

ROTARY CLUB OF KELOWNA -OKANAGAN MISSION
MEETING NOTES AND NEWS LETTER
CREEKSIDE PUB AND GRILL

November 25, 2019 Meeting was called to order at 1800 Hrs. by Vice President John McCormack

Guest: Brian Elliot (Ex Rotarian) and Kyler (Monika and Ross Guest)

Meeting Duties

ANTHEM : Stephen Wolfenden

ROTARY MOMENT : John McCormack

SHERIFF : Ken Firkins

GREETER :Stephen wolfenden

ATTENDANCE: 10/20 (50%) Active Members present

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CLUB BUSINESS:

- Howard Updated the club on the scholarship program; the funds are almost depleted, with the funds we have next year may be the last year a student will be funded.
- John McCormack proposed that our AGM be rescheduled to January 13, 2020 second by Steve and Howard
- Meat Draw has been going well; Thanks to all that have participated. We are anticipating to make about 9-10 thousand dollars this year. We will need to figure out what organization the funds will be allocated to next year.
- Irma has informed us that the Autism program at Starbright will be shut down as of December. Being that the centre is still operational there may be other programs that we can still sponsor.
- Steve has collected \$1950 for foundation which adds up to \$3900. We have disbursed over \$10,000 this year.

Guest Speaker : Brian Elliot

Brian along with our Vice President John McCormack shared a presentation about RESTOR International. RESTOR International is a non-profit humanitarian organization that provides free, life-changing surgeries to disadvantaged children and adults in developing countries. With the support of Canadian medical and non-medical volunteers. The organization dates back to 2004 and has transformed the lives of over 900 children and young adults through life-changing surgeries in seven countries. Their work is made possible by the generosity of individual donors, organizations (including Rotary Clubs and corporations), grants, in-kind donations.

50/50: John McCormack

Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm by Vice President John McCormack