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VARIETY NIGHT WIN FOR WILD ROSE

The trophy in the Solo section for the Variety Night on March 7th was won by Wild Rose Toastmasters represented by **Mike Cooney** and **Denise Ryan** who performed a "skit" entitled the "Wild Rose Birdwatching Society, Circa 2020" complete with whistling!

Following this exceptional win, **Mike Cooney** went on to win an international contest in North Carolina coming in second in the Classical music section. You may have read about his win in the Edmonton Journal which devoted almost a full page with pictures!



Mike's on the left, Denise on the right!

HIGHLIGHTS OF SPRING CONFERENCE

The Spring conference in Calgary was a resounding success with a terrific keynote address by Eddie Dunn to set the tone for the event.

All sessions were well received, including one by our own **Melodye Kunnas**. The Communication and Leadership Award was given to a couple for the first time in Toastmaster history. A Mr. and Mrs. Whalen of Calgary were the recipients and they have both been very active in community activities. They spoke "in tandem" in their acceptance of the award which gave conclusive evidence of their skills in communication!

Doon Wilkins from Saskatoon won the International Speech Contest and earns the right to compete again at the Regional level. Franco Pannizon from Division D was declared the winner of the Canada Day contest. Incidentally, it was decided at the business meeting that the Canada contest will be heard next year at the conference rather than being judged on the basis of videotape as it has been in the past.

Division Governor of the Year was **Emma Collins, D.T.M.** for her work in Division A. Area Governor of the Year was **Tim Lambert**

Our new leaders for the coming year were elected and they are:

District Governor: Dona Wheaton, DTM
Lt. Governor (Ed.) Flow Mawson, DTM
Lt. Governor (Admin.) Buffy DaSilva, DTM
Div. A Governor - John Riley, ATM
Div. D Governor - Teja Singh, ATM
Div. F. Governor - Tim Lambert, CTM

Your Favorite Snack Tells a Lot About You

Here's real food for thought -- your favorite snack reveals your personality, says a top psychiatrist.

And this is what your snack preference says about you, according to Dr. Anthony Pietropinto, chief psychiatrist at the Post Graduate West Rehabilitation Center in New York City:

Ice Cream - Sensuous and easygoing, you like the good things in life. You enjoy a little pampering and have loving relationships.

Candy Bars - You're an active person, a mover and a shaker. You're a forward thinker who's always planning your next move. Candy bars are the ultimate fast food and you enjoy the convenience of eating them on the run.

Pizza - Adventurous and unafraid to try new things, you put more into life in order to get more out of it. Pizza snackers are willing to go to a little extra expense and effort to get the variety and flavor they want in a pizza.

Potato Chips - If you like this snack that's usually served at parties, you're sociable, outgoing, friendly and enjoy being around people.

Popcorn - You're inventive and enjoy daydreaming. You're introspective, but can stand back and look at your life. Popcorn fans enjoy being able to absentmindedly munch on their favorite snack while they totally absorb themselves in something else - like TV, a movie or a magazine.

Cookies - Cookie fanatics are playful, imaginative and don't take life too seriously. You're relaxed and love to laugh.

Doritos and Corn Chips - Mexican tortilla chips are more exotic than plain potato chips. If they're your top snack, then you like to travel and enjoy other cultures.

Celery or Carrot Sticks - **Responsible**, disciplined and serious, you can put off short-term pleasure for long-term reward.

Fruit - Fruit fans love nature and the outdoors. You take life as it comes and enjoy every minute of it.

Chocolate - Affectionate and devoted to your loved ones, you're a perfectionist and like to do things right.

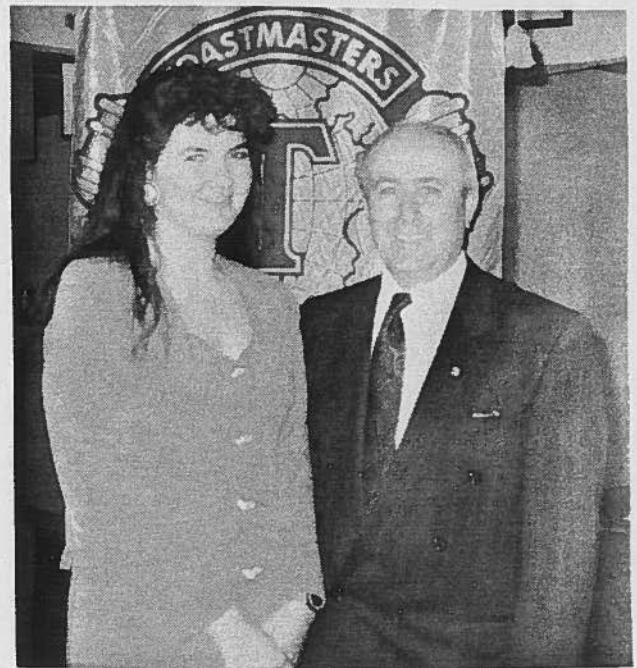
Crackers - You're a no-nonsense person. Everything in your home is neat and in order. You're very organized.

Pretzels - You're practical, down-to-earth and enjoy doing a job more than completing it.

Peanuts - You hate routine and getting bogged down in long, involved projects. For you variety is the spice of life.

AREA 29 SPEECH CONTESTS

Audrey Kotelnisky from the C.U. at Noon Club won two contests at the Area Level - Humorous and Canada Day. She was eliminated at the Division level. Doug Meadahl Area 29 Governor is pictured here with Audrey.



PAT BROPHY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Pat joined Toastmasters in Calgary in 1983 when he was a member of a noon club. Later he joined Golden Gavel. He was born in Edmonton, but went to Calgary to study at the U. of C. where he completed the first two years of his general studies degree. When he returned to Edmonton to complete his studies at the U. of A. he joined Fun Speakers in 1985. He attained his CTM in 1986 the same year he competed in the International Speech Contest and came in third at the District level.

Pat graduated with a B.A. in Political Science with a minor in psychology. He works at the Workers' Compensation Board as an Assessment Information Officer.

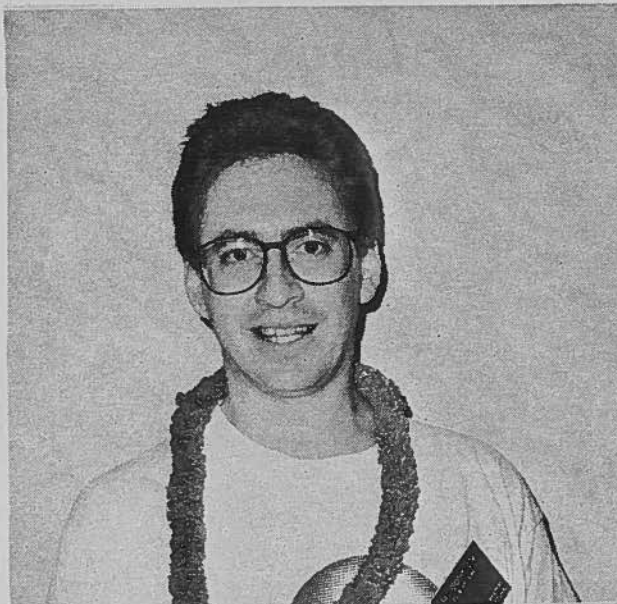
When Club 200 was formed, Pat was the mentor, and served as President of the Club since January. He joined Wild Rose in January 1992.

Pat married his wife Carla in June of 1991 and she is just finishing her degree in Sociology.

His interests include reading books on management theory, political theory and one of his favourite business authors is John Kenneth Galbraith, although he says "Never read two of his books, back to back!"

In his spare time he enjoys cycling, camping and playing on his computer -- especially cribbage!

Pat is looking forward to serving on the Wild Rose Executive as V.P. Admin.



- June 13 - Club Officer Training at N.A.I.T. Little Theatre
9:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.
Area Governor Training
- June 14 - PICNIC AT PAM'S
Bring pot luck dish,
beverage of choice, lawn
chairs, spouses & families
Address: #373 Parkwood Pl.
53050 Range Road 214. Maps
available from Pam. Please
advise Pam if attending!
- June 20 - Training the Trainer -
Arlene Jorgenson from
Saskatoon. Contact Donna
Wheaton for details.
- June 25 - WILD ROSE REGULAR MEETING
- July 30 - WILD ROSE REGULAR MEETING
- Aug. 27 - WILD ROSE REGULAR MEETING
- Nov. 6-8 FALL CONFERENCE, GRANDE
PRAIRIE
"GO THE DISTANCE"

GRANDE PRAIRIE INVITES YOU TO:

EXPERIENCE THE WARMTH OF THE NORTH

The Grande Prairie contingent put on a dynamic invitation performance at the Spring Conference. Each table was provided with Gingerbread men wrapped in cellophane with a little verse attached written by a member of a club in Grande Prairie invited each person to come to Grande Prairie to experience their warmth and hospitality. Pam Mapplebeck started a list of people who would take the bus to Grande Prairie, and many of us signed up for the "Super-earlybird special" for only \$99.00. The regular Early Bird special is \$120.00 before August 31st after which the fee will be \$145.00 until October 16th, and at the door it will be \$155.00.

PLAN TO ATTEND IT SHOULD BE GREAT!

CINDY MAPPLEBECK

Cindy joined Toastmasters about five years ago when she became a member of Kingsway. She has served as President, V.P. Education, V.P. Administration, Sgt.-at-Arms and Acting Secretary and Treasurer. During the past term she served as Assistant Division Governor with her mother, Pam Mapplebeck.

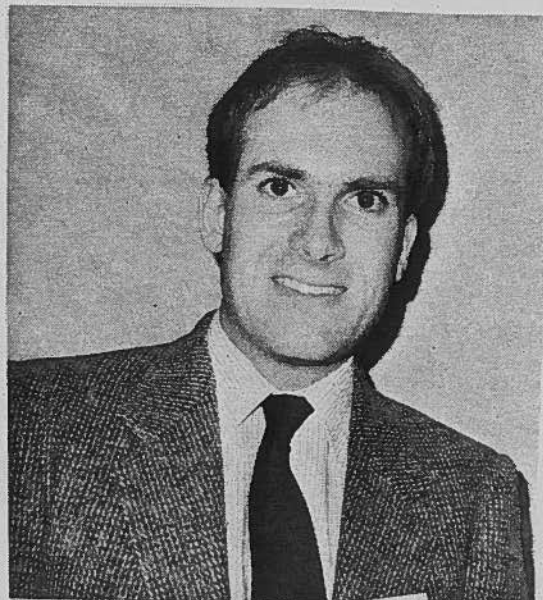
One of Cindy's major achievements in the past year was her competition at the International Speech Contest at District 42 in the Spring of '91 where she placed third.

Cindy obtained her Business Administration Diploma from Grant MacEwan Community College and now works in the Pension Dept. at A.G.T. where she deals with group insurance, death claims and reinstatement of service.

She likes sports, especially baseball and golf. She also enjoys playing bridge, or any card games. Her cat, Casper, is not white like the friendly ghost, but is a great companion.

Attendance at Toastmaster Conventions is a high priority for Cindy, and she has attended at least eight conferences in the last six years -- two of them before she was even a Toastmaster member! She says she enjoys getting to know more people and each time she attends a conference she feels revitalized and comes back to the club energized and enthused again.

One of her goals in the forthcoming term is to attain her A.T.M. before going to Grande Prairie for the fall conference.



TIM LAMBERT

Tim has been a member of Toastmasters for 2-1/1 years. He joined Fun Speakers and then Borealis (Forestry Canada). After attaining his C.T.M. He joined Excell-orators, and now has become one of our newest Wild Rose members!

Tim served as Club Treasurer, Admin. V.P. and Educational Vice President. During the last term he has been the Area Governor for Area 9 and for this coming term his new challenge will be to serve as Division F Governor.

He graduated from the U. of A. in 1985 with a B.A. in Physics. He now works as a Chemical Technician in the Environmental Protection Branch of Environment Canada.

Tim is single, and looking for a "significant other". He is enthusiastic about all sports, but especially enjoys running, cycling, baseball, football and hockey.

His plans for the future include having his Division among those considered "Distinguished". He says he enjoys the people in Toastmasters as they are friendly, interesting and fun to be with. Besides which, he says he has learned a lot from the people he has met.

HUGH MAC KINNON WINS TM OF THE YEAR

Hugh MacKinnon was named Toastmaster of the Year for Division D. He has spent a lot of work and effort helping the Toastbusters get up to strength and they now have 23 members.

Hugh says he is enjoying his retirement more than ever and has taken up golfing seriously. He golfs every day and says his game is improving gradually. He plans to spend some of the winter months in a sunnier climate perfecting his golf game.

He is presently busy singing in the Leo Green Singers of the Columbian Choirs. There will be a concert at St. Joseph's Basilica at 7:30 p.m. on June 3rd. The price is \$5.00 per ticket and if you are interested in hearing some beautiful choir music, give Hugh a call!



Doug Meadahl is pictured congratulating Denise Ryan who won the International Speech Contest at the Area Level. Denise was also eliminated at the Division contest.

A happy person is not a person in a certain set of circumstances, but rather a person with a certain set of attitudes.

- Hugh Downs

ELECTION TIME AGAIN!

We express our sincere thanks to our outgoing executive who have served for the past six months:

President:	Liz Borsteel, CTM
Vice President, Admin.	Cathy Von Hohenbalken
Vice President, Ed.	Pat Nelson, ATM
Vice President, P.R.	Harry Shuttleworth, DTM
Secretary	Karen Massey, DTM
Treasurer	Stephen Outhit, CTM
Sgt. at Arms	Lanny Coulsor, DTM
Past President	Denise Ryan, DTM

The change in terms takes effect with this election, and the Nominating Committee presents the following slate to serve from July 1, 1992 to June 30th, 1993.

President:	Tim Lambert, CTM
Vice President, Admin.	Pat Brophy, CTM
Vice President, Ed.	Cecilia Brito, CTM
Vice President, P.R.	Pam Mapplebeck
Secretary	Lanny Coulsor, DTM
Treasurer	Cindy Mapplebeck, CTM
Sgt. at Arms	Melodye Kunnas, DTM
Past President	Liz Bonsteel, CTM

Those who say, "you can't take it with you" never saw a camper truck packed for a vacation trip.

The loaded station wagon pulled into the only remaining campsite. Four youngsters leaped from the vehicle and began feverishly unloading gear and setting up a tent. The boys then rushed off to gather firewood, while the girls and their mother set up the camp stove and cooking utensils.

A nearby camper marveled to the youngsters' father: "That sir, is some display of teamwork."

"I have a system," the father replied. "No one goes to the bathroom until the camp is set up."
