



Bramalea Glasgow Rangers

Supporters Club

July Newsletter
Next Meeting July 29th

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

On behalf of Kathy and myself we would like to thank everyone for their condolences and cards on the passing of my mum your kind thoughts and well wishes are certainly comforting at our time of grieving.

At our last meeting in June Davy McDowall filled in on my absence and once again this month will be the same as I will be in Scotland for my mum's funeral, I want to thank Davy along with the executive and committee for stepping up to the plate and keeping our great club in tip top condition and our members well informed on what is going on with the convention's past and present, Ibrox and the Gers, and of course our club in general.

The Bahamas convention was interesting to say the least and to hear Sandy Jardine speak as well as he did it was a pleasure his enthusiasm towards Rangers and fans was very encouraging however he is only one voice and as we know that is never enough. Sandy was accompanied by Colin Stein and Willie Johnston whose stories were brilliant. To all members and their families who represented Bramalea, I thank you, once again our turn out was tremendous. To Ann & John Mitchell or lucky knickers as wee Tommy called them congratulations on Ann winning at the casino and John winning the tickets to the director's box. Talking of Tommy how was that couch in the foyer?

Bramalea has the convention for 2014 we edged out Las Vegas for this event and the work starts now I have asked Davy McDowall to chair the convention on behalf of Bramalea which he has graciously accepted Davy will be appointing co-chairmen for separate committees and he will keep us updated on all progress being made. If you want to be involved please contact Davy and I am sure he will be pleased to hear from you. The Rangers crisis, I know not what to say at this time the state of confusion is out of this world; to write we do not know what is going on would be an understatement and someone better step up to the plate soon or Alloa here we come (not all bad at least their nickname is the Wasps). Once again as soon as we hear what the outcome is I will get Donald to post it on the webpage.

Gordon Brown thank you for the wonderful job your doing and your commitment to the club and our members is great keep up the good work. ABBA is our next big night and I am pleased to write a sell out when G.B. says buy now or lose out he does not kid around. Ran-Cel once again is August 4th and we need your support please get your name in for this great day for charity, Donald Cameron can give you any info you require or put your name on the list at the club. In closing I hope the members and your families are enjoying the summer heat and in good health look after each other.

Alistair McFarlane President

Secretary Report

WELL IT LOOKS LIKE IT IS NOW SETTLED, RANGERS WILL PLAY IN THE THIRD DIVISION NEXT SEASON WHICH STARTS IN AUGUST.

SCHEDULE:

RANGERS VS BRECHIN JULY 28 OR 29 RAMSDEN CUP
VS EAST FIFE AUG 4 OR 5 LEAGUE CUP
VS PETERHEAD AUG 11 AND VS EAST STIRLING AUG 18
CHECK THE HOT LINE @ 905-595-0888 FOR TV COVERAGE
What I saw on the BBC it seems that the supporters are glad it's all over but they will have long memories about the teams that couldn't wait to put the boots to Rangers and also the people that put the team into receivership, which did not only happen when White took them over, the damage was already done before, and we all have a good idea where the fault lies!!!!!!

Anyway they are still there and hopefully they can start with a young team, maybe Local lads and then move back to the premier league, it will only take them three years!!!!

The Shows at the club have been excellent, Gordon Brown is doing a fantastic job, so please do your best and try to support him, by coming out to the club and seeing for yourself how enjoyable it really is, as the president has said, June and July have traditionally been very slow Months for us, No games, Dominoes, Darts or Football, so these nights, if well attended, make a big difference for our Club.

The Night for "Roy Orbison and Kenny Rogers" was great, although Gordon got a phone call on the morning of the show to say the Kenny Rogers guy was sick and the replacement was another ELVIS, OH-NO what will we expect. But I will tell you the night was fantastic, and the Elvis replacement was the best we ever saw, he was great, as well as the Roy Orbison Guy. What a show they put on, the music was great, and a wonderful night was had by all.

Danny Mills is the DJ at the shows, during the break for the headliners, Danny plays great music and keeps the "party" going, then for a while there is a bit of KAREOKE to everyone's enjoyment, great fun for all.

The "BLUE NIGHT" turned out great with NORMAN MASON as DJ, he played a lot of 'THE MUSIC' and RANGERS SONGS. Most enjoyable and well attended.

The Club still has the best deal in town for rental, not only for Members, but everyone, check it out for all your Party needs, and after all the improvements, it is the best looking place anywhere in the area, \$100 00 rental, \$100.00 security deposit [which will be returned if no damage] plus the cost for two barmen, where would you get it, only at the RANGERS CLUB. .

Please make sure you let me know of any members who are sick, in hospital or under the weather.

Noel Fitzgerald Secretary

CLUB EVENTS

ABBA

Friday August 10th

Cost \$25.00 per person
The show is a sell out

Alzheimer's Fundraiser

Saturday AUG 25th

ENTERTAINMENT MICHAEL THEODORE
AND HIS FOUR PIECE "TRIO"

ALSO D.J. JIM CONVERY

Food will be served, lots of prizes

\$15.00

for tickets see Stuart McFarlane
at the Club-or 416 708 3730

NEW ADDITION

Mark and Shannon Ritchie
A new son

Parker Marshal Ritchie

born June 7th 2012 8lbs 4oz

This is also a new grandson
for Jimmy and Dot Ritchie
All are delighted and doing great

The Bingo on Friday Nights will start a snow-ball Next week. When a full house is called within 48 numbers or less, \$50.00 is added to the prize. The next week 49 numbers and \$60.00 added and so-on. Come out & enjoy.

MORE CLUB EVENTS

RAN-CEL GOLF

AUG. 4th

CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT

Sunday Sept 2nd

Golf Cart, Dinner at the Club

MAYFIELD 1.00 pm \$65.00 pp

last week to sign up for

CLUB PICNIC Sun. Aug. 5th

Heart Lake Conservation Area

There will be a sign-up sheet at the Club to
better accommodate everyone.

It is with deep regret I report on the passing of the Mother of our President Alistair McFarlane who passed away in Scotland on July 11th,

Condolences also to Eddie Hoffmann on the passing of his Mother, also to Eddie Junior for his Grandmother.

Deepest Sympathy to Alistair and Eddie and the Family Circles.

RANGERS MEDALION SALE

David Murray still has beautiful Rangers Medallions for sale for \$20.00. All proceeds go to disadvantaged older Rangers players. See Davy if you want to see them and to order, you won't be disappointed they look really good..