

District Digest – Jan 20

To Club Presidents

Please bring these items to the attention of Rotarians in District 5020

\* Share the Celebration is the theme of the 2008 District 5020 Annual Conference in Parksville-Qualicum Beach, Vancouver Island – May 30 to June 1, 2008. The conference

committee is planning a great party and an opportunity for everyone to celebrate the Rotary year by experiencing the joy that Rotary brings to people everywhere. Informative

and entertaining speakers this year include: RI Director Monty Audenart, Former Ambassadorial Scholar Sanjeev Chowdhury, Sport Psychologist and humorist Dr. David Scott,

and the RI President's Representative PDG Tom Wilkinson, brother of the current RI President. Make plans now to attend - registration material will soon be released.

\* International Friendship Exchanges are now planned and they include:

1. RFE with District 3010 India

Ten people outbound February 10-20 2008 with the Indian group visiting in mid May 2008.

2. RFE with District 9450 Australia

Ten or twelve people with the Australians visiting July 6-21 2008 and our group outbound November 6-December 1 2008.

3. RFE with District 1200 England

The Brits will visit District 5020 June 2-17 2008 and our group will visit England in early September 2008. There is room for one outbound twosome to England

Contact Friendship Exchange Chair, Jeff Young [[jyoung\\_42@yahoo.com](mailto:jyoung_42@yahoo.com)]

\* Presidents-elect should remember that your name and that of your Secretary, plus club information, must be submitted to Rotary by Jan 31 in order to have the information

published in the Official RI Directory 2008-2009. Submit to Rotary now! Each club Pres. or Sec can access on line or send downloaded form from RI website:

[http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en\\_pdf/od\\_dataform\\_en.pdf](http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en_pdf/od_dataform_en.pdf)

\* District Online Directory must also be updated for 2008-2009 go to the district website: <http://directory.rotary5020.org/clubfuture.php>

\* The District Express DG newsletter (issue #7 – Jan/Feb) is in print form and it is on the district website. <http://www.rotary5020.org/newsletter.pdf>

Look for a copy and enjoy our district news!!

Lorna Curtis

District Administration and Club Service