



Business Meeting – Louis Riel Room-Brandon University; Tuesday, March 18, 2025

of Members Present: 22

of Guests Present: 0

Call to Order: 12:05. Pres. Sheila Atkinson – National Anthem; Prayer; Mission

Induction of Kaydian Facey

Secretary's Minutes of last meeting: Distributed by email.

Treasurer's Report: Reg Atkinson – Report - \$220 per member fees paid. Members pay \$130. Portion of income from coupon books helps pay for fees. Still some funds outstanding from coupon books

President's Report: Sheila Atkinson. Fatima Momoh taking over Facebook page from Darren. Motion by Keith Scott that we discuss changing Facebook page to include everything we do. Allan Sodor second. Carried. Share the page. Will be a separate registration page for Kar Derby. Register for Rotary Book Sale and remember your shifts

Sheila zoom-met with ladies from the states regarding the forming of the Neepawa Club. One is requiring a driver – having appointments booked and need drivers from 7th of April till 11th. Supposed to be spring break. April 10th is Neepawa's first meeting at 7pm meeting

Human & Spiritual Values: Lynn Lonstrup – Great St Patrick's Day party last night. She had called Bev Monk and she is fine. Cecil Foster birthday. Card to the DePass family – condolences on the passing of Eric.

Bike Auction Committee Report: Keith Scott – no report

Kar Derby Committee Report: Darren Wright – no report

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

Scholarship Committee Report: Hamid Mumin & John Rice – no report – deadline for applications is March 30, 2025

Social & Interclub Committee Report: Cecil Foster – no report

House & Reception Committee Report: Peter Lonstrup – Wonderful evening last night

Website Management Committee Report: Frank Thomas – no report

Membership Committee Report: Duncan Waddell – Welcome to Kaydian. Booth will be set up at bike auction and Kar Derby. Membership retention very important, so social events also very important.

Youth & Community Committee Report: John Huston – no report

Speaker Programs Committee Report: Tony Reid – no report

Special Projects Committee Report: Hamid Mumin – 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: 12:47 Motion to adjourn by Hugh Cowan, seconded by Lynn Lonstrup. Carried

50/50 draw: John Huston \$20 \$16 to the club. Happy \$ - \$3.95

Next Meeting: Regular meeting Tuesday, April 1, 2025, 11:45am. Speaker Emmy Sanderson, Executive Director of Brandon Downtown Biz.

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** - Casual - where all events could be discussed. Introduction of each member. Hugh has 15 years of picture to share.
- April 26 - Bike Auction
- April 29 - Business meeting
- May 13 - Grant Hamilton - 2025 Tour de France - Cure for Leukemia
- May 27 - Business meeting
- June 7 - Kar Derby
- June 10 - Speaker
- June 24 - Business meeting