

SUNDIAL REGISTRY STATUS

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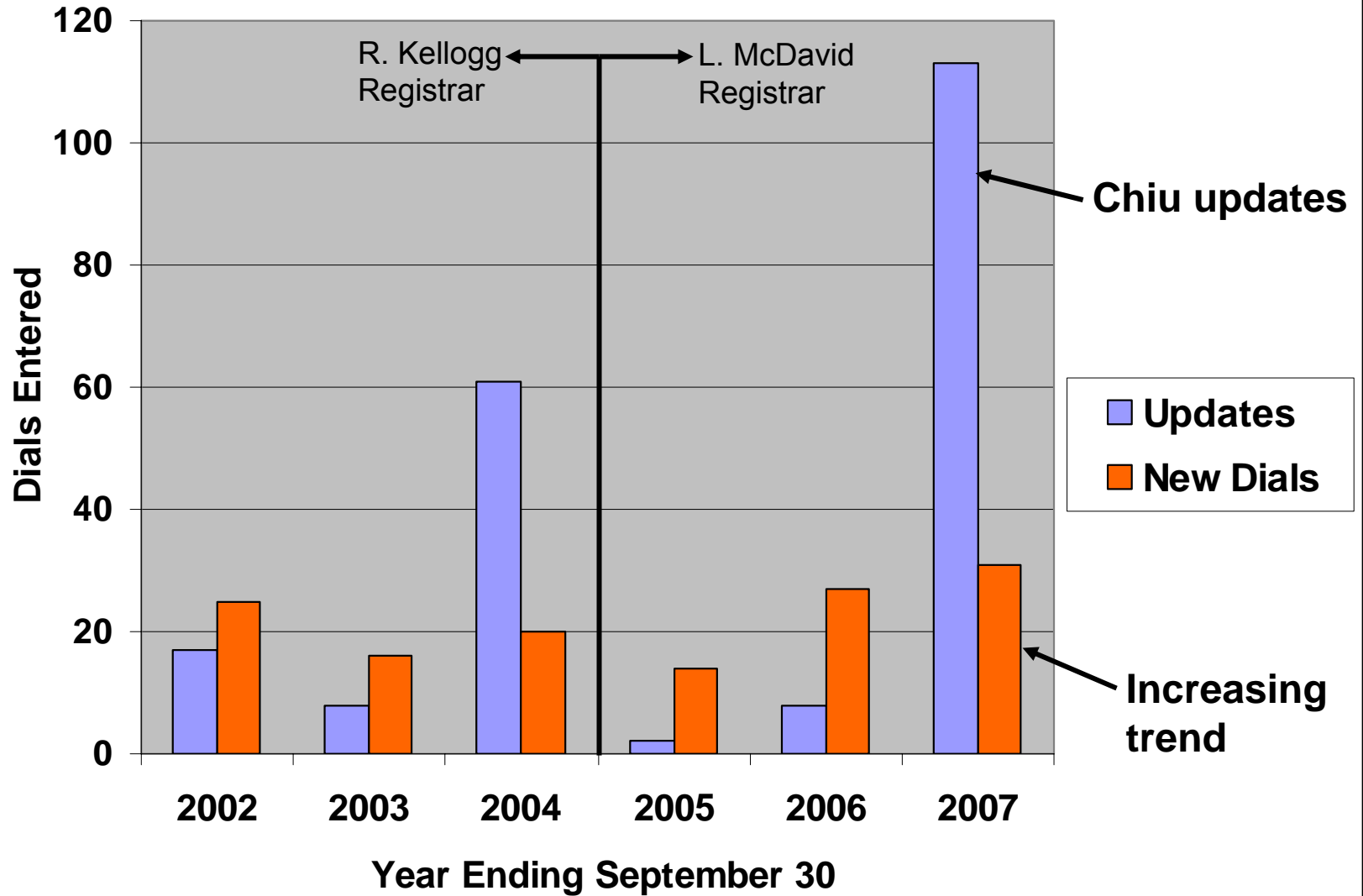


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REGISTRY STATISTICS

- **31 NEW DIALS ENTERED IN 2007**
 - Registry now includes 600 sundials
- **SLIGHT INCREASING TREND IN NEW DIALS ENTERED**
 - 24 Avg. per year over past 3-year period
 - 20 Avg. per year over preceding 3-year period
- **Astounding 113 dial entries updated in 2007**
 - Member Chi Lian Chiu visited 112 dials in 15 states !
 - Confirmed location and took great pictures
 - Registered 5 new dials
- **Registry and Image Archive now 2 GB; fits on one DVD**

REGISTRY UPDATES BY YEAR



REGISTRY ISSUES

- **DEPENDENT ON *YOU* FOR REGISTRATION SUBMISSIONS**
- **MOST SUBMISSIONS ARE DEFICIENT IN DATA AND IMAGES**
 - Requires much email correspondence to get data
 - Pictures are often sent in poor resolution
 - Regular submitters (e.g. Bailey, Carmichael) do it well !
- **CONFUSION OF REGISTRY vs. ON-LINE REGISTER**
 - Entries flow from Registry to on-line web Register
 - Investigating improved access to Registry data
- **STRIVING TO IMPROVE DATA QUALITY**
 - Insisting on more complete information from submitters
 - Submitters: Please don't scan prints, buy a digital camera !
 - Now processing all images in Photoshop

REGISTRY vs. ON-LINE REGISTER

RegisterForm

572 **NASS Dial Registry - By Number**

Dial Type	Horizontal	
Dial Condition	Good	Update Print
Record Date	Sept 2006	
Photo Info	Digital	
Recorder	Roger Bailey	
E-Mail	rtbailey@telus.net	

City	Victoria
State	British Columbia
Country	Canada
Site Latitude	Location
48° 25' N	St. Ann's Academy, now BC Gov.
Site Longitude	
123° 22' W	
Dial Lat	Declining

References


This dial is a memorial for Marjorie Napier, a twelve-year-old St. Ann's student who died on 31 May, 1922.
Dial featured on Victoria Sundial Tour, NASS Conference 2006.
Victoria Times Columist article, "Passing Images," June 1, 2006.

Owner	St. Ann's Academy, now BC Government	
Designer		
Builder		
Date Built	May 31, 1922	Access Public

Dial Description

A 12-inch bronze horizontal dial on a three foot high limestone plinth. This dial is a memorial for Marjorie Napier, a twelve-year-old St. Ann's student who died on 31 May, 1922. The dial was restored when St. Ann's was taken over by the BC government but the gnomon is displaced forward.

Photo of Dial



Dial Base

Inscription

Engraved in the plinth "IL PISISTE ERIT VOBIS TESTEMONIUM."
Engraved cross and "Marjorie 31 May 1922." Small plaque reads, "The shaft of this dial is built with stone taken from the ruins of the basilica of Ste Anne de Beaupre, Quebec, destroyed by

Web Link

Record: 572 of 600

More information is available in the Registry than shown in Register

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Victoria #572 (Updated 05-07)

Location: St. Ann's Academy, now BC Gov.

Remarks: A 12-inch bronze horizontal dial on a three foot high limestone plinth. "The shaft of this dial is built with stone taken from the ruins of the basilica of Ste Anne de Beaupre, Quebec, destroyed by fire, AD MCMXXII." [Photo](#)

PHOTOSHOP IMAGE PROCESSING



Before



After

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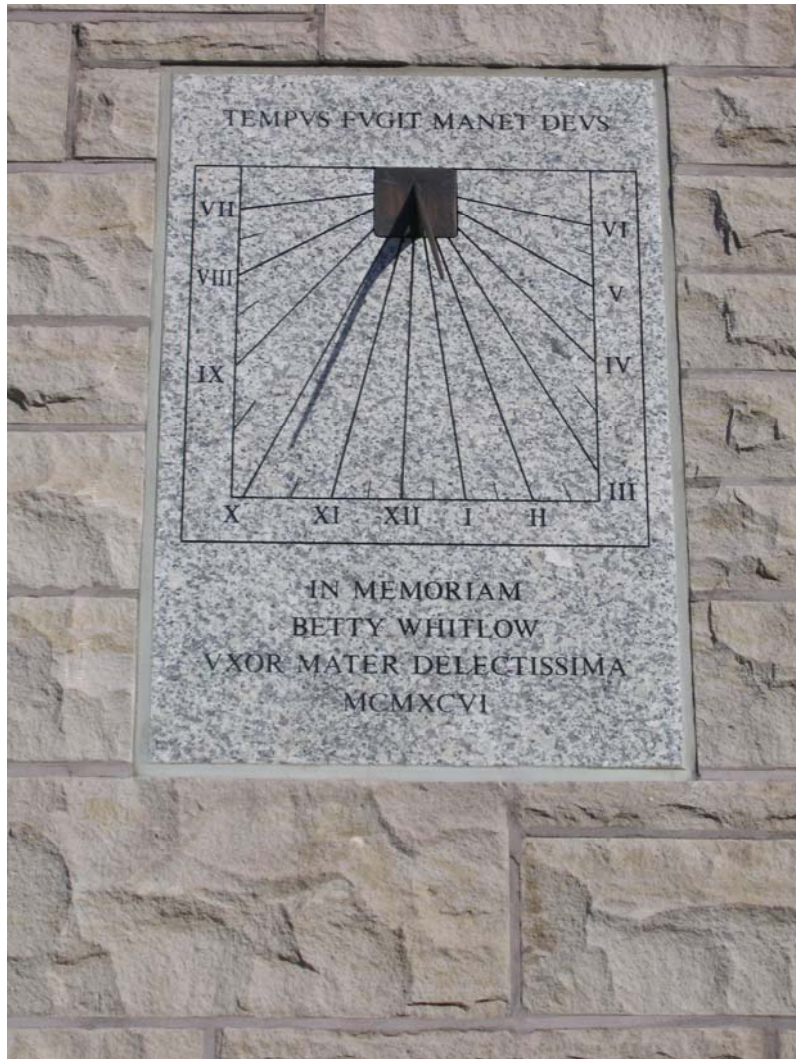


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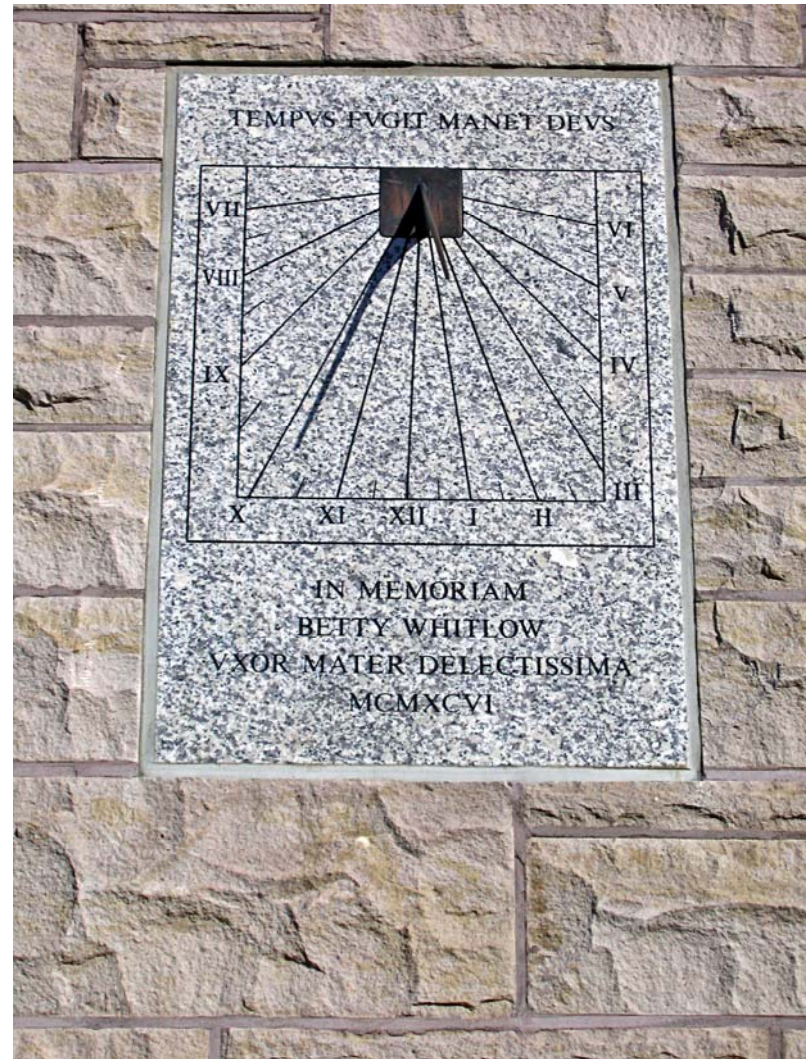


After

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Before



After

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Before



After

Photographer failed to set white balance.

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Before



After

Note removal of phone lines, blue car and red parking bumper.

See You Next Year !



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No, those aren't sundials !