

# KIWANIS NEWS



NEWSLETTER OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF LETHBRIDGE 

*Club Meeting --- TUESDAYS at 12:05 p.m.*

*Catering by Country Kitchen, Lower Level of the Keg ---- January 19, 2010*

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## ☼☼☼☼ FROM THE PRESIDENT'S PEN

Greetings to you all. I look back over the past week and see that the festival office is restored to something close to a workable situation -- my thanks to Jim Moyer and Megan Yanosik, who, combined with Juanita, got most of the furniture back in order.

I thank all of our members who took part in the joint meeting with Rotary -- I was really pleased with the turnout when you consider just how

bad the weather was that day. About 80 were in attendance representing two Kiwanis clubs and two Rotary clubs. We had many compliments on the program from our visitors.

My thanks to those who attended Henrietta Hatt's Memorial service. Our thoughts are with you, Lloyd.

As I look into the future, we have a Music Festival arriving in mid-March. We Kiwanians need to consider the mid-winter district gathering in Saskatoon April 8 and 9, the annual International Convention in Las Vegas, June 24 - 27, and the annual bi-district Convention with our Montana friends in the fall. Our Club Treasurer tells us that there is a small fund available to help offset the costs for members to attend any of these events. I urge you to consider at least one of them.

Thank you all for your continued commitment to our club and our community.

President Keith ☼☼☼☼

Life is like a roll of toilet paper. The closer it gets to the end, the faster it goes.

## KIWANIS KALENDAR

January 19 - Business meeting

January 26 - Jamie Christie, McIntyre Ranch

## BIRTHDAY

*January 31 Wib Haufe*

## WELCOME TO KIWANIS Barry Horner, new Kiwanian



Barry Horner was born and raised in Winnipeg, attending the University of Manitoba where he met Linda, also from Winnipeg. After a short career in the printing industry he became part of the judicial system in Manitoba which took him to Brandon, then to Peace River, AB,

then to Lloydminster, and finally to Lethbridge in 1984. His education was furthered with a grad degree from Gonzaga University. Barry retired four years ago as chief probation officer for Southern Alberta.

Barry and Linda have one son, one daughter, and three grand-daughters.

Barry is a member of the Masonic Order and is an active member at Southminster United which also includes his strong bass voice in the Choir. Welcome, Barry. 😊

**ANNIVERSARY**  
*January 20 Minda and Bob Rogerson*



*On January 5, our club hosted the annual joint meeting of Lethbridge Kiwanis and Rotary clubs. Kiwanis president Keith reminded us of our shared concern for the welfare of our local and our international communities. Highlight of the event was guest speaker, MP Rick Casson.*



*Rick is an entertaining speaker. He has served the Lethbridge riding for five terms. He has a strong commitment to his community. We were somewhat saddened to hear one day later that he has announced his retirement from politics and will not run again. Thanks for you contributions, Rick, both nationally and locally. We salute you. 😊*

Sometimes January is a ho-hum month, but not *this* January. We have been blessed with a plethora (look that up) of excellent programs. If

this seems as if I am trying to pay a compliment to program chair Neil Manning, well, I am. 😊

On January 12 our guest speaker was Cheryl Dyck, the CEO of the city's Economic Development Office.



Cheryl is an engaging speaker with a powerful message. She is a graduate of Lethbridge College. President Keith took pleasure in pointing out that Cheryl was student body president during Keith's time as a faculty member. Her position with the Economic Development office seems to have been tailor-made for Cheryl. Thanks to her background with the media and other leadership situations, she knows just about everyone in town. If she hasn't met you yet, she conveys the idea that her life won't be complete until she does meet you and make you her friend. Thanks, Cheryl, for informing and entertaining us. Come back soon. 😊

I signed up for an exercise class and was told to wear loose fitting clothing. If I HAD any loose fitting clothing, I wouldn't have signed up in the first place!

**Suicidal twin kills sister by mistake!**