



SOCKTOBER

small socks

BIG SOCKS

Even in between socks

orange socks

BLUE SOCKS

As long as they're *new* socks



Rotary Club of Wiarnton

General Meeting

October 10/24

President Nora Walden chaired the meeting

1. We had a moment of silence reflecting on what each of us are thankful for
2. Nora Welcomed all
3. There were a number of pairs Socks brought in by members for Socktober
4. Trevor fed the Party Pig , so that he could tell a tale about a high school crush. Bev tossed in a happy buck ...glad to have Rebekha back after a busy Golf Season
5. Mike McMillan introduced our of Guest speakers- **Habitat for Humanity Grey-Bruce**; Jamie Bennett and Christine McGregor who gave an informative slide presentation and answered many of our inquiries . To date Habitat GB has built 76 Homes ,involving 88 families and 211 Children .Nora Presented a Cheque to Habitat for Humanity Grey-Bruce for \$3725
6. **Welcome Youth Exchange- Our Outgoing Student.** Kearnyn Forbes and her Father Dan were in attendance
7. A thank you note was received from Hannah Cunningham for being rewarded the Wiarnton Rotary Scholarship for Continued Education
8. **Proposed New Budget for 2024-25-** Heather Brush Treasurer presented a synopsis of the budget with slide presentation and easy to understand talking points
9. Plans are in the works for a fun Holiday Party, Dec 12th . Stay Tuned !
10. Nora presented our Exchange Student Katie with a name tag and a Rotary Shirt

- 11. Appeal:** Grey County 4-H Dairy Classic Team 2024- \$500 to \$1000 for Royal Winter Fair- We must consider an exception to Appeal's policy as well as vote to donate to 4-H. A survey will be forthcoming
- 12.** An email has been sent out giving an update on the Hand Up Committee literacy project that our Club has helped fund in Guatemala . Thanks Bob
- 13. Wine Survivor #13** Tickets will be available for sale by the end of next week. Ron and/or Randy will be in touch with members when ready to go. There will be no partner for this draw.

Rotary Club of Wiarnton : Fall Calendar!

- **Socktober – All Month Thank you to** Heather Brush: Locations:
 - Pinewoods Golf
 - Home Hardware Wiarnton
 - TD Bank
 - Royal Bank
 - Josie's
 - Great Canadian Dollar Store
 - Mid-West Co-op
- **October 16 Bus Tour of Leaves** – Glenda and Glenn will be on the bus taking seniors back roading and then to Kettles for Lunch .
- **Roadside Clean up-** Oct 5 .Thanks to Pat ,Nick, Trevor and Heather 1 ½ hours well spent .
- **October 17 Fireside Chat:** Home of Pat Cavan: **Our Rotary Club of Wiarnton Website:** <https://wiarntonrotary.org/>
- **October 24-Business Meeting Wiarnton Legion World Polio Day: George Gordon, - PSDS Breakfast Program**
- **November 2 Visioning Workshop** –10:a.m. to 2:30 pm to be held at Revell Cooperative Workspace 582 Berford St Wiarnton. Kristan and Mike offered to supply lunch! **Questionnaire sent out to all members. Sign up please!**
- **November 14 Meeting Wiarnton Legion: Guest Speaker- Rotary Foundation Presentation**
- **November 28 Business Meeting Wiarnton Legion:Exchange Student Presentations by** Sophia Hepburn and Katie Lewall
- **December 2-6 Wine Survivor 13:**
- **December 12 Christmas Party:** Organizing Committee-Jackie, Heather and Bev

50/50 Draw won by Pat
Meeting Adjourned 8:06 pm