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Club # 6355 / District # 7810

Cowbell

Date: April 20, 2015.

Attendance: Rob D., Bob B., Bruce, Jeff F., Lou McN., Robert K., Erik H., Ian S, Rhoda, Rhonda H, Don D., Kathy C., Wendy O., Shelley V., Bob T., Scott, Lisa B., Lorinda P., Sandra M., Alaina A., Robert L.

Regrets: Donna G., Mary McN, Cindy D., Tina M., Alaina L..

Guests: Beverly and Keith Lyons, Assistant District Governors.

Rotary Grace

Toast to the Queen

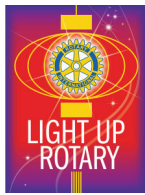
Chairperson Robert Kimball welcomes all members and our guests to today's meeting. Robert Introduces Assistant District Governors Beverly and Keith Lyons.

Robert received regrets received from; Tina M.

- ❖ **Rotary Minute:** Don Dow spoke on the prize and auction items progress and the lead up to transportation to the event.
- ❖ **Guest Speaker:** Mrs. Wendy Osborne, Travel Safety Talk. Wendy filled in for the original guest speaker who cancelled on short notice.

The following are recommended travel safety tips that can assist any traveler to make each trip, safety, pleasurable and worry free:

- Pre-trip Planning:
 - Leave an itinerary with a non-traveling family member.
 - Keep travel documents in one place.
- Packing;
 - Leave valuables at home.
 - Pack lightly.
 - Pack a small flashlight.
 - Do not lock suitcases.
- On aircraft:
 - Leave heavy luggage under your seat.
 - Listen to the flight attendant.
- Leaving Airport;
 - Move with conviction and confidence.



- At Hotel:
 - Use clearly marked airport transportation.
 - Keep close tabs on your luggage.
 - Locate fire escape / safe passage routes.
 - Maintain credit card security.
 - Use dead bolt locks.
 - Be careful ordering out of venue room service.
- At Your Destination:
 - Maintain credit card security.
 - Divide you money. Don't carry it all at one time.
 - Be vigilant in crowds.
- International Travel:
 - Email electronic copies of your travel documents to yourself.
 - Place name and address inside your suitcase. Don't rely on tags on the external bag.
 - Maintain prescriptions in dispensed bottle.
 - Be vigilant on soliciting and begging.
 - Travel safe and enjoy your trip!

❖ **PETS / SETS Training:** PETS / SETS training scheduled for this coming Saturday in Fredericton.

❖ **Membership Team:** Rob D. indicated he has a new membership proposal that will be forwarded to the board this week. Don Ingersoll induction remains outstanding.

❖ **Amphitheatre Project:** Superstructure has arrived on site and erection of the roof structure began today April 20th, 2015.

❖ **Annual Dinner and Auction:** Sandra spoke on the finalizing of the planning for the April 23rd, 2015 event final meeting of the committee is scheduled for tomorrow evening.

59 Tickets sold, a good number not in the system yet to date and much work is needed to complete the planning and fundraising to recognize Alfie Smith with a Paul Harris Fellow on the event night.

Working on trying to secure a credit / debit machine for use on that night.

Happy / Sad Bucks

50/50: Lisa B.

Meeting Adjourned, 1:15 pm.

Stay tuned for the Next Cowbell!!!