

Rotary Club of Trail

May 2, 2007 - Watch for next month's bulletin to be a thing of beauty – this is not what you can expect in future! However, in the interest of getting some information out to you quickly, I've managed to type this in a hopefully legible format. I'll get the creative guy to help next time.

Dates to remember:

Sunday May 6 – Help **Peter Dewdney** celebrate his 90th birthday at the Cornerstone Café in Warfield between 1 and 4 p.m. Bring only your best wishes. Peter has been a Rotarian since 1963 so next year we'll have to throw him a 45th anniversary party!

Saturday May 12 – Ladies Mountain Extravaganza sponsored by the Rossland Rotary Club. Leigh calls this the 'wild women's event', makes me wonder what he knows about it? For more information call Deb at 368-7329.

Thursday June 28 – Changeover dinner and golf tournament at the Birchbank Rossland Trail Golf Club. Get your golf team together. If you're not golfing, please plan to attend the dinner and take part in all the fun off the course. The Rotarians from New Zealand doing their Group Friendship Tour will join us as well. More info to come on the golf tournament shortly.

2007 District Conference

This event takes place May 31 to June 3 in Tri-Cities Washington. If you can't have fun at this conference, I'll bet you don't have fun anywhere. There's a golf tournament, a jet boat tour and a wine tour – and that's just on Friday! Look for the program online or pick up a registration form at the desk.

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Do you know a young person between the ages of 18 and 25 that would benefit from this wonderful leadership program? Contact Sue Bock and help her identify a deserving candidate.

Trail Rotary Club website

When was the last time you visited our website? Why not bookmark it in your favourites and check in on a regular basis. From there you can navigate your way to the Rotary International site and the District 5080 site. This is also where you link to the District Conference program and registration information.

Membership

Here's a challenge for you all. Let's each try and bring a guest to a meeting this month. It's a well-kept secret how much fun we have every week. Let's share!

Leigh told me that his wife always used to grab his bulletin to read all the jokes. Well I don't want to disappoint her so here you go:

Three blondes died and found themselves standing before St. Peter. He told them that before they could enter the Kingdom, they had to tell him what Easter represented. The first blonde, an American, said "Easter is a holiday where they have a big feast and we give thanks and eat turkey." St. Peter said, "Noooooo," and he banished her to Hell. The second blonde, a Brit, said "Easter is when we celebrate Jesus' birth and exchange gifts." St. Peter said, "Noooooo," and he banished her to Hell. The third blonde, a Canadian, said she knew what Easter was, and St. Peter said, "So, tell me." She said, "Easter is a Christian holiday that coincides with the Jewish festival of Passover. Jesus was having Passover feast with His disciples when He was betrayed by Judas, and the Romans arrested Him. The Romans hung Him on the cross and eventually He died. Then they buried Him in a tomb behind a very large boulder ... "

St. Peter said, "Verrrrry good."

Then the blonde continued, "Now, every year the Jews roll away the boulder and Jesus comes out. If he sees his shadow, we have six more weeks of hockey."

St. Peter fainted.

A gushy reporter told Phil Mickelson, "You are spectacular, your name is synonymous with the game of golf. You really know your way around the course. What's your secret?"

Mickelson replied, "The holes are numbered."

If you have information to share via the monthly bulletin, please let me know. Email marilyn.berry@trailrotary.com or call me at 364-0283.

