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Bucatini Restaurant, 454 Whitehorse Road, Mitcham, 3132 (Melways 48H9)

Monday 6.15 for 6.30 pm

Forest Hill Rotary

CLUB PROGRAM

Date	Event	Chair	Thanks/ Meeting report
25 July	Colon Cancer :Things you should know <i>Frank Chen</i>	Stuart Williams	Bill Marsh
1 August	Behind the Badge <i>Nancy Notman</i>	Bill Marsh	Mike Finke
8 August	Violence against Women <i>Wendy Austin</i>	TBA	
15 August	Simple facts about eyes <i>Dr Vini Kumar</i>	TBA	

THIS WEEKS CELEBRATIONS

Nancy Notman-Birthday- July 25

Christine Stott-Birthday- July 28

DUTY ROSTER

	July	August	
Cashier	Ron Brooks	Stuart	Williams
Recorder	Bob Williams	Glenys	Grant
Greeter	Glenys Grant	Gary	Baltissen
Emergency	Graham Sharman	Bob	Williams

ATTENDANCE

APOLOGY – IF A MEMBER IS NOT GOING TO COME TO THE MEETING or you intend bringing a guest please contact Ray Smith by 10.00 am MONDAY on 9878 4891 or rcssmith@optusnet.com.au SPECIAL DIETARY NEEDS to Ray by 10am at the LATEST Any CANCELLATION AFTER 10.00 AM *should* be made direct with the management of Bucatini Restaurant on 9873 0268

DON HULLAND

Don is in Kellock Lodge, 15 Bon Street, Alexandra 3714, and his mobile number is **0409**

530 435. Please give him a call or phone the office 5770-2100 and ask for Don.

JOHN'S JOTTINGS



Monday's meeting whilst small in numbers was very enjoyable.

Earlier today I visited Graham Sharman at Donvale Rehab Hospital and Graham is making a good recovery and will be going home tomorrow. Whilst it will be a while before he can again drive, we wish him well with his recovery. We also wish Bob and Barb great holidaying up to Cape York and a safe return.

Under "petticoat government", we also depart for 1 week holiday at Main Beach on Tuesday.

Next week our club will be under the control of Past President and President elect Bill with Ron stepping in as sergeant to form a great team.

Our guest speaker and club member Stuart Williams led us on a journey to the Rotary International Convention recently held at Seoul, South Korea.

Stuart was most impressed with Seoul as a modern city of dynamic people and very easy and safe to get around. The convention centre was a massive building with the latest in up to date presentation technology, and housed about 50000 participants.

The convention presentations were top class and informative, and his photo presentation included many lovely ladies in national costumes (of course with Stuart in their midst).

Meeting next week is Dr Frank Chen talking on Colon Cancer and things we should know, The sergeant raised \$26.60 and the meeting was closed with the thought for the week "Hope deferred makes the heart sick, but a dream fulfilled is a tree of life".

Let us plan and act to fulfil our dreams.

John

LAST WEEK'S MEETING



The Sergeant opened with a short reflection(See later).

From the Reports:

1. Graham Sharman is recovering well and going home from Donvale.
2. Best wishes to Bob Williams as he heads off to Northern Australia for a holiday.
3. Our RYLA student had a great time and will speak at the Club Oct.17 2016.
4. Invitations have been sent out to the schools for the Primary Schools Speech Contest.
5. John Bindon reported he had been contacted by a patient years ago from Tonga who had been provided with medical assistance from Rotary and is now enjoying a good life.
6. Chris Tuck reported Hope Katolo had sent an email describing the benefits of the water tank and veggie garden we financed last year including making them more self-sufficient in food and also environmental and educational opportunities for the school.
7. Ron Brooks is still collecting stamps.

Guest Speaker

Our guest speaker for the night was our own member Stuart Williams who spoke of his trip to the Rotary World Conference in Seoul South Korea May 28 to June 1 2016. Stuart described Seoul as a beautiful hilly city with good roads and public transport. Some 50,000 people registered for the Conference from 164 nations. The cost of the registration was \$275 per person and the conference was held in English. The Conference itself was held at the large Kintex Convention Centre some 40 km from Seoul which was reached by bus or subway system.

Some observations by Stuart regarding the Conference:

The first night was Friday night with a great concert featuring some of South Korea's great 'pop' acts. On Saturday some 5000 Rotarians participated in a 3km peace walk with many in colourful traditional dress. There were many dignitaries present including the Sec. General of the U.N., The President of South Korea and the Prime Minister of Sri Lanka. Rotary Foundation is about to celebrate 100 years in 2017. An update on End Polio was provided with still some work to go. Rosie Batty spoke on Domestic Violence and Paul Sheahan on Ethics in Sport. Stuart spent time at The House of Friendship which was made up of approx. half Rotary and half commercial displays. Stuart described the benefits of attending the conference as all coming together with a common focus and providing faith in the world. The next Conference will be held in Atlanta USA June 10 to 14 2017.

The Sergeant raised \$26.60.

Chris Tuck

DIARY DATES

Sunday 11 September Schwerkoldt Cottage
Monday 12 September DG's visit
Thursday 15 September Primary Schools Public Speaking Contest

SERGEANT'S REFLECTIONS

Don't worry if Plan A fails, there are 25 more letters in the alphabet.

Bob W

ROMAC NEWS

Anton -safe home



FOREST HILL COLLEGE BREAKFAST ROSTER

Hans did well with Robbie's tuition- not one burnt!

26 July	Robbie	Bob L
2 Aug	Robbie	Glenys
9 Aug	Robbie	Kevin
16 Aug	Robbie	Glen

ROTARY MONTHLY THEMES

July	New Year of Service (Rotary Awareness)
August	Membership

HOPE KATOLO NURSERY SCHOOL

Note from Georgina...

"I hereby give much thanks to both Forest Hill Rotary for the continued support they have always given to Hope Katolo school in terms of ensuring that we get sufficient water for various operations in the school. We kindly register our special thanks for the new tank we received for the veggie garden. The tank has been installed and fully operational and has indeed added value to the production of vegetables. You can realize that we no longer include the vegetable item in our term request because we now produce our own though there are some varieties which we cannot produce.

The veggie garden is not only important for the production but also an essential resource facility for learning and teaching the children on their environmental lessons and how plants grow in the science topics. We believe that third term we shall not budget for the vegetables only if they run out

The chooks are doing well and we now have 15 mother hens and a quite a number of young chicks. We have decided to separate them from the rest because the young chicks need attention. Some are now laying and when the eggs will hatch we shall have more hens and if there shall not be any break out of

disease. We shall have to make for them chicken meals once in a while, or even sell some during other peoples ceremonies where hens are required . We have allocated one volunteer to clean and maintain the poultry house.

We had earlier in our e-mail indicated that we had found goats hard to rear and needed a person to care for them.for that reason we decided to sell them and we bought a cow which is easy to do zero grazing. The cow is doing well and has even had a calf already which shall also cut the milk budget for next term. So what we can need to add is just to get money equivalent to two goats so that we can buy one more young cow which we shall rear in order to eliminate the budget for buying milk for the whole year once it gets a calf."

Thanks so much to Forest Hill Rotary for your support.

Mel, Leanne and Georgina XX

CLUB OFFICERS & COMMITTEES 2016-17

NOTE Members with an asterisk are Board members

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