

THE GYRIOT



THE GYRO CLUB OF EDMONTON
— EDMONTON — ALBERTA
August 26, 1986

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday, September 2, 1986, Mayfair Golf and Country Club at 12.15 p.m.

COMING EVENTS

1. The Gyrettes will hold their regular meeting at Oliver's Restaurant, 11730 Jasper Avenue, on Tuesday, September 9, 1986 at 6.00 p.m. Cost: \$15.00 per person. No host bar.
2. The Bridge Club is preparing plans for the 1986-87 season to commence in October. The schedule will be drawn up as soon as all players are entered. Please make your intentions known, soonest, to Janet or Roger Russell at 434-4333.

SICK AND VISITING

Benny Van Loom has been hospitalized at the Youville Wing of the General Hospital. He would appreciate visitors.

TEXAS GOLF SCRAMBLE

The Texas Golf Scramble held on August 12, 1986 at the Devon Golf Club was a decided success with some 52 golfers taking part and an additional 28 who attended the dinner and the presentation of prizes. There were a few no-shows who failed to notify the Committee that they would have to cancel out. It must be pointed out that the caterer must be paid for dinners ordered even though a no-show occurs. In future please notify the Committee if unforeseen circumstances prevent your attendance.

Our congratulations to the winning team of Bryce Van Dusen, Ken McKenzie, Marg Watson, and Joan McDonald.

Most of the players had no trouble hitting the woods but they had quite a time getting out of them. With the recent July flooding contestants were allowed on some holes to improve their lies. That's when you actually have a six but you write down a five, and when no one complains you erase it and write down a four. "That," explained one competitor who was having a bit of trouble, "is called improving your lie."

However for all it was a day of fun and games.

The Committee wishes to thank sincerely all those who contributed prizes. Our special thanks is extended to Ernie Siegel and his Committee members for their splendid efforts in organizing this competition.

THIS WEEK (23)

President Al McClure outlined some of the plans discussed at the recent Executive and Directors' Meeting.

Dave Webber stated that he planned for perhaps six evening meetings, each on the third Tuesday of the month at which a speaker would give a talk. He requested members to forward him names of suitable speakers.

It was moved by Andy Carabott; seconded by Ernie Siegel, that a donation be made to the International Gyro Memorial Fund in memory of our late member, Howie Sharp. Carried.

Moved by Neil Sheidow; seconded by John Ross, that a donation from the Park Fund be made to the Crossroads Gyro Club to help finance the 1987 District Will Convention. Carried.

Moved by Roger Russell; seconded by Marty Larson, that the Club pay for the luncheon of a first time guest. Carried.

Stan Smith suggested that to boost attendance at the meetings each regular attender be given the names of perhaps five absentees to call and remind each
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of the next meeting.

Alex and Cathy Campbell were reported holidaying in the Shuswap Lakes area of B.C. On your way to Expo drop in and pass the time of day with them.

The winner of the draw was Dave Webber.

And now that our summer season is passing all too quickly I can offer a suggestion by a B.C. gardener that might lessen the work on your lawn next year. He soaks his grass seed in whisky (this seems a wanton waste). However when the grass comes up it is already half cut.

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P.S. Dan Lawton will speak at the meeting to be held Tuesday, September 16, 1986 on the topic: Looking Back on a Career.
