



June 19, 2001

President

Larry Dobson
Res. 444-5111

President Larry welcomed a great turnout of Gyros to a packed room at the Mayfair. **Dick Nichols** led the group in Cheerio and **Bruce Foy** said grace.

1st Vice-President

Victor Jagoldas
Res. 434-2438

Mort Morter reported that **Dick Ogilvie** would appreciate visitors and that **Wayne Tingley** had surgery on his knee and is recovering.

2nd Vice-President

Roy Bennett
Res. 987-2403

PIP Marty Larson reported that the Red Deer Golf was a success with 43 golfers participating. **Mike Matei** did a terrific job of organizing the event and made sure there was sunshine throughout the round of golf and the dinner. Within a few minutes of leaving the golf course it was teeming rain. Congratulations **Mike**, well done!

Imm. Past President

Bruce Foy
Res. 436-7142

Harry Nash introduced his guest, Jack Mason. **John Ross** also introduced his guest Alan Rusler.

Secretary

Geoff Brewer
Res. 444-6080

Barry Walker reported that he has a lot of interest in the golf at Westridge but not very much money. Participants are urged to sign up and pay up as soon as possible. The event will take place on July 25th, and prizes are also needed.

Treasurer

John Stroppa
Res. 469-6133

Directors

Dick Nichols
Res. 476-3221
Ted Hagemann
Res. 435-2833
Fred Schulte
Res. 434-0925
Peter Fairbridge
Res. 435-5629

President Larry announced that **John Ross** has agreed to take over the historical records from our long time historian, **Gord Rennie**. As you all know, **Gord** has been doing a wonderful job for many years. He was hoping that he could retire. So thanks to **John** for stepping forward. **Gord** the members of the club really appreciate your dedication and hard work over many years. We all thank you sincerely.

Gyrolog

Editor-In -Chief

Gordon Rennie
Res. 488-2856

Now more from **Marty Larson** on what we learn as we get older. TWELVE it is hard to make a comeback when you haven't been anywhere. THIRTEEN the only time the world beats a path to your door is when you're in the bathroom. FOURTEEN if God wanted me to touch my toes he would have put them on my knees. FIFTEEN when I'm finally holding all the cards, why does everyone decide to play chess?

Editor

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Once again we had the pleasure of having a new member installed into the Edmonton Gyro Club. 2nd Lt. Governor **Gerry Glassford** installed **Harry Nash** who was then warmly welcomed by all of the members in attendance. As has become the custom, **Harry** told us about himself and his many experiences in the RAF, in business and in life. **Harry** worked for **Bryce Van Dusen** who was his sponsor in Gyro. In 1973 **Harry** started ABS Casino and he retired in 1994.

He who has the fastest golf cart never has a bad lie. The real reason the pro tells you to keep your head down is so you can't see him laughing at you.

Al McClure introduced our guest speaker, Elizabeth Taylor from Travel Alberta. Her interest is in having us travel within our province and to enjoy the many exciting adventures we can have here at home. She talked about the many events that take place over the summer and advocates a stay at home holiday. **Bill Agnew** thanked the speaker on our behalf.

Treasurer **John Stroppa** presented the Financial Statements for the year ending March 31, 2001, and Budget for the Club for the year ending March 31, 2002. Both were passed unanimously. Also a motion was passed to charge guests who are not potential members of the club the full meal cost of \$11.00. This reflects what we pay at other clubs.

Elizabeth Taylor drew for a fee lunch and **Gerry Glassford** was the lucky one.

Upcoming Events

Our next meeting will be on July 3, 2001. No information was available at press time.

The Gyro International 2001 convention will be from Thursday July 12 to Sunday July 15, at the Wenatchee Convention Hotel and Centre in Wenatchee Washington.

The annual Gyro/Gyrette scramble is scheduled for Westridge Golf Course at 1:00 p.m. on July 25th. Dinner will follow at the Van Dusen ranch. The price is \$18 per person for golf and \$18 per person for dinner. Come and enjoy either or both. The organizers are **Barry Walker** and **Roger Russell**.

The District VIII Convention will be held August 9 to 12 in Castlegar B.C. **Larry Dobson** reported that he has booked at the Best Western and that the rate is only \$70 per night rather than the advertised rate. You may wish to book now.

The Quad Club Golf Tournament is scheduled for September 7, 2001. **Allan Warrack** is our representative on the planning.

Same Old Bull

Allan

