



Business Meeting – Louis Riel Room-Brandon University; Tuesday, June 24, 2025

of Members Present: 25

of Guests Present: 10

Call to Order: Pres. Sheila Atkinson – National Anthem; Prayer; Mission

Introduction of Navy cadets and girl's rugby team. Donation of \$1,000 made to each of the groups

Secretary's Minutes of last meeting: Minutes of past meeting were emailed. Receipt of minutes of last business meeting acknowledged. Minutes adopted. Moved by Hugh Cowan, seconded by Garry carried

Treasurer's Report – Reg Atkinson – Bike auction. Came within \$55 of both auctions last year. Expenses are \$3500 less than last year. Coupon booklets sales up \$500 net profit over last year. Income is close to target from budget. Babysitting and chess tables and bench are in production. Kar Derby netted about \$6,500, down approximately \$600, and still need food bill. Main projects have all done well. Reg moved acceptance, Ray Pool seconded. Carried

President's Report: Sheila Atkinson – Thank you from the Rotary club and invitation to join their club.

Reg & Sheila attended Neepawa Kiwanis grand opening and fundraiser.

Human & Spiritual Values: Lynn Lonstrup – Allan Sodor, Keith Scott & Norman Brown all have birthdays coming up.

Kar Derby Committee Report: Darren Wright. Numbers down a bit. 52 entries and \$6,200 net after food bill, and donations to girls rugby and navy cadets. Always working to improve the derby.

Youth & Community Committee Report: John Huston – approved green acres playground donation. Another request from at Patricia heights playground

Special Projects Committee Reports: Kiwanis Court 2nd Edition – Hamid Mumin – Manitoba Housing has property, city would provide funds, and federal government

Bike Auction Committee Report: Keith Scott – no report

Coupon Book Committee Report: D'Arcy Barker & Doug Corder – no report

Scholarship Committee Report: Hamid Mumin & John Rice – no report

Social & Interclub Committee Report: Cecil Foster – no report

House & Reception Committee Report: Peter Lonstrup – no report

Website Management Committee Report: Frank Thomas – no report

Membership Committee Report: Duncan Waddell – no report

Speaker Programs Committee Report: Tony Reid – no report

Public Relations Committee Report: Tony Reid/David Paul – no report

Fundraising Committee Report: Doug Corder & D'Arcy Barker – no report

Marketing Committee Report: no report

Risk Management Committee Report: D'Arcy Barker – no report

Christmas Cheer Registry Committee Report: Bev Monk – no report

Meeting adjournment: Motion by John Rice, seconded by Tony Reid.

50/50 draw: Peter Lonstrup \$22.00

Next Meeting: Regular meeting Tuesday, September 9, 2025 11:45am

Notes taken by Keith Scott and submitted by Shirley Scott

What's happening at Kiwanis (Meeting every second Tuesday at 11:45 PM in the Lois Riel Room at Brandon University)

Some members meet at an informal 10AM coffee session on Monday, Thursday and Friday at McDonalds on Victoria

- **September 10 – speaker Karen Skinner & Kurt Schoultz- Chat GPT Artificial Intelligence**
- **September 14 – Corn Roast at Reg's**
- **September 24 – business meeting**
- **October 8 – Speaker – Enver Naido – Westman Immigrant Services**
- **October 22 – Business meeting**
- **November 5 – Speaker Brandon City Police Chief Tyler Bates**
- **November 19 – Business meeting**
- **December 3 – Speaker – Lucie Ledhendler – Curator a of the art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba**
- **December 11 – Christmas Luncheon**
- **December 17 – Business meeting **CANCELLED****
- **January 7 – Speaker – Hamid Mumin**
- **January 21 – Business meeting**
- **February 4 – Michelle Solonyczny – ByLaw Officer and our Bike Contact Lady**

- **February 18 – Business meeting**
- **March 4 – Speaker – Fatima Momoh – Alizas Care**
- **March 18 – Business meeting**
- **April 1 – Speaker – Emmy Sanderson(Executive Director) from the Brandon Downtown Biz**
- **April 15 – Round Table of Sharing**
- **April 26 – Bike Auction**
- **April 29 – Business meeting**
- **May 13 – Speaker**
- **May 27 – Business meeting**
- **June 7 – Kar Derby**
- **June 10 – Speaker**
- **June 24 – Business meeting**