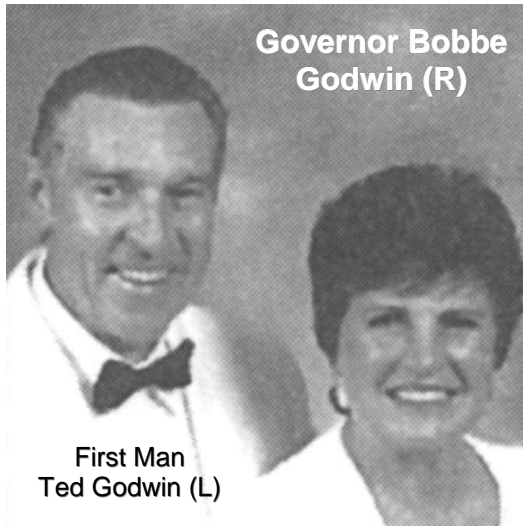




1999/2000 CLUB ROSTER

The Kiwanis Club of Sidney & Peninsula
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Governor Bobbe Godwin (R)

First Man Ted Godwin (L)

Governor's Visit

Pacific Northwest District Governor **Bobbe Godwin** will be having lunch with Division members on Saturday, December 11, 1999. The Governor's theme this year is "Walk the Talk." If you are interested in attending the lunch, contact club secretary Patrick Ewing at (250) 881-7646. ☺

THIS MONTH'S INSERT
The November board meeting minutes are provided as inserts for members.

MEETINGS

SIDNEY & PENINSULA
Wednesdays 7:30 pm
Iroquois Pk. Clubhouse
2295 Ocean Avenue
Pres. Roxanne 881-7646

OTHER CLUBS:

Cordova Bay
2nd/4th Wed., 6 pm
Lochside Park
Pres. Jim 743-7776

Esquimalt
Wednesdays 7:30 am
Gorge Vale Golf Club
Pres. Ken 478-7484

Greater Victoria Seniors
Thursdays 10 am
2075 Milton St.
Pres. Al 652-8186

Oak Bay
Thursdays 5:45 pm
2075 Milton St.
Pres. Gerry 598-4422

Saanich
Tuesdays 6:15 pm
2993 Tillicum Rd.
Pres. Bob 652-5202

Victoria
Tuesdays at 12 noon
Horizon West Hotel
Pres. Jim 658-2560

Victoria Golden K
Wednesdays 10:15 am
1419 Mallek Crescent
Pres. Manuella 381-5035

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Derek Rennie..... Division 17 (Greater Victoria) Lieutenant Governor
(Stella) 477-1562 / 384-1563 wk, email drennie@pacificcoast.net

Member Update

Noël will be coming back from Ireland this month, hopefully with lots of photographs... For a club with only 14 members, we have an impressive FIVE birthdays this month, including **David**, **Patrick**, **Joe**, **Dennis**, and **Noël**. See page 12... Congratulations, **Roxanne** on getting your orange belt in karate, and good luck with your driving test... **David** was sorry to miss the board meeting in November but the University changed the class days for his autocad training... **Roald** is continuing to work on the Kiwanis division's annual Antiques & Heirlooms show, and **Roxanne and Patrick** have started work on the Kiwanis Arts Awards. ☺

Do married people live longer than single people,
or does it just *seem* like it? ☺

In Case You Missed It...

**November 3, 1999
Speaker Dinner**

Dr. **Sandy Briggs** spoke on his extensive experiences mountaineering on Vancouver Island. He had many beautiful slides to show, which were good reminders of just how mountainous our island truly is.



**November 10, 1999
Service Meeting**

At the service meeting is was arranged for **Bill Kyle** to make the wreath presentation at the Sidney Remembrance Day ceremony. Plans were made for the Toy Drive, and Membership Chair **Thomas Sturge** talked about the committee's recruitment plan for the coming year.

November 17, 1999

Here are the highlights of the

monthly Board of Directors meeting:

- approved expenses for the Kiwanis Christmas Toy Drive, Breakfast with Santa, and the sail-past food concession. See page 11;
- it was reported that \$75.57 has been collected this year for Iodine Deficiency Disorders, or enough iodine for 1,511 children. See pages 4, 6, and 7;
- Two fund-raisers were endorsed: Kiwanis tea books and Kiwanis "Courtesy is Contagious" bumper stickers. See page 8.

November 24, 1999

The agenda items at the time this was printed were:

1. **Thomas Sturge**, Membership Chair, was to make a presentation on how to recruit potential members.
2. **Sarah Byrd**, UVic Circle K past president, was to report on her trip to the Circle K International Convention. Our club helped sponsor her trip to the Texas convention in August, 1999. For more on Circle K, see page 10. ☺

Save the whales — collect the whole set! ☺

Kiwanis International Offers...


**Two Ways to Make
A Dream Come True**

Take part in the Kiwanis Rewards! Challenge and win a new car or some other fabulous prize—just for helping Kiwanis grow. There are two opportunities to be announced as a winner at the 85th Annual Kiwanis International Convention in Miami Beach, Florida, June 23-27, 2000.

From October 1, 1999, to May



By Oct. 31, 1999, the Kiwanis International Foundation had processed more than \$42.4 million U.S. in contributions & commitments for **Iodine Deficiency Disorders**, up more than \$1.7 million from August 31, 1999. That's **848 million lives** we have saved or improved through Kiwanis.



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31, 2000:

**Challenge #1
Random Drawing for Clubs**

Recruit new members.

1. Your club name is entered in the drawing for every new member your club recruits based on the new-member-add information submitted to Kiwanis International during the Kiwanis Rewards! Challenge.

Sponsor a new club.

2. The sponsoring club name will be entered for each new club built during the Kiwanis Rewards! Challenge. The sponsoring club name will be entered into the drawing one time for each member on the new club's organizational roster. In the case of multiple new club sponsors, the number of entries will be divided evenly among the sponsoring clubs.

The more your club participates, the more opportunities your club has to win the following:

Place Club Prizes

- 1st : Car
- 2nd : Motorcycle
- 3rd : Vacation Package
- 4th : Home Computer

...New Rewards for Growth!

5th : E-Bike
 6th-10th: Airfare for Two

Challenge #2

Top 40 Individual Recruiters

Individual Kiwanians who sponsor multiple new members during the period of the Kiwanis Rewards! Challenge also can receive prizes through a second Kiwanis Rewards! Challenge. If you rank among the top 40 overall new-member recruiters, you will receive one of the following prizes based on your respective ranking:

Place.....Individual Prizes

- 1st: Car
- 2nd: Motorcycle
- 3rd: Vacation Package
- 4th: Home Computer
- 5th: E-Bike
- 6th-10th: Airfare for Two
- 11th-20th: Camcorder
- 21st-30th: Digital Camera
- 31st-40th: Stereo System

Winners will be announced at the 2000 International Convention in Miami Beach. Winners do not need to be present to win, but why not enjoy the fun and sun of Florida with other Kiwanis winners!

Remember: EVERYONE

Remember: One of the most valuable services to the community that one member can perform is to recruit another member.

benefits when you bring in new members to Kiwanis! ☺

Official Rules

To maintain the integrity of the program, all aspects of the official random drawing will be handled and verified by a certified accounting firm. Winners from outside of the United States can choose to receive an optional cash award of US\$10,000 in place of the car and US\$7,500 in place of the motorcycle. The random drawing contest is void in areas where local restrictions apply. Only clubs in good standing as defined in Procedure 360 are eligible to win.

A maximum of 40 prizes will be given away to the top recruiters. In the event of a tie, the prize order will be determined by calculating the percentage gain (adds only) in membership for the individual's club based on the certified membership number for September 30, 1999. If the percentage gain also results in a tie, the percentage of net gain (adds and deletes) in membership will be calculated. Kiwanis International reserves the right to apply other tie-breaking rules if necessary.

All winners are responsible for paying the necessary state, local, federal, or similar taxes and fees. All necessary paperwork needed to qualify for the contest must be received by May 31, 1999. Kiwanis International employees and their immediate family are not eligible.

Please contact the Growth Department (1-800-KIWANIS, ext. 202) at the International Office for more information, or e-mail growth@kiwanis.org.

Halloween Walk-About



Mayor Don Amos

Mark Craig

The Times-Colonist reported all sorts of vandalism and violence on Halloween night, but no mention was made of Sidney. This was a case of no news is good news, and our club can be proud of the role we play in keeping our community safe. This year we received some instructions from the RCMP, and the evening went smoothly. Mayor **Don Amos**

and his wife joined Kiwanians **Roxanne and Patrick Ewing, Dennis Varga, David Scott, Mark Craig, Noël Bramston,** and former Kiwanians **Donna Bramston and Erika Kanczula. John Cole** was involved in a similar patrol in Royal Oak.

Thanks to everyone who participated and helped keep the streets safe for children! ☺

Our club has raised \$75.57 for Iodine Deficiency Disorders. The University of Victoria Circle K Club has a goal of \$3,000, four times our \$750 goal. If they can do it, why can't we?



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Sabina
Amos

Donna
Bramston

Noël
Bramson



Patrick
Ewing

Mark
Craig

David
Scott

This Christmas, consider making a tax-deductible personal donation to fight Iodine Deficiency Disorders.

Make your cheque payable to "Kiwanis Foundation of Canada—IDD"

Please do it for the children...



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COURTESY IS CONTAGIOUS



**SPONSORED BY
THE KIWANIS CLUBS OF
GREATER VICTORIA**

FUND-RAISER

The bumper sticker above (shown 1/3 actual size) has been developed by the **Kiwanis Club of Cordova Bay**. The purpose of the bumper sticker is to combat road rage by encouraging courtesy on the road.

Road rage appears to be an increasing problem in British Columbia. One recent notable example was the incident in

which a man used a golf club to strike the dog belonging to a driver in the car in front of him.

Our club will be purchasing 20 of these stickers, and we can purchase more if there is a demand. Stickers can be sold to club members or members of the public at \$1.50 each. If you would like a bumper sticker for yourself or some to sell to other people, ask club secretary **Patrick Ewing**. ☺

HONK IF YOU LOVE PEACE AND QUIET! ☺

The History of Our Motto

In 1920, something important crystallized for Kiwanis; something that inspired Roe Fulkerson, the gifted editor of the Kiwanis magazine, to propose two simple words - "We Build" - as the Kiwanis motto. It was the coining of the Motto, after five years of painful and exhilarating growth, that put Kiwanis into its stride. In their hearts, Kiwanians had always known why they were Kiwanians. Roe Fulkerson actually put it into words. These two words, "We Build," became the guiding force and inspiration for the important work of Kiwanis. They promised then, as they do now, that for Kiwanis, the best is yet to be. [Source: www.kiwanis.org] ☺

A Minister Dies...

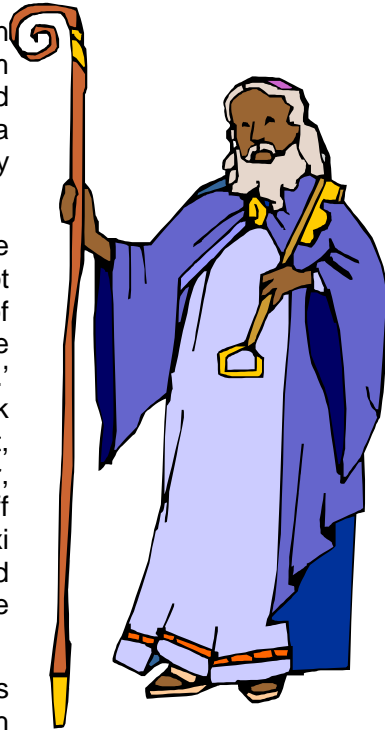
A MINISTER DIES and is waiting in line at the Pearly Gates. Ahead of him is an angry, unshaven middle-aged man who's dressed in sunglasses, a leather jacket, a smelly t-shirt and old jeans.

Saint Peter asks the man, "Who are you, so that I may know whether or not to admit you to the Kingdom of Heaven?" The guy replies, "I'm Joe Yablonski, but people call me 'Mac.' I'm a friggin' taxi driver in Noo Yawk City." Saint Peter consults his list, smiles, and says to the taxi driver, "Take this silken robe and golden staff and enter the Kingdom." The taxi driver brightens immediately and swaggers into Heaven with his robe and staff.

Next it's the Minister's turn. He stands erect and booms out, "I am Joseph Snow, pastor of Saint Mary's for the past 43 years." Saint Peter consults his list. He says to the Minister, "Take this cotton robe and wooden staff and enter the Kingdom."

"Just a minute," says the Minister, "That's all I get? That man was a mere taxi driver and he gets a silken robe and golden staff. How can this be?"

"Up here, we work by results," says Saint Peter. "While you preached, people slept; while he drove, people prayed!" ☺



University of Victoria Circle K Update

On Nov. 20, the two Ryans, Amy, Leah, Mutsumi, Tanya, Vanessa, and Emma spent 1½ hours at the Kiwanis Pavilion making Christmas tree decorations with several seniors. We had a hilarious time, cutting out felt, making a mess with sparkles, hot gluing our fingers, and stuffing hearts and bows with cotton (which also stuck to our fingers). A great time was had by all. Everyone had a memorable time with Ron, Margaret, Winifred, Kerry, Joyce, Lorraine (to mention a few) whose conversations and a few "wandering" hands added some interest to an otherwise normal Saturday.



This was a great one time service project, but we want to come back in January. The crafts were mostly made by the volunteers; to direct the seniors to do it on their own would have been impossible (due to dementia).

"Asha", the organizer of the project, told us that volunteers are always appreciated. It is a

difficult enough to get residents to eat their breakfast, imagine asking them to partake in a craft session! She will continue the visits in January every other weekend depending on the level of interest.

— Rebecca Olson (Circle K)

Other Circle K Projects

- **Massage for IDD:** 27 volunteers gave students massages and raised funds to protect 1,335 people from Iodine Deficiency Disorders.
- **Bake sale for IDD** (Nov. 25);
- **Caroling for cans** of food for local food banks (Dec. 20);
- **"Think of Me":** This project is aimed towards increasing children's safety over the holidays. By asking elementary school students to decorate liquor store bags, they hope to remind those who purchase alcohol, not to drink and drive.
- **Bonspiel 2000:** UVic's 20th annual Bonspiel, a District-wide rally held in Victoria, will occur January 22-24, 2000.

Another busy year for UVic! ☺

Did you know that 42.7% of statistics are made up on the spot? ☺

Breakfast with Santa

WHAT: Serve pancakes to children and families who will be out to visit Santa Claus and to enjoy the children's entertainers.

WHEN: 8:00 a.m. till noon, Saturday, December 4, 1999.

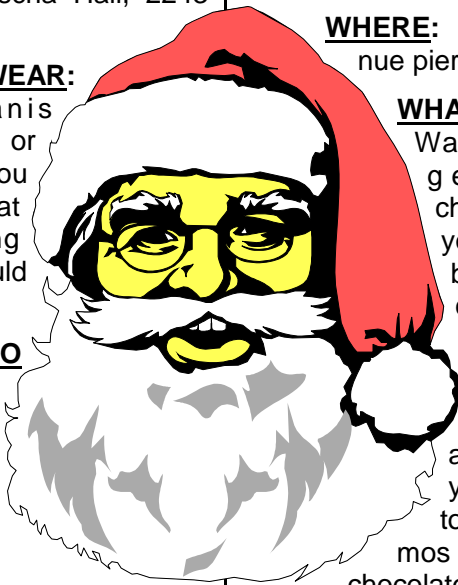
WHERE: Sanscha Hall, 2243 Beacon Ave.

WHAT TO WEAR:

Your Kiwanis badge, hat, or coat. And if you have a Santa hat or something Christmasy would be great, too!

WHAT TO BRING:

Why not invite a friend or two to help out? The more the merrier! ☺



Sail-Past Concession

WHAT: Selling hamburgers and hot dogs to families who will be out to watch the annual procession of boats decorated with Christmas lights.

WHEN: 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., Saturday, December 4, 1999.

WHERE: Beacon Avenue pier.

WHAT TO WEAR:

Warm clothes — it gets very chilly — and your Kiwanis badge, hat, or coat.

WHAT TO BRING:

Coffee will be available, but you may want to bring a thermos of tea or hot chocolate. ☺

December Meetings

December 1, 1999

Toy Drive Meeting

Help wrap toys for the Kiwanis Christmas Toy Drive.

December 8, 1999

Service Meeting

December 15, 1999

Business Meeting

All members welcome.

December 18, 1999

Christmas Dinner

Please bring a friend! ☺

Remember: If at first you don't succeed...

...destroy all evidence that you ever tried! ☺



DECEMBER 1999

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Club Meetings Meetings are held Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. at Iroquois Park Clubhouse, 2295 Ocean Avenue. Guests are always welcome! SPEAKERS: page 11.			1 TOY DRIVE MEETING 7:30 p.m.	2 Dennis earns his 22 year pin!	3 PANTHERS HOCKEY SECURITY Panorama 6:450-9:15	4 BREAK-FAST W/ SANTA See p. 11 SAILPAST See p. 11.
5	6	7	8 SERVICE MEETING 7:30 p.m.	9	10 PANTHERS HOCKEY SECURITY Panorama 6:450-9:15	11 DIVISION COUNCIL 10am-noon GOVERNOR'S VISIT See p. 1
12	13	14 Happy Birthday, David!	15 BUSINESS MEETING 7:30 p.m.	16	17 PANTHERS HOCKEY SECURITY Panorama 6:450-9:15	18
19 Happy Birthday, Patrick!	20	21	22 Happy Birthday, Joe! NO MEETING!	23 Happy Birthday, Dennis!	24 Christmas Eve	25 Happy Birthday, Noël! Christmas
26 Boxing Day	27	28	29 NO MEETING!	30	31 New Year's Eve	HAPPY YEAR 2000!