

THE GYROLOG



THE GYRO CLUB OF EDMONTON
— EDMONTON — ALBERTA

30 January 1991

LAST MEETING: A total of twenty nine members and friends gathered at our rendezvous point (MGCC). We welcomed one guest of our president Roger RUSSELL in the person of Victor JAGOLDAS who among other interests is the current president of the German Wine Society.

Our guest speaker, Donald McGregor - President of the Alberta Hospital Society gave us a most informative and interesting perspective on Hospitals and Health Care in general and in particular. He was introduced by Bert Boren and thanked by Harry Mills.

EXECUTIVE MEETING: For the Club Executive and Board of Directors on Tuesday 05 February, 1991 at 7:00 PM. This will be held at the home of our poor struggling President, as he calls himself: 4908 114 Street.

VALENTINE'S PARTY: Thursday 14 February 1991 will be held at Teddy's Restaurant on Jasper Avenue and 114 Street. The evening is scheduled to begin at 6:30 PM and end approximately 10:30 PM. The meal will be followed by the Mystery Night entertainment. This is a combined effort of the Gyros and Gyrettes. Cost: \$35.00 per ticket, which includes GST and gratuity. Merrill Morstad is in charge for Gyros and Marlene Burnett for Gyrettes.

DISTRICT VIII INTERIM MEETING: Fairmont Hot Springs BC on the weekend of 15-17 March 1991. President Roger reports that our Club will be represented (in alphabetical order) by the Edlunds, Larsons, McClures, Morstads and Russells.

SKI-WEEK-END: Is planned for 5-7 April 1991 at the Jasper Inn. Seven units have been reserved presumably on a first come basis. For further information, please contact our First VP Merrill Morstad.

BIRTHDAYS: We recognized John Simpson at the last meeting on the occasion of another birthday 21 January.

MARCH FIFTH MEETING: We will welcome three new members to the Club on that date: Ian Fraser, Ian McIntyre and Russ Shepherd.

HOCKEY POOL: Results of the 26 January game as provided by Harry Mills:

Ten Dollars: D. Paulencu and M.T. Carson
Fifteen Dollars: Ivy Rennie and Neil Sheidow.
Twenty Five Dollars: Helen Hope and Ian Fraser.

CASH DRAW: Ken McKenzie's name was pulled from the deck but was on holiday in Arizona, so the amount will carry over to the next meeting.

NEXT MEETING: Al McClure advises that our next meeting will be held at the Italian Cultural Centre 14230 133 Avenue (off St. Albert Trail) on MONDAY EVENING 04-FEBRUARY-1991. Cocktails at 5:30 PM and Dinner at 6:15 PM. This is our annual Bocci Night and guests are welcome. Please remember that this event replaces the Tuesday noon luncheon.

FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH: According to the Oxford Dictionary of the Christian Church "the commemoration of February 14 appears to refer to two Valentines (1) a Roman priest martyred on the Flaminian Way under the Emperor Claudius (c.269) and (2) a Bishop of Terni who was taken to Rome and martyred. In those days people would prefer to die for their faith than live. Most Gyros have undying love!

Holy Willie

NOTE: Retread Gordon and Gyrette Ivy are off to Palm Desert California under early April - for a well deserved break from the winter routine here in Edmonton.

ATTENTION: Because of the mixed meeting to be held on Valentine's Day Thursday 14 February 1991 at Teddy's Restaurant (see above) the regular noon meeting on Tuesday 19 February is cancelled.

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