

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

> 30 July 2015 Aaron Coutts Private Life of Bees

Introduced by Sandy Brucesmith Ross George **Vote of Thanks Parting Thought** Ian Kennedy Rory O'Connor Raffle Prize Shane Chisholm Cash Desk Denys Pinfold Attendance Brian Poole **Fellowship** Roy Ferguson Ross Foubister **Tables**

> 6 August 2015 Bernadette Courtney Fairfax

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> Apologies, Visitors & Guests advise rotary@kaysan.co.nz by 10 A.M. Wednesday

TODAY

President Graeme welcomed DG Simon Manning, PDG Anthony Scott and visiting Rotarian Lorne King of the RC of Chilliwack-Fraser British Columbia.

PDG Anthony said he had come to say what he would have said if he had come to our Changeover. He then called on the person who was the District Scholarship Committee for the last several years to come forward. This was Margaret Emerre.



PDG Anthony presented her with a sapphire star to her PHF. He said it was an award from District and the last several District Governors had been involved in deciding on it. Congratulations Margaret.

We all failed to answer a Rotary question from Denys Pinfold in spite of him having actual chocolate fish on the table. Bob Laybourn won the raffle.



Steve Brazier

Margaret Emerre

Rory O'Connor

Report from the 50th Anniversary Proposals Taskforce.

Copies of the report had been circulated to all members prior to to the meeting. Margaret explained how they had gone about considering the proposals and objectives which had been generated at the last club forum. She asked that members consider the recommendations and fill in the table near the end of the report which enables a rank to be assigned to each

proposal against the criteria listed. The forms should then be emailed to a member of the taskforce. The results of this process may not be decisive. It is meant as an information gathering exercise to assist the Board make a decision.

The Board will consider the proposals and the views gathered from members at its meeting on Monday night.

Rory then chaired a session where members could ask questions and put forward views. Secretary Steve Spence made notes on a whiteboard.

Matters aired included:- Two suggested projects seemed to have been omitted. These were

- enhancing our scholarship scheme and,
- -erecting a commemorative plaque.

The possible synergy between some projects was not dealt with in the report. One suggestion was that they could be grouped as either environmental or memorials.

There was a caution about assuming that other clubs would like to join us in a project.

There was a call to do something for the now and/or the future rather than building memorials. This was followed by a desire to help with the challenges we face global warming and the advance of peace.

The notes on the white board

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1. Scholoder

2. Plague

2. SUNERGIES:

ENVIRONMENTAL - L'HAY, LOOKOUT, [8. LAST SO OR NEXT SO?

PEACE - STATUE, PLAQUE

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3. HORSE MEMBRIAL - CENOTAPH

4. WHAT IS MEMOLABLE?

5. PEACE POLE / ALBERTA

6. ARE BENGETTS CLEAR?

7. FUNDING-SHARING GOALS HITH FUNDERS
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PROPOSED MEMBER

Name - Paul Tipping

Address – 18 Nicholson Road Khandallah

Occupation – Retired

Classification – Diplomacy

Proposed by – Ian Kennedy

This is the first publication of this notice. If any member wishes to comment they should do so in writing to the Secretary by 6 August 2015.

PARTING THOUGHT

By your 50th anniversary it is hard to do great things but you can do many small things in a great way.

_ from Pat Helm

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