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MAY 2019 BULLETIN



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS

May 2019	
Wed. May 1	Noon Luncheon Meeting - Carriage House Inn. Our speaker will be Adam Melnyk from Calgary Alpha House...he is head of the DOAP Team (Downtown Outreach Addiction Partnership) and he will talk about the program. Spouses and Gyrettes are welcome.
Wed. May 15	Noon Luncheon Meeting – Carriage House Inn. There will be very special speakers at this meeting. Come and listen to your fellow Gyros and learn what Gyros is really all about !!!

CHANGES TO THE CLUB ROSTER

Hi everyone :

A short e-mail to inform you regarding my new home and communications:
I have moved to Regina Sask on the first of April to live close to my Grandson Colin and family as I will be ninety come July of this year.

I now live at:

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Yes I still speak English, still have my British complexion and vote Conservative.

Bob Walker

BIRTHDAYS

MAY

8th Larry Fenton and Bill Schultz
18th Angelo Zia
28th Dick Skinner
31st Thor Jepsen



Have a great day gentlemen !!!!!

DISTRICT V111 Convention

May 23 to 26, 2019 – Drumheller, Alberta – Hosted by the Edmonton Gyro Club.
See the November 2018 issue of the Gyrodeo for Registration forms etc.....

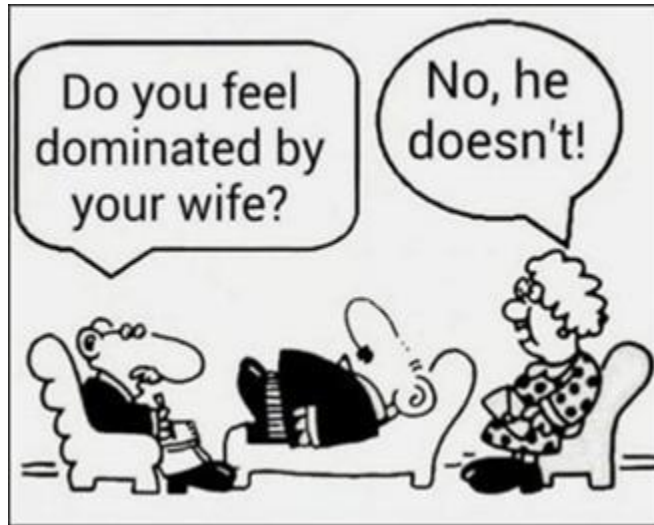
INTERNATIONAL and DISTRICT IX CONVENTION



June 2 to June 6, 2019
Reno, Nevada

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Excellent condition, \$200 or best offer. No longer needed, got married, wife knows everything.



CLUB NEWS

LUNCHEON – April 3

There were twenty-seven Gyros, Gyrettes and three guests present at our luncheon which was held at the Carriage House Inn.

Our guest speaker was Laurie Fisher who is Rick Simon's daughter. Laurie has expertise in her field of practice. She is the soft tissue therapist for the Calgary Stampeders and the Calgary Roughnecks, who are commonly called the Riggers by fans.

Laurie is a principal of the Calgary Muscle and Soft Tissue Clinic In Calgary. She was accompanied by Ryan Colb, a sports massage therapist who explained why stretching is beneficial and then explained how to stretch and what to stretch.

With all this information everyone should be ready for the spring golf season as they will know how to prevent injuries, reduce aches, and pains and improve their results.

"I can't wait to hear the claims of lower golf scores !!!"

BRUCE MARTIN

ANNUAL CRIB TOURNAMENT – April 11



The annual Crib Night was held at the Royal Canadian Legion #285 on Horton Road. There were seventeen Gyros in attendance including members from the Stampede Club plus three guests of the Calgary Club. As usual the Legion put on a great buffet meal at a great price!

Crib Winners:

- 1st - Bob Nixon (more luck than skill)
- 2nd - Ron Carter
- 3rd - Gary Stephen
- 4th - John Hodgson
- 5th - Garry Davies

50/50 (\$130) won by John L'Ecuyer.

Special thanks to everyone who donated prizes.

Huge thanks to all the guys that helped make this event a success,

Special Thanks to John L'Ecuyer who provided registration and collection of admission fees,

Special thanks to Rick Simons for managing the 50/50 draw,

Thanks to everyone for coming out to support this event!

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SPRING BRUNCH – April 14

There were forty-eight Gyros and Gyrettes who enjoyed the hospitality of the Willow Park Golf and Country Club.



Attendees were greeted by Georges Palardy and Bruce Martin. The Master of Ceremonies for the event was Chet Mills. Grace was given by Ric Simons. The buffet lunch consisted of salads, fresh vegetables, carved ham, salmon and a variety of sweet squares and chocolate dipped strawberries for dessert. Everything was delicious !!!



Following lunch we were entertained by the Lovin' Tuneful, a local barbershop quartet.

The winner of the 50/50 draw was Fred Thiessen who walked away with \$100.00.

A special thanks to the April team – John L'Ecuyer, Dave Johnston, George Sanderson, Richard Simons, George Palardy and Bob Wharton. The events in April were a team effort.

Bruce Martin

A LITTLE BIT OF HUMOR.....

A woman was on trial for stealing a car. When the prosecutor asked her why she stole it, she said, "My car wouldn't start that morning and I had to get to work." The prosecutor scratched his head and asked, "Why didn't you just take the bus?" The woman responded, "Sir, I don't have a driver's license for a bus!"

A nun walks into Mother Superior's office and plunks down into a chair. She lets out a sigh heavy with frustration.

"What troubles you, Sister?" asked the Mother Superior. "I thought this was the day you spent with your family."

"It was," sighed the Sister. "And I went to play golf with my brother. We try to play golf as often as we can. You know I was quite a talented golfer before I devoted my life to Christ."

"I seem to recall that," the Mother Superior agreed. "So I take it your day of recreation was not relaxing?"

"Far from it," snorted the Sister. "In fact, I even took the Lord's name in vain today!"

"Goodness, Sister!" gasped the Mother Superior, astonished. "You must tell me all about it!"

"Well, we were on the fifth tee and this hole is a monster, Mother -- 540 yard Par 5, with a nasty dogleg right and a hidden green.-- and I hit the drive of my life. I creamed it. The sweetest swing I ever made.

And it's flying straight and true, right along the line I wanted -- and it hits a bird in mid-flight!"

"Oh my!" commiserated the Mother. "How unfortunate! But surely that didn't make you blaspheme, Sister!"

"No, that wasn't it," admitted Sister. "While I was still trying to fathom what had happened, this squirrel runs out of the woods, grabs my ball and runs off down the fairway!"

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'Oh, that would have made me blasphemous!' sympathized the Mother.

'But I didn't, Mother!' sobbed the Sister. 'And I was so proud of myself! And while I was pondering whether this was a sign from God, this hawk swoops out of the sky and grabs the squirrel and flies off, with my ball still clutched in his paws!'

"So that's when you cursed," said the Mother with a knowing smile.

'Nope, that wasn't it either,' cried the Sister, anguished, 'because as the hawk started to fly out of sight, the squirrel started struggling, and the hawk dropped him right there on the green, and the ball popped out of his paws and rolled to about 18 inches from the cup!'

Mother Superior sat back in her chair, folded her arms across her chest, fixed the Sister with a baleful stare and said...

'You missed the putt, didn't you?'

A guy was in a pub one Saturday night, and after he'd had a few, he noticed two very large women down the bar.

They both had pretty strong accents, so he asked, "Hey, are you two ladies from Ireland?"

One of them chirped saying, "It's Wales, you idiot!"

So, he immediately apologized and said, "I'm sorry. Are you two whales from Ireland?"

That's pretty much the last thing he remembers...

Bryan Sherwood – Editor



KEEP THE FUN IN GYRO