



BULLETIN

ROTARY CLUB OF WELLINGTON NORTH DISTRICT 9940



17 March 2018

FORUM CLUB REVITALISATION

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

22 March 2018

Dr Richard Stein

**Gastroenterologist, on Inflammatory
Bowel Disease**

Reflection	Gerald McGhie
Introduce Speaker	Morris Robertson
Vote of Thanks	Laurie Sinclair
Parting Thought	Bob Laybourn
Attendance	Kerry Ansell
Fellowship	Paul Tipping
Tables	Laurie Bond
AV	Maurice Scott

29 March 2018

NO MEETING

5 April 2018

David Seymour MP

On his end of life choices bill.

Reflection	Ross George
Introduce Speaker	Maurice Scott
Vote of Thanks	Stephen Spence
Parting Thought	Rick Lowe
Attendance	David Bennett
Fellowship	Graeme Waters
Tables	Adrian Ellingham
AV	Maurice Scott



President Ross welcomed a good turn out of members. He invited Margaret Emerre who chaired the Revitalisation Committee to take the chair. She said we needed to agree on what we wanted to achieve and the strategy, the means and the timeframe involved. This seemed a formidable task but with the report of the revitalisation project, effective leadership from Margaret and a general feeling of determination and optimism from members we did this in the time available.

At the conclusion of the meeting most members had indicated their preference for which of six teams they would prefer to join and the others will be contacted this week. Each team is to consider one of the following areas of club activity: Social, Projects, Governance and protocols, Speakers, Communications, and Meetings. Action plans are required

by 26 April and feedback to the club at the 3 May meeting.

Apologies and guests advise

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by Noon Wednesday.

The intention is that we will be ready to implement changes by

the start of the next Rotary year.

President-elect Michael Gorman thanked the committee and the members for their reaction. He said he was glad a big task was cut up into manageable tasks. With his recent experience at the President-elect training days and now with the spirit of the forum he was feeling positive about the coming year and was determined to do well for the club and its tradition of service.

Member News

President Ross advised that the Board had accepted with regret the resignation of Frances Small who has been a member since 1984. Frances has suffered ill health in recent years. In his letter of resignation Frances expressed his thanks for the experience of being a member and wished us well for the future.

Notices

Stroke Awareness Collectors are wanted for Friday April 6 at New Worlds in Thorndon and Chaffers. If you would like to help please contact Robin Boldarin on 027 209 7044 or email robin.boldarin@xtra.co.nz and advise what times you could be available.

End Polio Now Master Brewers Dinner

Rotarians and their guests are invited to join Rotary Kaukau for the Master Brewers Dinner.

This will be a unique evening of quality food paired with Garage Project beers selected by the brewers themselves to go with each course.

To be held at Parliament in the Banquet Hall on 12th April 2018 from 6pm for pre-dinner canapes and drinks

\$115 (Incl GST) per ticket. Tickets are limited. [Tickets available here.](#)

In Association with Rotary International to raise awareness of their End Polio Now project.

Join Pete and Ian Gillespie, 2017 New Zealand Champion Brewers from Wellingtons iconic Craft Brewery Garage Project, as they talk us through the beers they have personally selected and paired with specially prepared dishes by the Icon catering team. (Wine drinkers also catered for).

Keynote speaker Dr Stewart Jessamine, Director Protection, Regulation and Assurance for the Ministry of Health will be talking about what it will mean globally once Polio is finally eradicated, specifically the challenges nations will face to keep it eradicated.

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