

WAITAKERE ROTARY CLUB

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN OUR WORLD

Normal Venue: Rex Davy Lounge, Lower Ground Floor, The Trusts Stadium, Central Park Drive, Henderson

RWC Temporary Venue: "The Den" Massey and Birdwood Settlers Hall - Corner Don Buck Road and Redhills Road

Time: 5:45pm for 6:10pm

Address: PO Box 104 017, Lincoln North, Auckland, 0654
www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz or www.soapboxderby.co.nz

OCTOBER: VOCATIONAL MONTH NEXT WEEK:

Guest Speaker from Pupuke Rotaract – speaking about their wine fundraiser

VENUE TO BE CONFIRMED

THIS WEEK: ROTARY RWC HOSTING

Graham and Karen have had two Rotary Rugby guests – David and Frank - staying with them for the last few days. Both of them have thoroughly enjoyed their time in New Zealand and going to the various matches.

Graham and Karen kindly hosted this week's meeting so we could get to meet them before they continued with their travels.



Karen and our IYE student Cecile clearing dishes



Graham caught on camera loading the dishwasher with Sheena's help



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CALENDAR

26TH OCTOBER

**Speaker from Pupuke
Rotaract - Wine
Fundraiser**

2ND NOV

Club Night

9TH NOV

Our IYE student: Cecile

SAT 12TH NOV

Massey Treasure Hunt

16TH NOV

Guest Speaker

FRI 18TH NOV

Cecile off on IYE South
Island trip

23RD NOV

Guest Speaker

SAT 26TH NOV

Henderson Santa Parade

30TH NOV

**Elizabeth Brown – WDHB
– new pilot bowel
screening program**

ROTARY 4 WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say
or do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



David presenting Derek with a Carse of Stirling Rotary Club banner



Derek presenting David with a Waitakere City Rotary 30th Anniversary RC Banner (Graham had one)



An excellent meal in great surroundings.



Roger with Frank



David



Mike



A 30th Anniversary banner. As the Club has been in existence for 41 years we should probably get some new ones made ☺

OUR GUESTS:

David Brydie is a Rotarian and retired accountant from Stirling in Scotland. The Carse of Stirling Rotary Club was founded in 1994.

Frank Owens is a very tall (non Rotarian) Welshman and retired policeman currently living in Preston, England.

GRANDMA'S GRANDSON'S 21ST

On Sunday Grandma's Grandson, David, turned 21 and Craiger, Alan and Heather (Kerry was away fishing) were invited to the party. It was really great meeting some of their friends and family – and seeing how the house has progressed since our Rotarians finished there.

The boys had put in a huge amount of effort to mowing lawns, tidying up – and making a huge inroad into clearing the garage of years of their parents' hoarding. They have definitely taken ownership of the garage and have plans for it. David is currently completing a Sports Degree and, owning a fair bit of exercise equipment, wants to set it up there (in the meantime the space made a great spot for overflow of the party).

Merle (Grandma) was once again telling me how stunned she still is that Rotary were able to help with the problem of the house. The work – water blasting, painting, clearing, repairing the deck and replacing the kitchen - has made a huge difference to her. As she said, the boys didn't have a clue and this has given them a real kick start.

SHEENA'S RWC LUNCH

Sheena hosted her second set of rugby guests over the weekend and provided the venue for a pot luck lunch on Sunday. Her two guests, Stephen Tancred and Neil O'Connor from Queensland, Australia, picked up some Duty Free French champagne on the way here to celebrate "their win" in advance. Naturally we helped them drink it whilst totally disagreeing with their views.



Stephen explaining to us that an Australian win was a certainty <Yeah! Right!>



Craiger letting him down gently



Derek chatting to Neil



Alan and Craiger



Francis and Shirley, Rotarians from the UK, stayed with Alan and Heather for the weekend.



Shirley talking to Linda (Linda and Noel showed a great deal of energy by cycling over from West Harbour)



Jim, Noel, Francis and Derek



Sheena ensuring we were all fed.

Whilst the two Australians came for a flying visit Francis and Shirley came for longer. Francis has had business interests that have brought him to Christchurch every year for over 40 years. This trip he and Shirley came for 7 weeks and have had an enjoyable time staying with friends, family, a few Rotarians (and the odd hotel) whilst travelling the country to watch all the matches.

They had hoped to cheer on the English team in the semi-finals but were definitely smiling on Sunday night after their second choice – The All Blacks - won.

<Heather's daughter in the UK says that after the shock of the English loss the Brits first turned their support to Wales and are now chanting "All Blacks, All Blacks!" A couple of stray Aussies in the Cambridge pub to watch the match were told to "Keep it quiet in the cheap seats">

BULLETIN EDITOR'S ERROR

Last week I accidentally sent the Bulletin to our Soapbox Derby Newsletter list – and promptly issued an apology in case anyone thought that they were being spammed along with pointing out that it wasn't compulsory reading ☺

I've since received the following replies:

Northcote Rotary President:

Hey no worries, actually I might like to come one of your meetings if you ever invite me!!! I'm interested in your International projects - Shall I try and see you at Pupuke Rotaract event. Will Kerry come over?

Bill

<I replied saying that we aren't going to the Pupuke Event next week - they are our speaker - and yes we'd love to see him>

Auckland East Rotarian:

No worry, it was beautifully written,
Cheers,
Ian

A Youth Aid Police Officer:

I read it Heather, always interested to know how you guys are going...
Best
David

Louise Grevel (Waitakere Primary):

ha ha - made for an interesting update - enjoy your visitors!
Lou

NZ SOAPBOX DERBY AND PARTS

These have now arrived in New Zealand. Alan, Heather, Shawn Dyer and Barry Hinton went over to the Clarkson's storeroom to unpack them and check all was well. We certainly make our winning team work hard for their prize – it took them hours to pack the box and wrap things in plastic and bubble wrap.



PIANO CONCERT

Massey High is holding a piano concert in their new auditorium. Linda forwarded on the email for anyone interested:

- Here is the programme for the University of Auckland Fazioli concert on;
- **October 27, 7pm at the Massey High School Performing Arts Auditorium** (opened October 13 by the Prime Minister John Key).
- It will be a great night of music by some of New Zealand's leading young pianists. Don't miss it! Funds raised help support the music trip to Europe in 2012.
- Adults \$15, Uni Students and Seniors \$10,
- School Students \$5

- Programme
- 1. Chopin, Heroic Polonaise op.53 – Lucy Zeng
- 2. Chopin, Etudes op. 10 no.3 and op. 10 no.1 – Sam Huang
- 3. Gershwin/Wild, Embraceable You – Liam Wooding
- 4. Gershwin/Wild, The Man I Love – Eddie Giffney
- 5. Schumann, 1st movement, Sonata in g minor – Gemma Lee
- 6. Tchaikovsky, Dumka – Tina Kim
- 7. Mendelssohn/Rachmaninoff, Scherzo 'Midsummer Night's Dream' – Jason Bae INTERVAL -

Refreshments available

- 8. Beethoven, 2nd movement, Sonata op.31/3 – Jane Koo
- 9. Beethoven, 4th movement, Sonata op.31/3 – Grace Francis
- 10. Rachmaninoff, Moments Musicaux no.3 and 4 – Gabrielle Peake
- 11. Scriabin, 4 Preludes from op.11 – Somi Kim
- 12. Ravel, Alborada del Gracioso – Cindy Tsao
- 13. Liszt, Hungarian Rhapsody no.2 – Kent Isomura

Tickets from the School bursars - you can email them at cashier@masseyhigh.school.nz and say how many of each type of ticket you want and they will reserve them and get back to you. They clear it regularly in the holidays. I am happy to order for anyone.

Pass this on to anyone who loves classical piano



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Eyeing Up Regenerative Medicine



A/Professor Trevor Sherwin will outline the emerging area of regenerative medicine with a focus on eyes. Trevor will illustrate his presentation using recent data involving human stem cell transplantation to restore vision in the eye

When: Thursday 27 October 2011, 6:30pm

Where: Lecture Room OGG84
The University of Auckland Business School
Owen G Glenn Building
Grafton Road, Auckland

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It is accessed from Grafton Road, at the traffic lights opposite the on-ramp to the Port
Cost is \$5 after 5pm for the evening. Payment is by cash, Visa, or MasterCard only



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PARTING THOUGHT			
RAFFLE WINNER	STATISTICS	RAFFLE TOTAL	FINES
		\$	\$

APOLOGIES:

apology@details.co.nz or ph 8109 589 no later than **12 noon on the Monday** prior to the meeting. Late Apologies and No shows will, of course, be charged for their meal as it has been booked and paid for!

BOARD MEMBERS

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ATTENDANCE

Present:	Mike A, Jim A, David B, Roger F, Derek G, Kerry M, Graham N, Alan P, Heather P, Jack R, John R, Sheena S,
Apologies:	Phyllis A, Bob B, Linda C, Terry H, Patrick H, Monique M, Domenic W
Guests:	Frank, David, Cecile Struvay
Missing in Action:	Craig H (arrived after we had all left), Peter S,
Make Ups	
Attendance:	12/21 57%

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING DUTIES

Squire	
Squire	
Greeter	
Grace	
Introduction	
Thanks	
Parting Thought	
Dealer	
Joker	
Joker	

WEBSITE ADDRESSES

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<http://www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz/>
 Rotary International
<http://www.rotary.org/>
 Rotary NZ
<http://www.rotary.org.nz>
 District Governor's newsletter
<http://www..rotary.org.nz/newsletter.cfm?District=10>
 Rotary Downunder Magazine
www.rotarydownunder.com.au
 Rotary NZ Promotions and Information
www.rotary.org.nz/information.cfm?ID=1364
 Admin page and information
<http://www.rotary.org.nz/information.cfm?ID=180>
 Future Vision
www.rotary.org/future_vision
 Rotary E Club (for make ups)
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 Dare West
<http://darewest.org.nz/>



COUSIN GEORGE:

"Some people are motivated by carrots, others by sticks, but nobody is motivated by carrot sticks."

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