



# Rotary Club of Sussex Inc.

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Club # 6355 / District # 7810

Cowbell

March 16<sup>th</sup> 2009

**Attendance** Bob B., Bruce, Donna, Andrew. Roger, Frank, Peter, Dave, Wendy, Robert L.

**Absent:** Kim Cummings, Haley. Tom. Murray, Kevin, Keri, Lou, Barb. Rhoda, Harley, Kim P, Bob K  
Guests-Kathy Cole, Gavin Seaman, Doug and Shelia Morton the latter 3 all from Trainor Surveys Ltd.  
SPEAKER- Yvonne Baxter manager royal bank Sussex spoke on the Olympic Torch Relay.RBC is a sponsor of this event and Yvonne is a coordinator for the Sussex stop on Nov 24<sup>th</sup> 2009.

-Sussex is one of 58 N.B. stops and the committee is working on making the Sussex stop a memorable one as the world will be watching. Her job is to create awareness of the event and get individuals to pledge support and forward their stories from which torch bearers will be selected.

-The Sussex torch relay event will have it's ending ceremonies at the Sussex elementary school on the 24<sup>th</sup>.

**-50/50 won by Bob Black**

## **OTHER BUSINESS**

**-The water bottles have been turned in, Hopefully we will have an update for next week's meeting.**

**-Roger spoke briefly about showing one of the shelters we have previously purchased put on display at the potash display at the balloon fiesta this fall,we could raise money for another and it would give the club good visibility if Rotarians were there to talk about the shelter.**

**-The letter to the premier has gone out re the fund raising dinner.**

**-Andrew presented a request from Brian Whitehead of hockey N.B. looking for financial support up to 700\$ to purchase a hockey sled for a child in the Norton area who has spina bifida. Hockey N.B. is funding 50% of the 1,400.purchase price. Doug Morton who is a Rotarian in Fredericton indicated his company would support this also.The request was tabled and will be dealt with over the next week.**

## **Upcoming Meeting Schedule**

**March 23<sup>rd</sup>-Yvonne Baxter**

**March 30<sup>th</sup> –Dawn Dunfield-Whitters/Simply for life**

**April Pets &Sets Training**

**April-Rotary Youth Leadership Training**

**May 29-31<sup>st</sup> Dist Conf St Andrews**

**June 27<sup>th</sup> Camp Rotary open house.**