



District 9910



# Waitakere News

July 20<sup>th</sup> July 2014

## Rotary in New Zealand

### Rotary background

New Zealand's first Rotary clubs, the Rotary Club of Wellington and the Rotary Club of Auckland, were chartered in 1921, 16 years after Chicago lawyer Paul Harris, with three friends - a merchant, a coal dealer and a mining engineer - decided to meet regularly for friendship and business networking.

They had set up their group as a stand against corruption and poor business ethics that prevailed in Chicago at the time.

Other clubs soon sprung up with members rotating meeting venues hence the name "Rotary". It wasn't long before they recognized the opportunity to use their skills and business contacts to help their local communities and, later, to promote the concept of world peace and understanding.



Date: <b>Wednesday 23rd</b>	<b>Stacey Roche: Halberg Trust Disability Sport Advisor</b>
Meeting Manager	Derek
Sergeant	Mike
Speaker	<b>Stacey Roche: Halberg Trust Disability Sport Advisor</b>
Greeter - Introducer	Sheena
Grace	Monique Van Lier
Squire 1	Jim
Squire 2	Craiger
Thanker	Peter
Parting Thought	Ross

### Coming Events

**July 30<sup>th</sup>**

**At the Ryder Theatre in Avondale – fellowship night – the movie**

**Now you see it now you don't.**

A bumbling art expert, hired by an insurance company to protect a Rembrandt on loan from the Louvre, hatches a scheme to steal it.

**August 2014 = Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> August Political Night**

*President Patrick Warmly Invites on behalf of Waitakere Rotary Club*

To join with Waitakere Rotary on **Wednesday the 6th of August 2014**

**To hear ACTs David Seymour, GREENs Julie Genter, NZ Firsts Andrew Williams, Maori Party Te Hira Paenga, LABOURs David Parker, & NATIONALs TBC?,**

present

The Economy and Job Growth in the new Zealand

**Venue: The Grandstand. Central Park Drive, Henderson.**

**Cost: \$40 per head**

Remember to check out our web site: [www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz](http://www.rotarywaitakere.org.nz) for up to date news and upcoming events (just click on the 'Calendar' ...)

Please advise Alan if you will **not** be attending on Wednesday (or if you're bringing a guest) [apology@details.co.nz](mailto:apology@details.co.nz) by Monday evening please.

**Members not tending their apology will be charged for a meal.**