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The Builder

Birthdays

March 8
Craig Johnston

Anniversaries

March 12
Andy & Cathy
Drury

Canvass Kits

Is this message
for you?
Please complete
your TV Auction
canvass kit and
return to Goldie
today.

Owen Sound to Host Interclub

Plan now to
attend!

March 21, 2002
our Lieutenant
Governor Bob
MacDonald and
the Barrie Club
will join us.

Kiwanis Club of Owen Sound "Serving the Children of the World"

PRESIDENT GARY AND HIS BUILDERS

After the Builders Song, O Canada and the Invocation, Past President Peter led the group in "My Bonnie."

Team Kiwanis standings: Tied for 3rd place – Team Wood and Team Prettie; Team Drury is in 2nd place and in 1st place – Team Sweatman.

K Cathy won the 50/50 and collected fines.

President Gary called PLG Al Kelly to receive recognition for all his work chairing the very successful Santa Claus Parade 2001.

BOYS AND GIRLS BENEFIT FROM WORK OF COMMITTEE

K Joe Vaughan introduced our speaker, President Elect Andy Drury. Andy has been involved with *Boys & Girls Committee* for about four years and currently is the chair.

Andy told us that those who benefit from this committee access a great deal of the money the members raise. Their yearly budget ranges from \$13,000 to \$15,000. They provide on-going support for some projects and respond to special requests. Some examples of on-going support are: breakfast programs in schools that request the help, orthodontic services provided by

Dr. Lee Brown, Kiwanis Music Festival, Special Olympics, Block Parents and Camp Quality. Recently a donation was made to the Teen Holiday Program with Community Living Owen Sound and District. Some examples of the special requests are: a computer speech program to assist a child in the classroom, bicycle helmets and therapeutic aids used by physiotherapists in their treatment of children.

Past President John thanked Andy for his informative presentation. It was beneficial to both new and established members.

Fine Session Highlights

TWO TEDS ARE BETTER THAN ONE

K Bert reminds us that advertising space in the Music Festival Program Book is still available. Call Bert at 376-2847.

The Festival Board is proud to announce that it has recently created a scholarship fund.



Join us next week when *Steve Furness* of Business and Economic Development, City of Owen Sound will be our guest speaker.



- K Bill Brown thought it was not right that two lawyers, both named "Ted" should be sitting side by side at lunch. For this poor planning both Teds contributed 50 cents.
- Past President Peter appealed to Past President John to point out that President Gary had just missed an opportunity to fine not just two but 3 lawyers. For this oversight, President Gary paid \$1.00.
- PP Bruce, K Paul Neville and K Kelly all paid 50 cents for the enjoyment of the applause they received today.
- K Gord wanted to know just what is the policy with name badges. He constantly sees some wearing the badges of others and some with no badge at all! President Gary asked that anyone not wearing a badge or a pin, contribute 50 cents.
- Past President Bruce has recently returned from a skiing vacation in British Columbia. The club's very helpful administrative assistant had clipped from the newspaper a photo of Past President Bruce. Because the photo was related to a charitable contribution, there was no fine. However, for the trip Bruce paid \$1.00.
- K Doug Bumstead had recently been to Toronto and was to collect his "different" vehicle today. As always K Walter was called upon to assess the situation. After several questions, Walter determined a \$4.00 fine was appropriate for mentioning the Walker Bumstead Insurance Company.
- K Goldie had recently escaped with Bruce to Niagara Falls. In view of all the hard work that Goldie has done on the TV Auction, there was no fine.
- K David Walton-Ball had commented to Past President Gail that she had a tan. Gail explained that it was a windburn, to which David replied, "Oh, you've been at the city budget meetings!"
- K David Walton-Ball also had a tan because he was recently in the Dominican Republic. For the trip, David paid \$1.00.
- K Ted Stevens and Nancy had recently been to Ted's office in Florida and for this trip, he paid a \$2.00 fine.

Announcements

- Interclub with LG Bob MacDonald and the Collingwood Club, March 21st
- TV Auction April 3rd & 4th
- Grey County Kiwanis Festival of Music April 8th - 20th
- Executive and Directors please mark your calendars for the April Board Meeting. It will be held at the Tackaberry & King Board Room at 5:30 p.m. on April 10th
- Annual County Council Meeting Tuesday, May 7th at noon, Stone Tree
- Golf Day is Friday, May 24th at 1:00 p.m.