



KIWANIS CLUB OF BARRIE – NEWSLETTER

March 8, 2010

"Kiwani's is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time"

PROGRAM

- Mar 15 – Business Meeting
- Mar 22 - Chris Lundy – Ex Medic Medic – AED & CPR
- Mar 29 - Club Awards
- Apr 5 - TBA

DUTY ROSTER

	March 15	March 22	March 29	April 5
Invocation	Don MacMillan	Shirley Hamilton	Gail Andrews	Warren Reynolds
Fines	Roy Randell	Ed Holowchuk	Brian Wieder	Barb Wright
Auction	N/A	NA	N/A	N/A
Intro Speaker	N/A	Lynda Hofman	N/A	TBA
Thank Speaker	N/A	Ross Stephens	N/A	TBA

If you cannot make your assigned date, please arrange for a replacement and let P.P. Lynda know so we can track the changes. Remember, you must do a bingo at least every 3 months or you require retraining. Members trained so far: Lynda Hofman, Larry Carroll, George Craig, Don MacMillan, Bill Skinner, Bob Bogardis, Bill Dee, Ted Roberts, Warren Reynolds, Roy Randell, John Hamilton and Arkady Spivak (If we have missed anyone, please let Lynda know).

<u>Bingo Night</u>	<u>Club Representatives</u>	<u>Bingo Hall 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.</u>
March 17	Don MacMillan & Arkady Spivak	
March 31	Linda Hofman & Warren Reynolds	

Training Sessions

If anyone needs training for bingo, contact Lynda Hofman at 728-6467.

We had 14 members out this evening to hear our guest speaker Anita Lennon from the Cancer Recovery Foundation tell us about their founder Greg Anderson who was diagnosed with metastatic lung cancer in 1984. He was given only 30 days to live. Refusing to accept the hopelessness of this prognosis, he went searching for people who had lived even though their doctors had told them they were “terminal.” His findings from interviews with over 16,000 cancer survivors form the strategies and action points for what has become a cancer survival movement.

In 1985, Greg started what is today Cancer Recovery Foundation International, a global group of organizations whose mission is to help all people prevent and survive cancer. Cancer Recovery Foundation of Canada is a member of Cancer Recovery Foundation International, a 5-star “Best” Award winner by Independent Charities rating service. The organizations provide adults with training and support for implementing holistic cancer prevention and survival strategies and serves children with cancer through its “Little Angels” Children’s Project.

In Canada they are building on Greg’s vision. Established in 2003, Cancer Recovery Foundation Canada works to deliver simple acts of care and kindness to individuals and families experiencing cancer. Their programs focus on patient services and direct care to families affected by a child or parent’s cancer. They help to meet the physical, emotional and financial needs of those affected by cancer. All of their funding goes to assist patients directly. They do not fund medical research as they believe that in order to help families the most, the focus needs to be on today.

The Foundation offers Camp Scholarships, Children’s Projects, Family Emergency Service Fund, Bear-able Gift Bag, Healing Spirit Tote Bags, Support Groups and Survival Kits.

Fred van Andel submitted his application for membership into the club. The Board of Directors accepted Fred's application and we will be inducting Fred into the club in the very near future. Fred will bring, not just a body into the club but he will be bringing new and fresh ideas. Past Lt. Governor John Hamilton is Fred's sponsor. We thank John for bringing Fred to the club and look forward to working with Fred in future club endeavours.

East Sise Mario's brand pillars is to be an Important part of our neighbourhood. To that end they've created the Bravissimo! Award where they like to recognize local people who make a difference. We put a picture of that person and a small narrative about their accomplishments up on our restaurant wall and then give that person a \$50 meal certificate. to nominate members from the Kiwanis Club of Barrie for this award? They appreciate that it takes a dedicated group of men and women, devoting hundreds of hours each year doing great community projects, but it isn't always known by the community in which they do the great work. I want to thank the club for selecting yours truly for this Award. I accept it on behalf of the Kiwanis Club of Barrie.

Humor

Moose Incident - Bracebridge , Ont, Canada

They were laying new power cables which were strung on the ground for miles. The moose are rutting right now and very agitated. He was thrashing around and got his antlers stuck in the cables.

When the men (miles away) began pulling the lines up with their big tuggers, the moose went up with the cable. They noticed excess tension in the lines and went searching for the problem. He was still alive when they lowered him to the ground. He was a huge 60 inch bull and slightly peeved!' I wouldn't want to be the one on the ground when he was lowered.



UPCOMING EVENTS

KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

**Las Vegas, Nevada
June 24th – 27th, 2010**

**E. C. & CONVENTION
Saint John, New Brunswick
August 4th – 7th, 2010**



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Help energize Kiwanis!**