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A regular luncheon meeting was held at the Mayfair Golf and Country Club on May 15, 2007.

The meeting was opened by **President Jack Brown** with 41 Gyros and 4 guests attending.

Cheerio was led by Warren Garbut and **Grace** was then offered by Marty Larson.

Guests.

Charles (Chuck) Gerhart introduced his guest **Cliff Rrench, Val Pohl** his guest **Daren Pohl, Allan Warrack** introduced his cousin **Frank Warrack** and last but not least **Bryce Van Dusen** his guest **Luc Lascelle**.

Members responded with a hearty round of applause.

Walter Yakimets announced that the trip to **Fort McMurray** is definitely a go and that more participants can be accepted.

Dick Nichols advised that 11 Hockey Pool winners had yet to cash their cheques and could they please do so ASAP, PLEASE.

June 05th Luncheon meeting:

Guest Speaker Brad Anderson, Executive Director of "*The Alberta Chamber Of Resources*" which encompasses development in the Forestry, Oil Sands, Cement, Mining as well as other major Industries.

First Posting.

David Dyck has applied for membership in our Club, **David** and his wife **Shirley Hearty** reside at 18419 – 81 Ave Edmonton, postal code T5T 1A6, telephone number 444-3861 and e-mail address davidjdyck@shaw.ca.

David is President of D.J Dyck and Associates Inc.
He is proposed by Ari Hoeksema and seconded by Bryce Van Dusen.

Upcoming Events:

- **Thursday June 07, 07** Gyro District V111 Golf tournament. Mike Matei 930-1780 is co-ordinating our club's attendance with the host, Sherwood Park Club.
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- **Tuesday July 10, 07** Gyro/Gyrette 9 hole golf tournament at the same venue as in recent years, **The Legends Golf Course**, maps available at www.thelegends.ca
The approximate time for the first *tee time* is 1:00 P.M and a steak BBQ will follow.
Everyone wins a prize and has a fun afternoon of fellowship.
Cost \$50.00 per person for golf, steak BBQ and dinner wine.
If you only wish to join the group for the BBQ the cost is \$28.00 per person.

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Prizes/prizes/prizes
Are needed!
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- **Thursday August 9th through Sunday August 12th**
District V111 Convention.
(See individual responsibilities allocations attached)
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- **Friday August 10, 07** Gyro District V111 Convention Golf Tournament, as previously announced.
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- **Tuesday September 04, 07** Annual Corn Roast, following the conclusion of the District V111 Convention.
Venue Malmo Community Hall (same place as in previous years).
Cost, \$15.00 per person and there will be a *twoonie bar*.
Bocci before dinner at approximately 4:30 P.M dinner to follow at approximately 6:30P.M.

The Guest Speaker for the meeting:

Dr. Karen Dushinski, Ph. D. Prov. Registered Psychologist,
Director of Client Services with The Sexual Assault Centre of Edmonton, was introduced by
Larry Mix,

Using a Power Point Presentation, **Dr. Dushinski** outlined the services of the Sexual Assault Centre and her involvement in the provision of those services.
The Centre has 10 full and 5 part time employees and operates with a \$600,000.00 annual budget.

Funding comes from many organizations, including:

- United Way
- The City of Edmonton
- The Alberta Solicitor General's Department
- Children's Services

- The Edmonton Community Foundation
- Person's with Development Disabilities.

Also from a variety of fund raising activities e.g. BBQ'S.

Some of the services provided include:

- 24 hour Crisis Line, which provides- support – referrals and information to individuals affected by sexual violence.
- Diversity Outreach Project.
- Adult Counseling.
- Group Counseling.
- Child & Adolescent Counseling.
- Public Education.
- Volunteer Opportunities.

During 2005, 9,202 calls were taken on the crisis line, 76% female 24% male.

Public education was presented to some 18,564 participants.

In the Counseling Child and Adolescent program 102 female and 26 males were dealt with.

In adult programs some 441 females and 48 males were counseled.

(A pamphlet, outlining the work of the Sexual Assault Centre in further detail, is attached together with this copy of Gyrolog)

Dr. Dushinski responded to a number of questions and was then thanked and presented with our customary Gyro token of appreciation.

Dr. Dushinski then drew the card for the free lunch which went to Larry Dobson.

Same Old Bull



Peter