

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

NOVEMBER: ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH
NEXT WEEK: MASSEY INDOOR BOWLS

Venue: "The Den" to go Bowling

SATURDAY 12TH NOVEMBER: MASSEY TREASURE HUNT

Date: Saturday 12th November 2011
Time: 9:30am (setup) till 1pm
Venue: "The Den"
Who: Anyone who would like to keep Craiger, Sheena and John company to show off our busy Rotary Club to the community
Details: See flier below

THIS WEEK: OUR IYE STUDENT CECILE



Cecile updated us on her recent adventures in New Zealand (and her host Dad, Noel, claimed exhaustion at the sheer thought of what she has experienced!)

Since September Cecile has:

- Visited Muriwai Beach and been blown away by the dramatic views, her first sight of black sand and the gannets
- Spent 3 days on work experience in an architect's office
- Gone ice skating with other IYE students
- Visited Paihia – with trips parasailing, out to the Hole in the Rock, the Waitangi Treaty House, Russell and Makana. Dolphins were also spotted at close quarters



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CALENDAR

SAT 12TH NOV

Massey Treasure Hunt

16TH NOV

Massey Indoor Bowls

FRI 18TH NOV

Cecile off on IYE South Island trip

23RD NOV

Foundation for Youth Development – Amanda Bennett

SAT 26TH NOV

Henderson Santa Parade

30TH NOV

Elizabeth Brown – WDHB – new pilot bowel screening program

7TH DEC

AGM

9TH DEC

Doug Pilkington – Matipo School – retirement party

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?

- Visited Cape Reinga to see the joining of the Tasman Sea and the Pacific – the mist closed in 4km from the end of the road reducing visibility to close to zero ☺
- Tried out the Hundertwasser toilets in Kawakawa
- Been on a marae weekend with the other IYE students
- Attempted to dine on fresh caught mussels and toheroa up north with Patrick and Ella
- Joined a friend busking at Eden Park an hour before the RWC Final
- Seen a jazz band with Jim
- Watched a movie at the Brazilian movie festival
- Checked out the market day in Coatesville
- Tasted the New Zealand version of Belgian waffles
- Watched the fireworks at The Trusts Stadium
- And many more things that leave us all exhausted at the thought of the energy expended!
- She has also enjoyed the company of other IYE students on various outings.

RSA

Well it is certainly interesting seeing what facilities are available in our local area. The Swanson RSA has recently undergone a major makeover and is now starting its reopening. The new dining room and the relocated kitchen opened last weekend – with a full dining room and a wedding party in the other large room. Whilst the dining room is usually open Thursdays through Sunday they opened this week on a Wednesday to allow us, and a stray family birthday party, to enjoy their facilities.

Whilst the room is large and spacious holding a meeting in the dining room, particularly when packed with other people, would be... er... interesting. Other changes to the layout may still be underway so we shall see what is happening with this and whether they will create a smaller meeting room for groups such as ourselves.

However all is not lost. Craiger picked up a Hot Tip on another new venue in the area from someone in the bar.



Dining in a spacious relaxed and elegant room



The carvery and kitchen supplied an excellent and very reasonably priced meal



Jack and Peter



Our happy group



Jack, Peter, Domenic and Mike in relaxed chat



Cecile with Bob and family



Cecile with host Dad, Noel



Martin Crump – our chef



Alan sorting out the bill with Jill



The "Overflow" room. Tonight it was empty; a couple of weeks ago during the day bowlers were making full use of it.



ROTARY DOWNUNDER

The November issue is on line at: <http://www.rotarydownunder.com.au/>

TREES FOR SURVIVAL

Graham tells me that Doug Pilkington, a major force behind Trees for Survival at Matipo School is retiring. His retirement party will be on 9th Dec, 2pm at Matipo School. See Graham for details.

BULLETIN EDITOR'S ERROR... CONTINUED



Okay, first I mistook Marrea for Irene (which led to a few emails) and then I said Marrea was a Rotarian. Oops!

<This just goes to show that the Bulletin Editor needs everything spelt out and in writing>

Terry Clarkson forwarded my correction to Sarah, Marrea, and his wife Irene with the comment
"Hi All,
To put your minds at rest I do not have a second wife, see attachment.
Kind Regards
Terry Clarkson"

Marrea promptly responded with

"Warren is glad I haven't strayed too.

Thanks for the elevation, Heather. Didn't know I was a Rotarian. Have been a Rotary wife since 1972 and an Inner Wheel member since 1994. That is quite enough for me.

Cheers
Marrea"

HEALTH ALERT:

I did not know this.... did you?

When you drink Vodka over ice, it can give you kidney failure.

When you drink Rum over ice, it can give you liver failure.

When you drink whiskey over ice, it can give you heart problems.

When you drink Gin over ice, it can cause brain damage.

Apparently, ice is really, really bad for you.

Please warn all your friends.....

VOCATIONAL FUND RAISER

Rotary Calendars – **John is taking orders for these:**

Over the years the Rotary Calendar has been a great way for clubs to raise money for its various projects, and they also make terrific gifts to guest speakers as well as being easy to post to overseas friends and family. To date this project has assisted Rotary Clubs in New Zealand in raising more than \$120,000.

Like previous years, the 2012 Rotary Calendar features artworks of prominent New Zealand artists. Through the sponsorship and support of New Zealand Financial Planning Ltd who provide the artwork, administration and underwrite the production costs we are able to provide the 2012 Rotary Calendar at

a cost to your Rotary Club of \$7.50 (gst inclusive plus postage). If you sell them at a recommended price of \$15.00 your Rotary Club will have the opportunity to earn \$7.50 per calendar to fund its Rotary activities. There is no limit on how many calendars your Club can sell.

Following is an order form for the 2012 Calendar.



ROTARY CALENDAR 2012

ORDER FORM

FROM ROTARY CLUB OF

We wish to ordercalendars

Please courier these to:

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.....Attention.....:

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*An invoice for \$7.50 per calendar plus postage will be sent for calendars ordered.
There is a no return policy on calendars once delivered.*



MASSEY MATTERS AND OUR
NORTHWEST MASSEY COMMUNITY
INVITES YOU

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OUR AMAZING PLACE

COMMUNITY TREASURE HUNT
SATURDAY 12 NOV, 10AM START

COME ON YOUR SKATES, SNEAKERS, SCOOTERS, BIKES, PUSHCHAIRS OR DONKEYS!

FREE EVENT!

Get your team together or bring a friend, collect your map and set out to discover the hidden treasures of your community - people, places, businesses and services. Spot prizes and team challenge. Its all FREE!!

Free fuel up BBQ at the registration and starting point 10am Massey Community House, Triangle Park. The treasure hunt will finish at the Massey Primary School Gala at 1pm where there will be spot prize draws for all registered treasure hunters and a Magical Mystery Bus Tour prize for the winning team.

General enquiries:
phone Massey Matters on 832 0431 or Richelle on 027 283 9789
email: info@ouramazingplace.org.nz



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Massey Matters
to know better, do better, be stronger
our place, our people, our future.

Waikato Community

PARTING THOUGHT	??
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RAFFLE WINNER	STATISTICS	RAFFLE TOTAL	LOOSE CHANGE
Cecile	H, T, T, T	\$40.10	\$22.40

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		ATTENDANCE	
President	Craiger Hargesheimer	Present:	Mike A, Jim A, Phyllis A, Bob B, David B, Linda C, Roger F, Craiger H, Patrick H, Kerry M, Graham N, Alan P, Heather P, Jack R, Peter S, Sheena S, Domenic W
President Elect / Sergeant	Patrick Howard	Apologies:	Derek G, Terry H, Monique M, John R,
Vice President	Derek Gee	Guests:	Cecile Struvay, Frances, Sue & Marcus, Jo Hurley, Noel Cooper
Secretary	Bob Benzie	Missing in Action:	
Treasurer	Alan Pattison	Make Ups	
Community Director	Phyllis Anscombe	Attendance:	17/21 %
International Director	Kerry McMillan		
Vocational Director	John Riddell		
Youth Director	Sheena Spittles		

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING DUTIES	
Squire	Roger
Squire	David
Greeter	Kerry
Grace	Jack
Introduction	Graham
Thanks	Phyllis
Parting Thought	Domenic
Dealer	Jim
Joker	Peter
Joker	Alan



WEBSITE ADDRESSES

Waitakere Rotary
<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)
<http://www.rotaryclubone.org/>

Dare West
<http://darewest.org.nz/>

COUSIN GEORGE:

"If aliens saw us picking up after our dogs while walking in the park, who will they think is the dominant species?"

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