



The Hub



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residential ponderings!



Hi everybody
We had a great Cookie meeting last Sunday, but missed a few members. We had nominations for 2014 executive and almost filled all positions. We are in desperate need of someone to take over Bob Butchart's position with the swap meet and someone to take over editor of

the HUB. Please give both these some consideration and let me know. Remember the swap meet is our biggest fund raiser of the year. The way we have delegated jobs the last couple years has worked well so it leaves less pressure on any one

member. It's not too late for nominations so if you would like to take on an executive position or

know someone who would please send me an email.

Our next meeting will be Sunday November 17th at our club house to start at 11 a.m. , we will also have a potluck lunch so A-L bring a main dish and M-Z bring a salad or dessert that would be great, Another reminder dues are now due so please bring to November meeting.

Our Christmas party is booked for the Bold Knight December 1 , Sunday at 6 p.m. The membership passed a motion for our club to pick up half the costs for dinner so each member will only need to pay \$20. Please bring this to the November meeting, but we need to know numbers before that so if you could let Phyllis know that you are coming in the next couple days that would be fantastic.

Thanks and we will see you in November.



Brad

Next meeting
is

Sunday

Nov 17

2013

11:00 a.m.

At the

Club House

2446 Summerset Rd

Nanose Bay



Last months meeting

Nanaimo Chapter

2013 Executive

President

Brad McCluskie (250)722-0116

Vice President

Steen Hjort (250)245-7237

Secretary

Barbara Ehmig (250)754-2820

Treasurer

Roy Herman (250)754-7236

Governor

Ray Koch (250)758-8265

Directors

Bob Butchart (250) 753-2730

Colin Heasley (250)756-9709

Bob McGraw (250)723-6619

Barry Winterburn 250 758-3520

Warren Clark (250)754-2249

ATTENDANCE: Carol Sylvest, Brad McCluskie, Fred Grey, Wayne and Gwen McCargar, Bob Butchart, Bert and Irma Simmons, Warren Clarke, Don and Bev Purdy, Steen and Betty Hjort, Ron and Gail Rosvold, Ken Haugen, Colin Heasley, Allan and Jean Twemiow, Glen Stainsby, Paul Beenham, David and Barbara Ehmig, Bob Skarset, Dave and Phylis Watson, Bhagwan and Gail Mayer.

PURCHASES/SALES: Wayne McCargar has sold his 1928 Chrysler.

MINUTES: Motion by Fred Grey, 2nd by Don Purdy to accept minutes of last meeting as circulated. Carried.

HEALTH/WELFARE: nothing to report.

TREASURY: see Roy Herman for details

OLD BUSINESS: the oil tank has been serviced and filled.

: please pick up your new name tag at the clubhouse and wear it to all club functions.

CHRISTMAS PARTY: will be held at the Bold Knight on 1 December at 6pm. Cost is \$40 per person. A motion was made by Phylis Watson, 2nd by Steen Hjort, that the club pay one-half of the cost so each member will pay only \$20. Please pay Treasurer Roy Herman at the next meeting.

DUES: dues for the coming year must be paid at the next meeting.

HELP NEEDED: Bob Butchart is stepping down as coordinator for advertising/table rentals/stall rentals etc etc for our Swap Meet next June. Any volunteers? : Wayne McCargar is stepping down as editor of our monthly newsletter. Again - any volunteers?

NOMINATIONS for executive positions for 2014:

PRESIDENT - Steen Hjort, Bob Butchart, Ray Koch

VICE PRESIDENT - Brad McCluskie, Bob McGraw

TREASURER - Roy Herman

SECRETARY - Nesta McGraw, Barbara Ehmig

DIRECTORS- Bob McGraw, Colin Heasley, Warren Clarke, Fred Grey, Clay Thompson

ELECTIONS: to be held at the meeting of 17 November at 11am at the clubhouse.

A potluck lunch will follow. Names A to L - please bring a main dish and names M - Z please bring a dessert, salad, buns, or ?

NEXT MEETING: Sunday 17 November at 11am.

MOTION TO ADJOURN: Fred Grey, 2nd Steen Hjort. Carried.

The fact is that light travels faster than sound. So is that why some people appear bright until you hear them speak!



*How about a special award for the political candidate who promises nothing ? We could call it the.....**No Bull Please Prize.***

Deadline

The deadline for printed items in this newsletter for next months will be the 20th of the month. Please Submit items to:

Wayne or Gwen McCargar

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There is a difference between Poppies in Canada and Poppies in Great Britain. The British have a leaf attached to theirs while the Canadians plain.

Canadian



British



Event Calendar

Date	Event
Nov 17th	Meeting Club House pot luck
Dec 1st	Christmas Party -Bold Knight

October's Cookie meeting



ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IS NO MATCH FOR NATURAL STUPIDITY

Notice

Club Dues

Are now Due!

If you are unable to attend the next meeting or Xmas party to pay your dues please send your form and \$60 to the club address.



Did you know that the average person uses 57 sheets of toilet paper every day.

A preacher's new car broke down just after his Sunday service. Monday morning he managed to drive it to the town's one garage for repairs. "I hope you'll go easy on the cost," he told the mechanic. "After all, I'm just a poor preacher." "I know," came the reply. "I heard you preach yesterday."

Did you know.

The liquid inside young coconuts can be used as a substitute for Blood plasma.

No piece of paper can be folded in half more than seven (7) times.

Oh go ahead...I'll wait...

Donkeys kill more people annually than plane crashes or shark attacks.

(So, watch your Ass)

You burn more calories sleeping than you do watching television.

Oak trees do not produce acorns until they are fifty (50) years of age or older.

The first product to have a bar code was Wrigley's gum.

The King of Hearts is the only king WITHOUT A MOUSTACHE

Apples, not caffeine, are more efficient at waking you up in the morning

The first owner of the Marlboro Company died of lung cancer. So did the first 'Marlboro Man'.

Walt Disney was afraid OF MICE!

It is possible to lead a cow upstairs... but, not downstairs.

Hours after Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941, the Secret Service found themselves in a bind. President Franklin D. Roosevelt was to give his Day of Infamy speech to Congress on Tuesday, and although the trip from the White House to Capitol Hill was short, agents weren't sure how to transport him safely at the time. Federal Law prohibited buying any cars that cost more than \$750 [*interesting thriftiness*], so they would have to get clearance from Congress to do that, and nobody had the time.

One of the Secret Service members, however, discovered that the US Treasury had seized the bulletproof car that mobster Al Capone owned when he was sent to jail in 1931. They cleaned it, made sure it was running fine and had it ready for the President the day after.

And run properly it did. Capone's car was a sight to behold. It had been painted black and green so as to look identical to Chicago's police cars at the time. It also had a specially installed siren and flashing lights hidden behind the grille, along with a police scanner radio. To top it off, the gangster's 1928 Cadillac 341A Town Sedan had 3,000 pounds of armor and inch-thick bulletproof windows.

Mechanics are said to have cleaned and checked each feature of the Caddy well into the night of December 7th, to make sure that it would run properly the next day for the Commander in Chief. The car was sold at auction for \$341,000 in 2012.



Al Capone's 1928 Cadillac 341a Town Sedan. Now the President's Limo... December 1941.

Volunteer Positions

Swap Meet Chairman

To be appointed

Health & Well fair

Shelia Johnson (250)933-5339

Photographer

Phyllis Watson (250)753-2997

Correspondent

Carol Sylvest (250)756-4393

Building Maintenance

To be appointed

News Letter

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Ninety-nine percent of all lawyers give the rest a bad name.

Isn't Disney World a people trap operated by a mouse?