

March 3, 2010.

WE TAKE A BREATHER.

ATTENDANCE SANK TO A LOW POINT this week as only seven members managed to be at the meeting on Wednesday evening. Globe-trotting President **AJAY** was away in China on business so Vice-President **LINDA** took charge of proceedings from a Round Table. Supporting her were **BARRY, GLENYS, ERIC, BILL** and **both PETERs**.

THERE WAS NO FORMAL PROGRAMME – just as well under the circumstances! Nevertheless, Programme Chair **PETER W.** filled in the time appropriately after the Music Festival and played a record of “Peter and the Wolf” for our enjoyment.

THE FESTIVAL WENT WELL from our point of view. Members worked a total of 115 hours. In addition, wives and volunteers put in an other 16 hours. 10 members and guests dined together at Moxie’s before the President’s Trophy competition and Showcase of Stars. It provided great entertainment at the George Weston Recital Hall, Toronto Centre for the Arts. It was well attended and the performances were of the very high calibre we have come to expect.

SOME OF OUR FESTIVAL SCHOLARSHIPS are being allocated to different classes. The Alumni Competition is no more so we have been asked for our preferences to re-allocate the money previously donated to winners in this category. As well, some awards are in memory of former club members. We will ask that they be continued on their own and not used to supplement other prizes.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS.

OUR NEW RED KIWANIS SHIRTS are available from President **AJAY**, who would like to be re-imbursed for them a.s.a.p.

Take \$34.25 with you when you go to pick up yours!

KEY CLUB. A VOLUNTEER IS NEEDED TO BACK-UP PETER W. AS KEY CLUB ADVISER. CALL AJAY AND PETER IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP.

Y. A.Y. MEETING, 10.00 A.M., Tuesday March 16 at 5054 Yonge Street to finalize Kiwanis One-Day programme, April 10.. *Call PETER W. if you plan to attend. (416-496-1965).*

INTERCLUB. BARRY and **GLENYS** attended the East York club last week.

VERY IMPORTANT. See CALENDAR for details of a Kiwanis Growth Summit being held on Saturday March 27. Past Governor CHUCK McILRAVEY asks as many members as possible to attend.

KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL NEXT GLOBAL CAUSE. Visit www.kiwanis.org/wsp to view three short-listed proposals and take part in an on-line discussion forum. The choice between them will be announced at the International Convention in Las Vegas in June.

SOCIAL OUTING is being arranged by **BARRY** for Sunday, April 18. It's a brunch and show, "The Sensuous Senator", at Class Act theatre, Brock Street and Highway 12, Whitby. Cost is \$50.95. *Let him know whether or not you will attend. (416-299-1335).*

CONGRATULATIONS to:-

PETER W. (March 9): **AJAY** (March 19) – BIRTHDAYS.

RUSSI & MOTI. (51st) – ANNIVERSARY.

REWARD OFFERED for news of **LOVINGSON** and/or **WINFRED** – phone numbers/e-mail addresses, etc.

CHECK OUR WEBSITE CALENDAR FOR MEETINGS, INTERCLUBS, BINGOS, etc.

READ THESE SLOWLY.

BURGLARIZE -_what a crook sees with.

COUNTERFEITERS – workers who put together kitchen cabinets.

ECLIPSE – what a Canadian barber does for a living.

HEROES – what a guy in a boat does.

PHARMACIST – a farm helper.

RELIEF – what trees do in the spring.

THE END.