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Meeting Highlights :

- President Max Radiff called the meeting to order; followed by a group singing of "O Canada".
- He then questioned the group to see who was interested in attending the luncheon after the meeting at Hobart's Steakhouse that is located in the Kent Place Mall (18 members choose to attend).
- Next President Max added a little humor to the agenda and presented the membership with a reading of a funny news report, titled "Dead Crows".
- He then called upon Vice President Ted Abbot to introduced and provide some personal background in regards to our special guest speaker for the morning Ron Taylor :
 - Ron is the son of Bruce Taylor, our Club's Secretary;
 - he and his family have lived in Lindsay for the past two years;
 - has held the position of the Director of Development Services for the City of the Kawartha Lakes for the last two and half years;
 - is in charge of five divisions of the Service Department, namely Planning, Building, Engineering, Land Management and By-law Enforcement;
 - previously worked in the City of Pickering for approximately sixteen years in a variety of planning and economic development positions.
- His presentation was titled, "The Next 20 Years – Planning and Development in the City of Kawartha Lakes".
 - A brief outline of his presentation :
 - He started his presentation by presenting some background information regarding the "Big Picture" of Provincial planning.
 - He talked about various Provincial Plans/Acts, displayed highlighted maps of the Great Golden Horseshoe and the greenbelt area of the City of Kawartha Lakes.
 - He continued by elaborating on the strategies and plans (listed below) that have been put in place regarding local planning:
 - CKL Growth Management Strategy :
 - detailed Land Allocation Analysis.
 - CKL Municipal Master Plans :
 - Infrastructure Master Plans (2012)
 - Financial Analysis and Development Charges (2013)
 - Detailed Infrastructure Plans and Projects (ongoing).
 - CKL Official Plan :
 - Statutory document setting out land use policy directions for long-term growth and development in a municipality.
 - CKL Official Plan was approved by the Province in February 2012.
 - CKL Sustainability Plan :
 - addresses development and non-traditional land use planning topics (energy efficiency, culture, climate change and weather resiliency, to name a few).
 - CKL Secondary Plans :
 - development or redevelopment of settlement areas, neighbourhoods, districts, and corridors.
 - Zoning/Subdivisions/Consents/Site Plan/Minor Variances / Building Permits.



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February's Guest Speaker

TUESDAY, February 12th



Sharon King
KPOW
(Kawartha – Protect Our Waters)

**"POLLUTION AND DILUTION"
IS NOT THE SOLUTION!**

The health of the Scugog River
and Sturgeon Lake."



Bruce Taylor, Club's Secretary, thanking Ron, his son, for his presentation on behalf of our club.



New member Bruce Cameron (middle) being officially welcomed into our club by his sponsor Ron Baldwin (left) and President Max (far right).



New member Grant Raven (middle) being officially welcomed into our club by his sponsor Dave McClelland (left) and President Max (far right).

Health and Welfare

Please notify Milt Battersby, Health and Welfare and Public Relations, if you have knowledge of any our members that are experiencing health issues at any time.....

- Upon completion of his presentation he was thanked by his father Bruce Talyor, our Club's Secretary. Bruce presented him with an honorarium, but Ron stated that he was unable to accept it as a personal gift but would in-turn donate it to a local charity.
- President Max continued by introducing the guests in attendance, Sal Polito, Wilf Loewrigkeit, Reg Learn and Tom Huff.
- Next President Max informed the membership that there were two new members to be inducted into our club and called upon Membership Director, Rodger Smith, to direct that part of the ceremony.
- Rodger requested that the two new members and their sponsors to come forward and take part in the induction ceremony.
 - Bruce Cameron and his sponsor Ron Baldwin;
 - Grant Raven and his sponsor Dave McClelland.
- Next President Max officially welcomed Bruce and Grant into our Club and presented them with their name badges and blue folders.
- President Max proceeded by presenting his remarks regarding the latest Management Committee meeting :
 - a discussion about a group picture and come to an agreement that the logistics are too difficult and the cost of producing leads to very few members purchasing one so, so left abeyance.
 - Adoption of a new policy dealing with members of another Probus Club who move into our area and wish to join our club.
 - Policy states that we will accept a letter from the previous club indicating member is in good standing in lieu of a sponsor from this club.
 - We as a club would not levy an initiation fee and absorb the cost of their name badges.
- Next he stated that hard copies of the Manuals of Procedures and Policies were distributed to all the Management Committee members. Also an additional hard copy is stored in the Club's storage cupboard for membership viewing; but is not to be removed from the room and must be replaced back in cupboard before leaving the hall.
- He informed the members that three service providers had withdrawn their sponsorship; but three new ones have been added in their place, Nesbitt's Meat Market, Hill's Florists and Hobart's Restaurant.
- President Max called upon Director/Program Ted Abbot to come forward and present items of interest from the Program Committee:
 - Ted informed the membership next month's guest speaker would be Sharon King, who would be speaking on the health of our waterways, particularly the Scugog River and Sturgeon Lake.
 - Next a survey was handed out that contained a listing of some suggested special outings. Ted asked the membership to check off the choices that would interested them.
 - Next he conducted a group discussion regarding our past Christmas Party at the Lakeview Arts Barn. He canvassed the group for their personal pros and cons and made note of them. He inquired if they would be interested in going back there next year and or maybe back to the Lindsay Golf and Country Club (show of hands indicated more in favour of the LAB than the golf club).
- President Max informed the membership that we had received a notice from the Peterborough Club regarding a trip that they were planning to the Canada Blooms and National Home Show. He stated a further e-mail will be sent out to the membership in the next couple of days or so.
- He stated that he would be issuing an e-mail that contained a survey from the Police Services Board and encouraged each member to take the time to read and fill out.
- President Max adjourned meeting and the members attending the luncheon, made their way to the Hobart's Steakhouse.



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Special Notice: We have three new sponsors that have been added to our list of service providers:

- Nesbitt's Meat Market - Hills Florist & Greenhouses - Hobart's Steakhouse

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