



BULLETIN

ROTARY CLUB OF WELLINGTON NORTH DISTRICT 9940



NOORDAM BRINGS BACK THE TOURISTS

**Rotary Foundation month
9 November 2017**

Weekly Meeting Thursday

Wellington Bridge Club

17 Tinakori Road

Noon for 12:25 PM

16 November 2017

PDG Simon Manning

District Rotary Foundation Chair

The RF – Why You Should Feel Proud.

Reflection

Introduce Speaker

Vote of Thanks

Parting Thought

Attendance

Fellowship

Tables

AV

Brian Poole

Maurice Scott

Pat Helm

Peter Gibbons

Grant Hassell

David King

Peter Shanahan

Tony Fryer

23 November 2017

Paul Tipping

Rhodes Scholarships

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Morris Robertson

Peter Shanahan

David King

Michael Gorman

Pat Helm

Colin Lawton

Laury Sinclair

Tony Fryer

REVITALISATION COMMITTEE

A survey of members has being distributed to members by
Please action by Thursday 16 November.

TODAY

Denys Pinfold offered a lengthy reflection in light hearted verse which probably expanded the purposes which a reflection can fulfil.

President Ross Foubister welcomed us on another lovely Wellington windy day. Morris Robertson introduced his wife Margaret. Denys Pinfold awarded a chocolate fish to Margaret Emerre who not so much answered a question but guessed what it might be.

FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP

24 November from 5:30 P.M.

Khandallah Bowling Club

Woodmancote Road

Apologies and guests advise
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by Noon Wednesday.

TODAY'S SPEAKER

Rt Rev Dr Bishop Ellie Sanderson Assistant Bishop of Wellington

Morris Robertson introduced Rt Rev Dr Bishop Ellie Sanderson Assistant Bishop of Wellington. Morris had first met her when she came to NZ as an Ambassadorial Scholar in 2000. Morris told us that she had bought a car and married the vendor. She has a PH.D in geography and a Master in theology. She was a member of the RC of Port Nicholson for some time. Ordained in 2006 she has been a vicar in Eastbourne and chaplain for Wellington College.

Ellie said her first connection with Rotary was through the RC of Bakewell, Derbyshire which sent her on a youth exchange to Johannesburg where she worked as a teacher aide in a school for the deaf.

Her topic was, "Doing good in the world." She spoke of several aspects of this especially as it pertained to her Church and to Rotary. She discussed the importance of aid workers understanding the context within which they work and how this applies in any situation where help is offered. She said that the Rotary Peace Scholarships are important for this reason as the world needs well meaning people to be well educated to deal with the problems that must be dealt with if we are to move forward.

In the church there is the challenge of missing generations of leaders and members in handing on traditions to the future. The message is important but the ways it is handed on and implemented may change.

Michael Gorman moved a vote of thanks for a thoughtful and wide ranging address.



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All proceeds from this event organised jointly by the Rotary and Inner Wheel Clubs of Plimmerton will go towards completing the next section of the Te Ara Piko Pathway. Te Ara Piko is a pathway around the Pauatahanui Inlet and enables access for everyone to enjoy a special and unique location.

COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Please distribute the attached on behalf of Deputy District International Service Chair Nick Hurley to your networks and hopefully we will profit from the Rotarian attendance for the benefit of our networks, understanding and information for future International Service projects and opportunities, particularly in the Pacific Island countries and communities.

This could also be a great opportunity for our New Zealand Rotary Centenary Project lead by the Rotary Clubs of Wellington and Auckland to support the proposed project to create and deliver a Pacific Islands countries vaccination program.

Yours in Rotary Service,
Mitchell Brown
District Governor 2017/18

See website below for details.

<http://www.cid.org.nz/events-2/public/cid-annual-conference-and-dinner-2017/>

PARTING THOUGHT

The living need charity more than the dead.

- George Arnold

-from Ross George