

EastCoaster

The Bulletin of the Rotary Club of East Coast Bays

Tuesday 28 June 2011

Venue: Pupuke Golf Club,
East Coast Road, Mairangi
Bay.
Mondays 5:30 for 6:00 pm.
Secretary: Steve Jenkins
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President: Peter Garnett
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Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

Attendance:

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NEXT MEETING:

ROMAC

04 July 2011

5.30 for 6.00 pm



Peter's Outlook

What a wonderful evening and celebration of the “Old and New” our Club Changeover evening proved to be. The Brigham was a hospitable venue, the food excellent, and the formality, fun and warm camaraderie enjoyed by a grand turnout of members, wives, husbands, partners, friends, family and guests. Thank you Bob and your team for all your efforts that contributed to the evening being the success it was. Thank you also to Carol and David for an original and very entertaining Sergeants session (though I am not sure my bank manager would support too many more at this level.). I hope you all enjoyed the evening as much as I and “Pete’s Renta Crowd” did. I am privileged to be the President of our Rotary Club. Thank you all for the way you received me on the night and for personal words of encouragement and support many of you gave to me after the meeting. My heartiest congratulations go to John and his team for a year well done and for handing over the Club in such good shape and good spirits. I am looking forward to working with the excellent team I have supporting me to ensure that we have another fun filled and successful year. One of the special things we do as Rotarians, is to recognise individuals who have given significant service to the community by the award of Paul Harris Fellowships. We were all delighted to see PHFs awarded to Kathleen Grainger and Maureen Mulcahy for their long and outstanding contributions to our North Shore community and to our own Don Hall, Bruce Dunlop and Carol Caulfield (Sapphire) for their long and outstanding contributions to the community and to Rotary. Congratulations to you all. Robin leaves us this week to rejoin his family and friends at home in France. He has been a real asset and contributor in our Club during his year with us and we will certainly miss him. We wish him all the very best

and “Bon Voyage”.

We have Club Forum in two weeks where the Directors will set out the plans for the year and seek your feedback. I enjoy a glass of Port and so have decided to re-establish Carol’s fine idea of inviting you all to enjoy a glass of “President’s Port’ that night. So let this year begin. Regards to you all. Peter.

If you cannot do your duty, it is your responsibility to arrange for a stand-in and to advise the President.

DUTY	4th July	11th July	18th July
Reception	Rod Fergusson	Bruce Dunlop	Peter Davidson
Attendance	Inge Jenkins	Inge Jenkins	Inge Jenkins
Cash Desk			
Club Raffle	Stuart Cowie	Paul Asquith	Pearle Rollo
Fellowship	Dick Daniells Warren Patterson Jim Mayo	Dick Daniells Warren Patterson Jim Mayo	Dick Daniells Warren Patterson Jim Mayo
Stewards	Barry Perrow Don Pratt John Pritchard	Martin Reiss Graham Rice Pearle Rollo	Alistair New John Pearson Sherida Penman-Walters
Grace	Don Pratt	Barry Perrow	Sherida Penman-Walters
3 Minute Talk	Alistair New	Kumar Naik	Gary Morgan
Intro Speaker	Ian Collard		Caroline Campbell
Thank Speaker	Alan Astrop		Ted Brock
Parting thought	Rod Fergusson	Bruce Dunlop	Peter Davidson
Host Student			
Rotaract		Martin Reiss	
Guest Speaker Event	Geoff Dainty or Dr Eric Home On Romac	CLUB FORUM	Rodney Dearing On civil Defence

“The Robin has flown”

Thanks to the entire club for making Robin’s exchange such a good exchange for him and us. Robin left this morning leaving a lasting impression with Adam and Leah and I had a couple of teary children at the airport.

Special thanks to the hosts families Carolyn and Jeff La Haye, Richard and Necia Alder, Raoul Stuart and Jennifer Neads and the Harris’s. Without the host families hosting and paying for the food and board of inbounds we would not have the opportunity to allow an outstanding New Zealand student this opportunity. Also thanks Sherida and Pinehurst School for offering this opportunity and to all who have gone the extra mile to get to know Robin. Their lives, as mine, have been enriched by the experience.

We welcome Lotta in another 3 weeks time thanks to Kumar and Leena being the first cab of the rank.

Change over.

Guests—Eric and Kathleen Grainger, Maureen Mulcahy, Browns Bay PP Robert Shroder, Betty Dunlop, Anne O'Sullivan, Sue Jury and rent a crowds- Sofia Palethorpe, Keith and Robyn Young, Karen Hall, Trish and Erin Quartermain, Richard and Marcia Lumsden.

Pres John presented Paul Harris Fellows to- **Kathleen Grainger** for 50 years delivering meals on wheels and many years involved with other organisations including the Torbay Garden club, Red Cross and the 60s up movement.

Maureen Mulcahy who who set up a primary school netball competition at Pinehurst for five years up which has now grown to 140 teams and involves 1200 youngsters.

Don Hall past president of the club and previously a chaplain in the RNZAF rising to Chief Defence Chaplain.

Bruce Dunlop for his long involvement with the Golf fund raising, storing raffle prizes at home and transporting them to the venue in his camper van which was used by his family for regular holidays.

Carol Caulfield who was the first female member of the club and has been President, sergeant and has chaired the Trust since its inception. She received a sapphire pin.



Pres John then welcomed **Sue Jury** to our club she had previously been a member of the Auckland club.

Certificates of appreciation and were awarded to Lynette Miller, Doug Dempster, Vicky Harris, Inge Jenkins and Martin Reiss.

Sgt Carol and incoming sergeant David fined those members of the club who had been president and those who were aspiring to be president. Carol then did a rap of most people present which was accompanied at times by a PowerPoint display. Finally a draw was held for fines and amazingly John

and Peter were picked out every time. \$267.30 was raised and this will be made up to \$500 to help a Westlake student travel overseas.

Pres John thanked his team individually for what we have achieved this year.

Pres John and then handed over the chain of office to new President Peter who introduced the new rotary team.

Parting thought.

The people who get on in this world are the people who get up and look for the circumstances they want and if they cant find them, make them. GB Shaw.

Please remember to e-mail any notices or editorial to both Barry and Doug. As always your input is very much appreciated. Any changes to the roster, please contact George Wyman.

