will be District recognition of the clubs with the highest percentage increase in membership and for the clubs with the highest absolute net gain in membership - a total of six awards. To recognize the criticality of attracting younger members, a further District award in each club category will be made to the clubs gaining the most new members under forty-five (45) years of age as of March 31st 2011 - as a percentage of their total new members in the year.

### Lana Eagle - Literacy Committee

Anyone interested in serving on the Literacy Committee, please contact Lana at (250) 287-9843 or email her at [leeagle@telus.net](mailto:leeagle@telus.net)

### Patricia Gagnon – Communities in Bloom

Just to let you all know that a couple of our Green Thumb Rotarians placed well!

Dave and Jan Tees Best Residential Garden  
Ron and Marj Ashcroft; Best Home Garden

### Next week:

Club Assembly &  
President Sterling's Vision for 2010-2011

**Pieter Koeleman**

**Mario Caterino Rivas Hospital - San Pedro Sula, Honduras**

**Project: four {4} porth-a-caths for the Oncology Department**

**Our Contribution:** \$ 1,600 US, assisting the Rotary Ladies of The Rotary Club "Usula" to realize this project providing those porth-a-caths for the babies at the Oncology Department.

Initiative for this project originated after a visit to this department after my volunteer trip April 6, 2009. They did not have the supplies to administer chemotherapy to the babies. Preparation started in August 2009 and on June 30, 2010 the WCS committee approached the Club.

*The lady in purple is the administrator of the oncology department. The other ladies are members of The Rotary Auxiliary holding the boxes with porth-a-caths.*

I received the following message today with pictures of the presentation of the porth-a-caths

Hi Pieter,

The doctor in purple is the administrator of the children's area of oncology. The woman in white is member of the "Fundacion Del Nino Contra El Cancer". In both of the pictures there are the 4 porth-a-caths boxes shown. We went to the hospital in Catarino Rivas on June 30.

On behalf of the CAF (Comite Auxiliar Femenino) I want to thank you and your club enormously for all this aid that will really help children with cancer. I hope that we keep in touch. Say hi to Richard and Scotty, and I hope that your club is satisfied with the pictures. Special thanks to you and your club,

**Marlene de Restrepo  
Ladies Rotary Auxiliary**



At the end of the tax year, Revenue Canada office sent an inspector to audit the books of a local hospital. While the auditor was checking the books he turned to the CFO of the hospital and said, "I notice you buy a lot of bandages. What do you do with the end of the roll when there's too little left to be of any use?"

"Good question," noted the CFO. "We save them up and send them back to the bandage company, and every now and then they send us a free box of bandages."

"Oh," replied the auditor, somewhat disappointed that his unusual question had a practical answer. But on he went, in his obnoxious way.

"What about all these plaster purchases? What do you do with what's left over after setting a cast on a patient?"

"Ah, yes," replied the CFO, realizing that the inspector was



## **Steve Nagle 2010 BC Seniors Games Rotary Volunteer Schedule**

### **Thursday, September 16 Time Trial:**

Miracle Beach area. Race duration about 2 hours  
volunteers needed for about 3 - 4 hours.  
Minimum 10 on traffic and 4 at start finish (14 total).

### **Friday, September 17 Road Race:**

Loop from BC Hydro on Evergreen along  
Dogwood to Inland Highway and back on Willis.  
There will also be a brief start point  
at Timberline School. Race duration will be  
about 3 hours. Volunteers for 4 - 5 hours. This is  
the big one for volunteer numbers.  
20 for traffic and 5 at start finish (25 total)

### **Saturday, September 18 Hill climb:**

Up General Hill from the John Hart Generating  
station. This race should take an hour. Volunteer  
time about 2 - 3 hours. Volunteer estimates:  
4 traffic and 4 at start finish. (8 total). In the  
start/ finish areas we need people to help with  
timing, food / refreshments tent & table set up,  
medal presentations. If we do not get chip timing  
then we will need more people to time the  
events.

trying to trap him with an unanswerable question. "We save it and send it back to the manufacturer, and every now and then they send us a free package of plaster."

"I see," replied the auditor, thinking hard about how he could fluster the know-it-all CFO. "Well," he went on, "What do you do with all the leftover foreskins from the circumcisions you perform?"

"Here, too, we do not waste," answered the CFO.

"What we do is save all the little foreskins and send them to Revenue Canada, and about once a year they send us a complete dick."