

WAITAKERE ROTARY CLUB

MAKING A DIFFERENCE IN OUR WORLD

Venue: Starling Park Sports Club
34 Glen Road
Ranui

Time: 5:45pm for 6:10pm

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www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz or www.soapboxderby.co.nz



JUNE: ROTARY FELLOWSHIP MONTH

NEXT MEETING

NEXT MEETING:	13th June 2012
Venue:	Westwind Theatre 177 Riversdale Road, Avondale
Event:	Movie: "The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel" And... Cecile's Final Presentation And... "Westie Wednesday"

THIS WEEK: ROTARY NIGHT



Once upon a time we held monthly "Committee meetings". This was replaced by monthly "Club Nights".

Neither of these names really describes what happens.

Soapbox Derby Planning... Vanuatu trip reports... feedback on gardens... committee meetings... anything and everything can happen on these nights.

After due consideration this monthly night has now been renamed "Rotary Night" because that is what it is. The chance for everyone to be involved in our various Rotary projects.

Tonight Heather presented her "Draft Strategic Plan" for the coming year. A copy has been emailed to all members so if you have an area or project that you would like us to support – contact the relevant director now so it can be included in the yet to be finalized budget.

Tonight we were also due to induct our new Honorary Member, the Hon Paula Bennett, into the Club. Unfortunately Paula had to bail at the last minute due to ill health so this will have to wait for another occasion. However we did have a new prospective member with us – Mark Mallabar.

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CALENDAR

JUNE: ROTARY FELLOWSHIP MONTH

11/6/12

Board Meeting

13/6/12

Movie Night: Westwind Theatre

SUN 17/6/12

Pot Luck Lunch at Sheena's to farewell Cecile

19/6/12

Trees for Survival

20/6/12

Carl McIntyre: Heart Disease & Cardiac Arrests

22/6/12

Trees for Survival

27/6/12

Changeover

1/7/12

District 9910 Changeover

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?

In the previous photo the eagle eyed will notice the Future Cuisine Soapbox Derby car. No, we have no idea how it got there as it was last seen at Swanson School. Maybe the 40th birthday party held in the Club rooms last weekend? We will have to find out. Someone had it in pride of place on display!



Prospective member Mark with Terry



John doing Sergeant duties



IYE student Gabriel. He has been living in Norfolk Island for the last 3 months and is now with us till January.



Our Chef Wes spotted relaxing in the bar after dinner was served. We have invited him and his wife to join us at the Movies next week as our guests.

FUNDRAISING IDEAS

Rather than just rely on the SBD as our only source of income suggestions were sought for other ideas. Cecile suggested two Belgian ones: A walk followed by a sauerkraut dinner; and tennis followed by dinner. One Club down south produces a major raffle pre Christmas with a \$10,000 prize. Craiger still plans a Trivial Pursuit night.

WANTED: BULLETIN EDITOR FOR THE COMING YEAR

Continuing with the Bulletin whilst taking on the role of President (not to mention Website Editor and Soapbox Derby) requires Super Powers – and I am out of these at the moment 😊

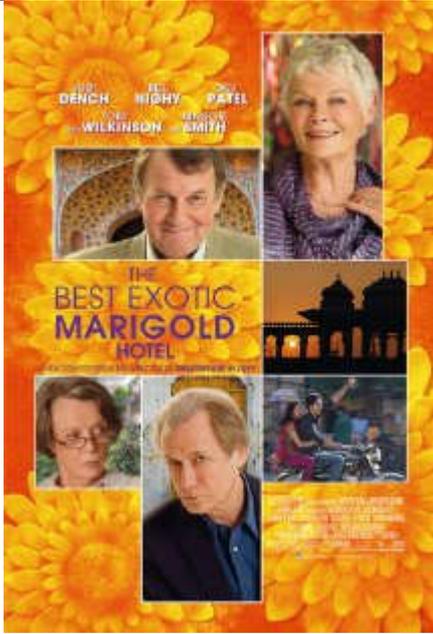
Please. If you can help with this it would be greatly appreciated!

MOVIE NIGHT: 13TH JUNE

Next Wednesday is not only our Movie night and farewell presentation from Cecile but also the Youth Foundation's "Westie Wednesday"

Linda has signed us up for this so come dressed up in true Westie style!

Date:	Wednesday 13 th June 2012
Time:	6pm
Dinner and a Movie:	The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (2011)
Venue:	Westwind Theatre 177 Riversdale Road, Avondale
Cost:	\$25 per person Includes roast beef dinner, an ice cream in a cone and the movie

Bring:	BYO drinks (and bring your own wine glasses if you dislike throw away plastic ones or paper cups)
	<p>1hr 58min - Comedy/Drama - English</p> <p>Director: John Madden - Cast: Bill Nighy, Maggie Smith, Judi Dench, Tom Wilkinson, Dev Patel, Penelope Wilton, Celia Imrie, Russell Balogh, Liza Tarbuck, Lillete Dubey</p> <p>A group of British retirees decide to "outsource" their retirement to less expensive and seemingly exotic India. Enticed by advertisements for the newly restored Marigold Hotel and bolstered with visions of a life of leisure, they arrive to find the palace a shell of its former self.</p> <p>Though the new environment is less luxurious than imagined, they are forever transformed by their shared experiences, discovering that life and love can begin again when you let go of the past</p>
<p>NOTE: The film has been ordered but has not arrived yet. It was due to arrive today so it is not yet panic stations. But if the worst comes to worst there is a Back Up Plan. Terry has a copy of "Cemetery Junction" - A 1970s set comedy centered on three young working class friends in a dreary suburb of Reading.</p>	

MEMBERS NEWS

MONIQUE

Hi Heather and Everyone,

I am back at home, but have gone through a lot of meager, meager pain, I can't sit, stand or go on the toilet, so, so painful. I just need to get through all this.

I like to say thank you to everyone for the card and the nice picture with the signatures. It made me very happy and I will always treasure it, thank you.

I hope, when I am OK again that I can come back.

Love you all.

Monique



PAST MEMBER BOB LANGLOIS

Jim told us that Bob attempted to deal with a rather nasty boil without seeking medical treatment. By the time he consulted a doctor he had a major problem, has had surgery and is currently in the ICU in hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

DISTRICT CHANGEOVER

This is being held at the Swanson RSA on Sunday 1st July. RSVPs are needed by 25th June at the latest.

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER

The District Governor's newsletter has now been uploaded to the website at <http://www.rotary.org.nz/newsletter.cfm?District=10>

VIDEO FEEDBACK

Many of our Waitakere Rotary videos have been uploaded to You Tube. This week we received the following comment about the Water Tank at Bongabonga Village one:



[TheManakoro](#) has made a comment on [Bongabonga Water Tank](#):

I m not from Bongabonga .. i m from Panita . and i would like to say thank you for what you ve done to help the Bongabonga village ..
at Panita , they drink water from small rain tanker and from a pit just 20 m near the sea .. this pit doesn t smell good last time i went there and they use it when they don t have tank water anymore ..
did you visit this village ? Panita ? did you hear about water problems from there ?
To see all comments on this video

http://www.youtube.com/all_comments?v=bIyqqyV86Vw&feature=em-comment_received

<Note: This feedback has been passed to Peter Wilson at Whangaparaoa and Phil MacFarlane at New Lynn as Whangaparaoa are returning to the island. and Phil has taken on a role with Rotary Global Water Projects>

INCOMING DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S EMAIL

CLUB VISIONING

If anyone is interested in the following please contact Heather:

Hi All

Purpose of this email is to encourage your Rotary Club Members (they may or may not be club visioning Facilitators) **to join with other Districts** in a proposed workshop to train club visioning Facilitators at a venue in the Auckland area.

Current status is

We need to get together 25 keen Rotarians to become facilitators...

PDG Ross Murray of D9940 (the only RI trained Club Visioning Facilitator) has agreed to train those attending from D9910, D9920 and D9930 once we have the inaugural 25;

I would like to offer this opportunity to all Rotarians as a personal promise at PETS/LETS and SPETS for additional District support to Clubs

It would also **qualify clubs in one of the Presidential Citation** activities.

Timing wise Date pencilled in is **Sunday 15 July** for the train the Facilitator day.

I would be grateful if you all can lend me your energy and enthusiasm in joining a multi District Club Visioning support structure going along the lines of RLI with all the multi benefits that come with such activity.

Names to District Visioning Chair ADG Peter Garnett peter_garnett@xtra.co.nz by **Friday 15 June**.

Regards

Lindsay Ford

District Governor 2012-2013

PARTING THOUGHT	Terry: Presidents are wise men who can do anything – but never attempt to do everything.		
RAFFLE WINNER	STATISTICS	RAFFLE	FINES
Mark	T, T, H, T, H	\$28	\$21
APOLOGIES:			
apology@details.co.nz or ph 8109 589 no later than 5pm 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		ATTENDANCE	
President	Craiger Hargesheimer	Present:	Jim A, Bob B, David B, Linda C, , Derek G, Craiger H, Terry H, Kerry M, Alan P, Heather P, Jack R, John R, Sheena S
President Elect	Heather Pattison	Make ups:	Alan & Heather (Whangaparoa Rotary)
Vice President	Derek Gee	Apologies:	Mike A, Phyllis A, Roger F, Graham N, Peter S
Secretary	Bob Benzie	Missing in Action:	
Treasurer	Alan Pattison	Guests:	Cecile, Gabriel, Mark
Community Director	Phyllis Anscombe	Leave:	Patrick H, Monique M, Domenic W
International Director	Kerry McMillan	Attendance:	15/21 71%
Vocational Director	John Riddell		
Youth Director	Sheena Spittles		
Sergeant	John Riddell		
NEXT WEEK'S MEETING DUTIES		WEBSITE ADDRESSES	
Squire		Waitakere Rotary http://www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz/	
Squire		Rotary International http://www.rotary.org/	
Greeter		Rotary NZ http://www.rotary.org.nz	
Grace		District Governor's newsletter http://www.rotarysouthpacific.org/newsletter.cfm?District=10	
Introduction		Rotary Downunder Magazine www.rotarydownunder.com.au	
Thanks		Rotary NZ Promotions and Information www.rotary.org.nz/information.cfm?ID=1364	
Parting Thought		Admin page and information http://www.rotary.org.nz/information.cfm?ID=180	
Dealer		Future Vision www.rotary.org/future_vision	
Joker		Rotary E Club (for make ups) http://www.rotaryclubone.org/	
Joker		Dare West http://darewest.org.nz/	
			
COUSIN GEORGE:			
Money does not talk... It goes without saying.			
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