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Next Meeting Wednesday September 16th 10am at Saint John Boys & Girls Club so mark yourcalenders

## Speaker

Our Speaker this month will be Ms Jennifer Palmer from the “Run for The Cure” organisation .She will be talking on breast cancer and about the run and possibly soliciting volunteers to help.

## Minutes of June meeting

The final monthly meeting of the 2014-15 season was called to order at 10 am-ish by President Ralph Wood at the Boys and Girls Club. Only 11 members were present. Members sang O Canada, then in the absence of Gordon Moulard chose songs for the sing-along, but there was shown a definite need for more rehearsal.

Lunch: Most opted to stay for spaghetti and rolls.

Minutes of the May 20th meeting were published in the Phoghorn. They were accepted on motion of Ralph Wood, seconded by Gordon Graham.

Finances: Treasurer Don Mitchener reported that we have \$1921 in the bank, with \$600 to go to the Boys and Girls Club if approved. This balance includes the \$1000 bequest that we received from the Estate of Ross Coates. Without this gift our projected operating deficit for the year would be \$45.

Member News: Dave Flewelling is undergoing treatments. There were no guests or potential new members present.

Jokes Department: The Agenda said there would be no jokes today; there were, in fact, two.

Presentation: Cpt. Ralph presented his gift of a NB flag and base; a plaque on the base says “at the conclusion of his Presidency”.

Moved by Tor Bordevik and seconded by Willard Buckley, that we cancel June meetings. Vote delayed until more are present in September.

Gift to Boys and Girls Club: Ralph moved and Fenton Keirstead seconded that we give \$600 to the Boys and Girls Club; motion carried. A cheque was presented to Amy Shanks, who expressed thanks, then drew for the 60/40 Draw: Don Mitchener won \$37.

Following coffee break, Vice President Willard Buckley introduced the Guest Speaker, numismatist Tom Craig, who is retired from Lantic Sugar Refinery. He gave an interesting and informative survey of the use of tokens, coins, playing card money, and paper money in Canada and in various provinces including NB, from pre-Confederation to modern times.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Taylor, Secretary.

### **President's remarks**

Today we are inviting all Past Presidents and Charter Members to join us in a complimentary lunch to thank them for their past services and dedication to the club

I'm pleased to announce that we have already lined up a roster of interesting speakers till January.

As I've now completed two years as President I would just like to thank all the members for putting up with me and my warped sense of humour. I'd particularly like to thank the Executive for all their help advice and assistance I'll miss having you all as a captive audience, thanks for being so tolerant and not booing too often.

Now for what you've been anticipating all summer long ,yes you've guessed it .

## Fabulous Funnies Time

This woman decides to buy a flat pack wardrobe from Ikea. Back home she reads the instructions carefully and assembles the cupboard in the bedroom. It looks really neat. Then, a train passes and the whole wardrobe collapses. Not daunted by this she re-reads the instructions and reassembles the wardrobe. Then, another train passes and the whole wardrobe collapses yet again. Now, she's finally fed up with this and calls the customer service department. She is told that this is quite impossible and that they'll send along a technician to have a look. The technician arrives and assembles the wardrobe. Then, a train passes and it collapses. Completely baffled by this unexpected event, the technician decides to reassemble the wardrobe and sit inside it to see whether he can find out what causes the wardrobe to collapse. At this point, the woman's husband comes home, sees the wardrobe and says: "That's a nice looking wardrobe", and opens it.

Says the technician: "You won't believe me, but I'm standing here waiting for a train".

Flying out of Saint John the other day I'm in my seat when the Captain comes on the intercom Introduces himself as Captain Goldberg and his co pilot as First Officer Chang. He goes on to tell us all about the weather and to wish us a pleasant flight but he must have left the mike open as we here all the take off procedures. Finally when we are at 35000 feet and the automatic is engaged we here the Captain say to his co-pilot I hate Chinese to which the co-pilot says why? The Captain says Well you bombed Pearl Harbour. No no replied the Co-pilot that was the Japanese to which the Captain says Chinese Japanese Vietnamese All the same. After a short interval the Co-pilot says I hate Jews! Why says Captain Goldberg . You Sink Titanic said Mr Chang No no says the Captain that was an iceberg. To which Mr Chang replies Sandberg Feinberg Goldberg Iceberg all the same

A Priest, a Rabbi, and a Minister walk into bar. The bartender looks up and asks "What is some sort o

**Three young men** were waiting to tee off when the starter walked up to them and said, "You see that beautiful blonde practicing her putting?"

"Her? Wow, she is beautiful," they all said.

"She's a good golfer," he continued, "and would like to hook up with a group. None of the other groups will play with a woman. Can she play with you? She won't hold you up, I promise." They looked at each other and said, "Sure! She can join us." Just as the starter said, the woman played well and kept up. Plus, they kept noticing, she was very attractive.

When they reached the 18th hole, she said that if she sank her 18-footer, she'd break 80 for the first time. "Guys, I'm so excited about breaking 80 that I have to tell you something. I had a great time

playing with you. I can tell you all really love golf. I want you to know that I'm single and want to marry a man who loves golf as much as I do. If one of you guys can read this putt correctly and I make it, I'll marry whichever of you was right!"

All three jumped at the opportunity. The first one looked over the putt and said, "I see it breaking 10 inches left to right." The second looked it over from all sides and said, "No, I see it breaking eight inches right to left."

The third man looked at the woman, looked at the ball, and said, "Pick it up. It's good!"

Jesus and Moses are playing golf in Heaven when they come to the par-three 17th hole, a long carry over water to an island green. Moses tees off with a 3-wood and hits the green. Jesus takes out his 5-iron and says, "I'm going to hit a 5-iron because Arnold Palmer would hit a 5-iron from here."

Jesus tees it up and hits a lofted iron shot that finishes 25 yards short of the green and in the water.

Jesus turns to Moses and says, "How about parting the water so I can play my ball where it lies?"

Moses says, "No way. You foolishly chose the wrong club because of your Arnold Palmer fantasy and I'm not going to be a party to it!"

Jesus shrugs and starts walking on the water to where his ball went in. Just then, a foursome approaching the tee box sees Jesus walking on the water.

One of them asks Moses, "Who does that guy think he is, Jesus Christ?"

Moses turns and says, "No, he thinks he's Arnold Palmer!"

And remember

. Sex is not the answer. Sex is the question. "Yes" is the answer.!!!