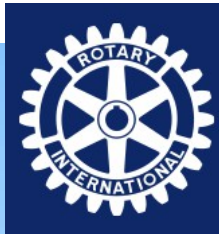




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# BULLETIN

ROTARY CLUB OF WELLINGTON NORTH  
DISTRICT 9940



15 June 2017

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

**22 June 2017**

**Greg O'Connor**

**Labour candidate for Ohariu**

<b>Introduced by</b>	<i>Tony Fryer</i>
<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	<i>Maurice Manttan</i>
<b>Parting Thought</b>	<i>Laurie Sinclair</i>
<b>Attendance</b>	<i>David Young</i>
<b>Fellowship</b>	<i>Laurie Bond</i>
<b>Tables</b>	<i>Roy Ferguson</i>
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<b>Bring a friend</b>	<i>All</i>

**29 June 2017**

**Committee Session**

<b>Introduced by</b>	
<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	
<b>Parting Thought</b>	<i>Graeme Waters</i>
<b>Attendance</b>	<i>David Young</i>
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**Apologies and guests advise**  
**[rotary@kaysan.co.nz](mailto:rotary@kaysan.co.nz)**  
**by Noon Wednesday.**

**CENTRAL PLATEAU 8 JUNE**

**TODAY**

Vice President Lionel Nunns greeted us. He reminded us that our Changeover is on the evening of Wednesday 12 July in the Khandallah Town Hall. Brian Poole will be selling tickets in the near future.

He gave us a run down on some older members or past members including Tom Riddell who is in good spirits but has limited mobility, Russell Hurst who is in Te Hopai and visited every day by wife Carol, and Rick Lowe told us that Fraser Paterson is bearing up considering he has motor neurone disease.

Paul Coutts has resigned because of the pressure of his growing family commitments and job demands. He will be sadly missed, not least because of the work he has put in as treasurer.

Assistant District Governor John Mohi told us that District is advocating more cooperation between clubs in each cluster and exhorted us to do this. He pointed out that the other clubs in our cluster were more visibly active in the community than us and this provided opportunities.

Denys Pinfold asked a Rotary question and Rick Lowe provided the correct answer and received a chocolate fish. Miracles do happen.



Paul Tipping made us all feel better when he confessed to suffering from non specific euphoria.

## Communications

Bob Laybourne says he has had little response to his circular. His proposal is that instead of getting the Bulletin as an email attachment subscribers would get an email telling them it was available on the website. This would encourage traffic to the website and so promulgate the information on it that is not in the Bulletin.

Maurice Scott spoke about facebook and how we could make more use of our page. Visiting it would be a good start for members who have not done this. <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Rotary-Club-of-Wellington-North/1540471169573549>

## DISTRICT CHANGEOVER 4 P.M. 1 JULY PALMERSTON NORTH FIRE STATION

Message from DG elect Mitchell Brown who will be installed at District Changeover on the 1st July at 4pm.

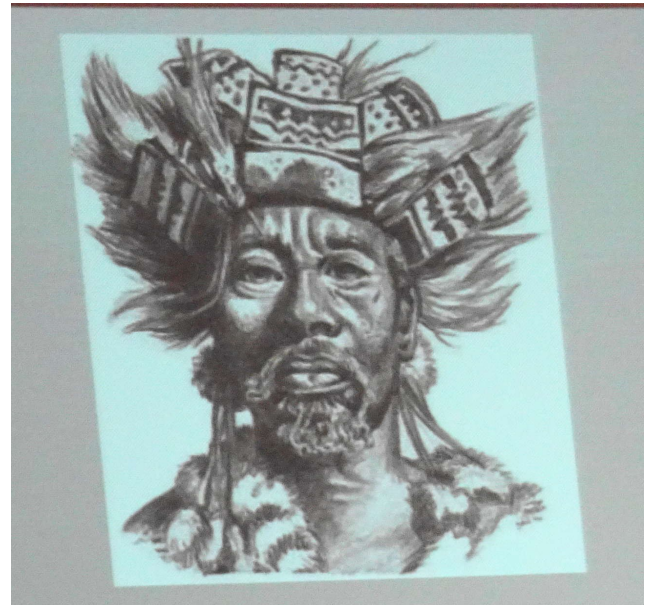
*"I would love to see you at the Palmerston North Fire Station to celebrate a great year with DG Martin and welcome in the new year to Go Wild About Rotary,"  
-Mitchell Brown.*

Tony Fryer, John Mohi and Ross Foubister are going. It would be good to see some more from our club there. If you can go or are considering it please contact Tony Fryer.

## Today's Speaker



**Laurie Bond**



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Matabele Part 2**

Laury continued his interesting and erudite talk on the factors that moved various people from other parts of Africa and from Europe and North America, the personalities who led them, and the dramatic events that occurred when they met all of which combined to give rise to the situation in southern Africa today. He should make it into a television series.

John Mohi proposed a vote of thanks.

## PARTING THOUGHT

*He who thinks he is leading and has no one following him  
is only taking a walk.*

*-Malawi proverb*

*-from Jeremy Spanjaard*

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