

THE GYROLOG



THE GYRO CLUB OF EDMONTON
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November 12, 1979

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday, November 20, 1979, Mayfair Golf and Country Club at 12:15 p.m. Mr. Paul Ouimet, Manager of the Development Department of the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce will speak on the topic, "The Role of the Chamber in Edmonton's Future".

COMING EVENTS

1. The Annual Gyro Curl-a-Rama will be held at the Banff Curling Club on November 30 through December 2, 1979. The Host this year is the Calgary Gyro Club with Ron Carter as Chairman of the Committee. The cost is \$75.00 per person for the Full Package which includes, curling, two nights at the Voyageur Inn, and the Saturday Night Banquet. Cost for non-curlers: \$65.00 per person. An added feature will be the story-telling contest which will include one-liners, ethnic jokes, dialect stories, etc. Forward your entry soonest to:

Mr. Ron Carter
4032 Comanche Road, N. W.
Calgary, Alberta T2L 0N8 Res: 284-2062

2. The Spokane Gyro Club will hold its Installation Party on Saturday, December 1, 1979 with 2nd Lieutenant-Governor, Ed Ross as the Installing Officer.

3. The Edmonton Gyro Club's Annual Christmas Party will be held on Sunday December 9, 1979 at the Club Mocombo, 200 St. Albert Road. Cocktails: 5:00 p.m. Dinner: 7:00 p.m. Cost: \$10.00 per person. Members of the area clubs are cordially invited to attend.

BIRTHDAYS

Chuck Jenion	November 10	Marty Larsen	November 14
Jim Duncan	November 14	Les Mason	November 15
Alex Campbell	November 15		

"There are some people of whom I would certainly like to be one,
Who are the people who get things done.
They balance their checkbooks every month and their figures always agree
with the bank's. And they are prompt in writing letters of condolence
or thanks.
They never leave anything to chance, But always make reservations in
advance. They serve on committees, and improve their cities.
Before spending any money they insist on getting an estimate or a sample,
And if they lose anything from a shoelace to a diamond ring it is covered
by insurance more than ample.
People who get things done lead contented lives, or at least I guess so,
And I certainly wish that either I were more like them or they were less so."

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May you all continue to lead the contented lives of those who get things done.

SICK & VISITING

Marion Halford recently underwent surgery in the University Hospital. We trust that she will soon be well enough again to make the journey to their winter home in California.

SECOND POSTING

1. Allan Alexander Warrack, Professor, Rural Economy, University of Alberta, 91 Fairway Drive, Edmonton, Alberta
Sponsors: Gordon Rennie and Marty Larson.

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2. Allan C. McClure, Owner, RingBinder and Vinyl Products (Western) Ltd., 52 Butterfield Crescent, St. Albert, Alberta
Sponsors: Chuck Jenion and Harry Mills.

HOCKEY POOL

Game No. 1, November 3, 1979

\$25.00 - Ticket No. 11 - Alex Campbell
- Ticket No. 112 - Lionel S. Vail
\$25.00 - Ticket No. 25 - Douglas A Baron
- Ticket No. 126 - No name

Game No. 2, November 10, 1979

"All the old familiar faces in all the old familiar places" - Westbrook Drive
\$10.00 - Ticket No. 43 - Ian Sinclair
- Ticket No. 180 - Jim Humphries
\$15.00 - Ticket No. 79 - Tommy Douglas
- Ticket No. 116 - Royal Bank Staff Fund - 107 Ave. & 124 St.
\$25.00 - Ticket No. 80 - Doris Douglas
- Ticket No. 117 - Dan Lawton

THIS WEEK

President Ernie called upon Harry Mills to introduce his guest, Al McClure. The President then reported that he, along with Beth attended the Lethbridge Gyro Club Installation Party on Saturday, November 3, 1979. He stated that, in addition to being made very welcome, he was able to do some missionary work on behalf of our 60th Anniversary and District VIII Convention to be held in 1981.

Our sincere appreciation and thanks go to Gordon Rennie, Club Historian, for his compilation of the Historical Records of the Club in 11 Well-bound volumes which he presented to President Ernie recently. It is hoped to find a permanent place for these volumes at Fort Edmonton Park when Gyro Playground No. 10 is completed and dedicated.

Moved by Ernie Siegel and seconded by Marty Larson that Honorary Membership in the Edmonton Gyro Club be conferred on Jack Jones. Carried. It was agreed to appoint Murray Pawling, Honorary Edmonton Gyro Club President for a Day for his long and efficient services as Treasurer. The day selected for Murray's elevation to the presidency is January 22, 1980.

INDUCTION

Howard Wilson was then asked to introduce our new member, John Pedden. John, he said was born in Halkirk, Alberta in the late twenties. The family moved to Calgary where he took his education, graduating from Western Canada High School in the 1940's. John and his wife, Bernice, are the parents of two boys. Just recently they became grandparents for the first time. (Incidentally, they are in good company as Jim and Nettie Wright have become first time grandparents while not too long ago Jack and Bert Agnew became grandparents once again. Belated congratulations to all!) John Pedden is a consultant with the Alberta Hospital Association and is active in many other organizations including the Boy Scouts, Demolay, the United Way, the Masonic Order and the Edmonton Shrine Club. We extend a warm welcome to John and Bernice who we are sure will be loyal and active in the Club.

Glenn Treacy then outlined the history of the Gyro Club and formally inducted John Pedden into the Edmonton Gyro Club. John was then greeted

and welcomed by each member.

It was in Mexico City that a senora said to her beautiful friend, "Pepita you must be proud of your husband, Juan. He is so big, so handsome, so strong." "Pah", sneered Pepita, "You should have seen the Juan who got away!"

And at this point I shall get away

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