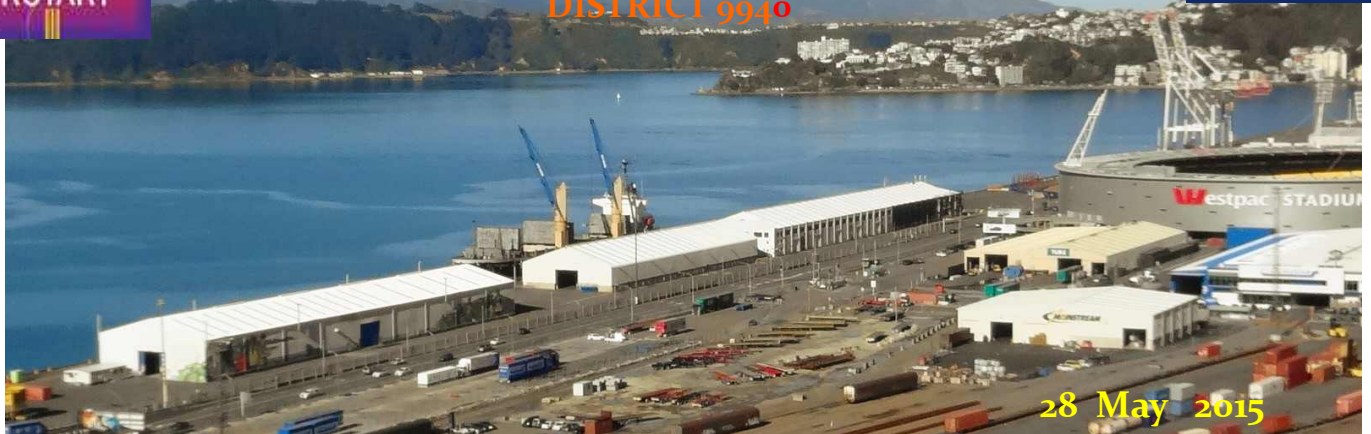


THE BULLETIN

ROTARY CLUB OF WELLINGTON NORTH
DISTRICT 9940



Weekly Meeting Thursday
Wellington Bridge Club
17 Tinakori Road
Noon for 12:25 PM

4 June 2015
Finances and Trusts

Introduced by	<i>Peter Spearman</i>
Vote of Thanks	<i>Paul Coutts</i>
Parting Thought	<i>Ross Foubister</i>
Raffle Prize	<i>Peter Gibbons</i>
Cash Desk	<i>Joanna Tuckwell</i>
Attendance	<i>John Young</i>
Fellowship	<i>Bob Laybourn</i>
	<i>Rick Lowe</i>
Tables	<i>Ross Buxton</i>
	<i>Shane Chisholm</i>

11 June 2015

Introduced by	<i>Stephen Spence</i>
Vote of Thanks	<i>Terry Dykes</i>
Parting Thought	<i>Alan Fraser</i>
Raffle Prize	<i>Michael Gorman</i>
Cash Desk	<i>Joanna Tuckwell</i>
Attendance	<i>John Young</i>
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Apologies, Visitors

& Guests advise

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by 10 A.M. Wednesday

CHANGEOVER 2 JULY

TODAY

President John Mohi welcomed Alan and Alice McMaster. Alan has been away through illness. Also welcomed were Ross Barrett and his son Nathan.



GRANT HASSELL FRANCIS SMALL JOHN MOHI

Francis Small introduced Grant Hassell and President John inducted him into the club. Grant said he was looking forward to getting to know members better.

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Laury Sinclair told us that the Pharmacy Guild has renewed its endorsement of Healthy Heroes for another year and written to its members drawing its merits to their attention.

Today (cont)

Ross Barrett won the raffle. And declared he was glad to be back for a visit and that son Nathan is in NZ for 3 months. Joanna Tuckwell is happy to be going to Brazil, Peter Gibbons has sold his house and Evan McCalman has a great grandchild.



JOANNA OFF TO BRAZIL

Older members will recall sending Joanna Tuckwell to Brazil as an exchange student. Now she is returning and will be representing us at the Rotary International Conference. She is also planning to visit the host parents that she stayed with on her first trip. We gave her some club banners and wished her bon voyage.



Can we Give Three Exchange Students a Bed for Two Nights

Kelly McCluckie was a member of our club 2009/11 and is now a member and President nominee for 2016/7 of the R.C. of Takapuna. Her two sons are now both at school and as he husband is still in the navy we are likely to see them back in Wellington at some stage.

She is hosting an exchange student from a small town in California. It is near the end of the exchange and she and two other girl exchange students are planning a weekend in Wellington. They are looking for accomodation for the nights of Friday 12th and Saturday 13th. If you can help please contact Kelly on 021541262 or kelly@successformula.co.nz Kelly says she can vouch that this is a lovely responsible, polite and generally engaging group!

WHO IS DOING WHAT FOR THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY AND WHAT IS NEEDED FROM YOU

Margaret Emerre says the 50th anniversary team of her and Rory O'Connor and Steve Brazier is at work on some proposals.

Graeme Waters is seeking 150 words from each member about the club. This will provide him with material for the anniversary issue of our annual publication. Before 2 July please.

Morris Robertson needs photos of activities over the last 50 years, Anything in the Bulletin since mid 2008 will be sent by the editor. If you have any please put on a stick or CD and send to Morris before he returns to NZ on 3 July. Captions would be very useful and dates, at least to the year are just about essential.

TODAY'S SPEAKER

REFLECTIONS ON A 2015 TRIP TO GALLIPOLI

by

ROY FERGUSON



Jeremy Spanjaard introduced Roy Ferguson who as a member of our club is known to us. He was our ambassador to the United States of America 2006-10 and is now retired after 40 years with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. He has long had an interest in our military history.

He told us that this year he went to Gallipoli on Anzac day as the tour host for a party of 35 New Zealanders who toured parts of Turkey and then went to the Anzac commemoration services at Gallipoli. He showed us a map of the Peninsula and photos of Anzac Cove and other landmarks as well as some of the cemeteries. He told us that modern historians consider the idea that the Anzacs landed on the wrong beach is a myth. Rather the landing area they were given was a mile long stretch of coast and they landed at a steep and rugged part of it. Had they landed at an easier part they would have found it more heavily defended.

At the time most of our soldiers would have been fighting for King and Empire and it was only as they gained experience of the other troops involved that they noticed differences and started to consider themselves as New Zealanders with their own special characteristics distinct from the British.

Roy had quite a bit to say about Ataturk and his remarkable achievements in abolishing the Caliphate and building a secular state on the ruins, and on his efforts at reconciliation with wartime enemies the success of which can be seen in the regard with which we are regarded in Turkey today. Roy contrasted this with the sad lack of reconciliation after subsequent conflicts in the Middle East. He finished with a reference from a Declaration from the Rotary Istanbul Peace Conference. It is hoped to have the text of this for you next week.

DIARY

1 July District Changeover

2 July Wellington North Changeover

Wharewaka

Speaker -The Right Honourable Sir Anand Satyanand, GNZM, QSO

Bring your partner, bring a friend

ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

Buying is simple. While Joanna is in Brazil you can still buy using internet banking and pay to www.entbook.co.nz/10479xo Give your name as reference. **Each sale gives the club \$12.**

Next Week

Consideration of Finances

The 2014 report of the Scholarship Trust is being sent separately to members.

The 2014 report of the Wellington North Rotary Charitable Trust may be read and and/or copied from the internet.

Google **Charities Commission NZ.**

Select **Search the Register.**

Enter the Trust's name in the *Charity Name* box or,
enter CC30465 in the *Registration Number* box.

When the search result appears click on the trust's name. The accounts will appear.

Any questions may be sent to David Pickering or any other member of the Trust.

STOP PRESS

The Rotary Club of Wellington South turns 60 this year and is celebrating this occasion at their changeover dinner
24 June, 2015 at the Pines, Houghton Bay, 6.15 p.m. for 7.00 p.m.

Bill Boyd, former Wellington South Rotarian and past Rotary International President will be the guest speaker.

You and all your Club members are invited to share in this memorable Wellington Rotarian occasion.

Please pass this invitation on to your members – RSVP's are required by 17 June 2015 to
sr.ch@compassion.org.nz

Cost is \$45 per person. Please bring a cheque for payment on the evening

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