October 25, 2010 Meeting Highlights

Announcements

- President Frank Sgarlata reminded everyone to start selling our Christmas products. Contact Ted Scott to pick up your orders. (See price list.)
- President Frank also reported that family and guests are invited to attend our Chrismas Luncheon on December 13 at the Old Mill.
- Please remember to send your dues of \$150 to Ted Scott.

\$ HAPPY/SAD DOLLARS \$

• Bev Best is glad to be back from the cottage to be with friends and to see his wife. He is thankful that he survived falling off the back porch roof. He got off lightly, with only a few scrapes.

MEMBERS NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY Tom Smith, November 12 Hany Atta, November 22 Faye Stuart, November 23 Stuart Roberts, November 26

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Joanne & Dan Gallo, November 30

Welcome Guests

Philip Richardon, Joe Polito, Julia Sgarlata and Penny Holden

Special Presentation

John Bedell introduced Bruce Burns, who was one of the 25,000 volunteers chosen for the 2010 Vancouver Olympics. Bruce loves skiing and has been known to say "skiing is an up and down hill matter!"

Bruce's pictures, memorabilia and amusing naration gave us a real feel for the 21st Olympics. The first World Olympics, in 1924, was in Chamonix, France and included 16 nations and 16 events. Canada's hockey team won gold that year. This year there were 82 nations participating in 15 sports, with Canada winning 14 gold, 7 silver and 7 bronze.

Whistler was a great site for the Olympics, with improvements such as the Sea to Sky Highway and the peak to peak gondola.

Bruce worked in the medal plaza each day, ushering athletes and dignitaries. There were approximately 8,000 attendees, nightly, to view the festivities of the day. It was a thrill every time the Canadian anthem was played! Each night ended with fireworks and Bruce's seven-hour shift finished at 10:30 p.m.

Perks for he and Joey included lovely official clothing, great meals, transportation, staying at their daughter's cabin at Whistler, the thanks of the crowd and wonderful memories.

Derek Jeffery thanked Bruce, saying he deserved a medal for his excellent report and sense of humour. **Community Service**

One Can Make a Difference

DONATE TO BASKETEERS Before November 20

Please donate new or gently used items to **support women** as they move from shelters. All items welcome – large or small Contact **Gillian Dugas** at 416- 243-2151.

2010 PRODUCT LIST

Delux Mixed Nuts - 500 g. Jumbo Cashews - 500 g.	\$12.00 \$12.00	
Chocolate Covered Almonds -700 g.	\$12.00	
Christmas Cake (1 dark, 1 light)	\$12.00	
Christmas Cake (all dark, sliced)	\$12.00	
Kiwanis Cake (light ring)	\$14.00	
Scottish Shortbread	\$ 7.00	
Shortbread Cookies (in tin)	\$11.00	
Shortbread Cookies (in bag)	\$ 9.00	
French Truffles	\$10.00	
French Truffles Combo (three pack)	\$13.00	
Call Ted Scott at 416-236-1024, 1 Abilene Dr.		

Interclub News

KIWANIS CLUB OF NORTH YORK CHARTER NIGHT

Monday November 15 6:15 p.m. for 7:00 p.m. Bayview Country Club (Sleeles E. & Leslie) \$60 each RSVP by November 10 to 416-299-1335

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Monday November 8 War Time Occupation of Holland Betty Forester Remembrance Meeting

Monday November 15 • 7:00 p.m. Board Meeting Weston Golf & Country Cub

Monday November 22 • 12:15 p.m. Youth Without Shelter Judy Leroux, Development Manager

> December 6 • 12:15 p.m. 4-H Meeting

December 13 • 12:15 p.m. Christmas Luncheon Guests Welcome

SPECIAL EVENTS

Governor Paul Toussaint Visit Tuesday December 7th

Islington Club: 10 a.m. - Meeting at Humber Valley United Church Riverdale Club: Noon - Lunch East York Club: 6:30 p.m. - Dinner - \$35 per person

Finishing second in the Olympics gets you silver. Finishing second in politics gets you oblivion. ~ Richard Nixon