



THE GYROLOG

THE GYRO CLUB OF EDMONTON

September 17, 2002

President

Victor Jagoldas
Res. 434-2438

Returning from a 'leave of absence', **President Victor** greeted a small crowd of 21 Gyros and four guests to the second meeting in September.

1st Vice-President

Roy Bennett
Res. 987-2403

John Ross led us in Cheerio and **David Burnett** asked the blessing.

2nd Vice-President

Tony Sheppard
Res. 435-4325

Bryce Van Dusen introduced his guest Barry Bentz, **Peter Butler** introduced his friend Don Hendrickson, and **Larry Dobson** introduced Jim Brown who has applied for membership in the club. The fourth guest was the guest speaker.

Imm. Past President

Larry Dobson
Res. 444-5111

Mort Morter had nothing to report on the health of the club but **President Victor** reported that **Win Kirkwood** was not present because he had some black out problems earlier in the day.

Secretary

Geoff Brewer
Res. 444-6080

Treasurer

Dick Nichols
Res. 476-3221

Larry Dobson, filling in for **PIP Marty**, said that he had some hockey pool tickets that were still available. If you have not received any, see **Marty**.

Directors

Fred Schulte
Res. 434-0925
Peter Fairbridge
Res. 435-5629
Wayne Tingley
Res. 488-5467
Peter Butler
Res. 987-4581

The birthdays being celebrated during the last half of September are **Vern Sadd** on the nineteenth and **Peter Carter** on the twenty-fifty.

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Editor-In -Chief

Gordon Rennie
Res. 488-2856

President Victor announced that the Edmonton Gyro Club is going to the Black Cat Guest Ranch on May 27 and 28, 2003. Arrival will be on Tuesday afternoon (May 27) with departure after breakfast on Thursday (May 29). The package for 2 nights and 5 meals (1 on Tuesday, 3 on Wednesday and 1 on Thursday) is \$148 per person plus tax for a regular room and \$158 plus tax for a queen room. **President Victor** will hold a champagne and sparkling wine tasting on Tuesday evening after dinner. The cost for the tasting will not be determined until we have all reservations finalized. Confirmation with deposit of \$70 per person should be in **President Victor's** possession as soon as possible but no later than November 15, 2002. Please make out your cheque to the Edmonton Gyro Club.

Editor

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The Black Cat Guest Ranch is located on the east boundary of Jasper National Park, about 20 kilometers from Hinton. Driving time from Edmonton is about 3½ to 4 hours. The BCGR is a small family owned and operated guest ranch – 16 cozy rooms facing a fabulous mountain view. Additional information will be available at the October 1, 2002 Gyro meeting.

FIRST POSTING: Jim and Audrey Brown of 1342 Potter Greens Dr. Edmonton, T5T 6A3. Telephone 487-0764. They have six grown children. Jim is President of J.W.Brown Professional Corporation 423-4460. Jim's email address is brownjw@shaw.ca Jim was proposed by **Peter Fairbridge** and seconded by his neighbour **Larry Dobson**.

Jack Ellis introduced our guest speaker, Captain David Vernon from the Edmonton Garrison. He showed a video on army life and then answered many questions. It was a very interesting program. On behalf of the club **Mort Morter** thanked him.

Captain Vernon drew the cards and **President Victor** won a Gyro license plate frame.

Upcoming Events:

Our next meeting will be on October 1, 2002 with **Roger Russell** heading the program team. The event will be a surprise.

Marg Foy advises that the next Gyrette meeting will be at the Mayfair on October 8, 2002. Cocktails at 6:00, dinner at 6:30. There will be a business meeting followed by an abbreviated program "About Books".

Our day at the races is coming up on September 29th at Northlands. **John Stroppa** advises that post time is 1:00 p.m. and we should meet on the main level to get our tickets at 12:30. A great buffet lunch will be served at 1:30 p.m. If you have not yet paid, contact **John** ASAP.

October 22nd is **Founders Night** and we are planning a large, mixed, quad club event at the Faculty Club. There will be an excellent dinner featuring steak Diane followed by a brief Founders Night message and the guest speaker. The guest speaker is Wayne Sartore, Vice-President, Northern Pipeline Development for Enbridge who will have an interesting insight into the energy industry. The cost is \$50 per person.

Curlarama is scheduled for November 1, 2, and 3, at the Voyager Inn in Banff. With two per room the cost is \$165 for a minimum of three games, two nights hotel, two breakfasts, hospitality Friday night, and a banquet on Saturday. Let **Mike Matei** know if you are interested. We would like to have more teams out this year.

Same Old Bull

Allan

