



NEXT MONDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPT. THERE WILL BE **NO** MEETING ON THE OCCASION OF EID EL ADHA

# Rotary Club of Dubai Weekly Bulletin

## Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2016

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### Attendance:

Mr. Hamdi Osman  
Mr. Raja Selman  
Mrs. Thoraya Al Awadhi  
Dr. Lina Kouatly  
Mr. Sanjay Bansal  
Mr. Anthony Cerchiai  
Mr. Conrad K Milde  
Mr. James Berry  
Mr. Karim Mansour  
Dr. Mahaveer Mehta  
Mr. Mohammed Othman

### Visiting Rotarians:

Ms. Jennifer Padolina – Rotary New Jersey  
Dr. Robert – Sweden

### Guest of Rotarians

Aida Younis  
Azzam Hamze  
Anna Kotovska  
Anna Militon  
Ruben Della

## Gift of Life Foundation



Our Visiting Rotarian **Ms. Jennifer Padolina – Community Chair Person of District 7490** from New Jersey was our speaker last week. She presented to the club members her district involvement in the **Gift of Life Foundation Program**.

**Gift of life Foundation** is done specifically for kids with heart problems. These kids are brought to the United States from the 3<sup>rd</sup> world countries and the foundation pays for their surgeries through donations from their members.

**Gift of Life** is a program that changes the kid's life, their families and communities they live in.

**Medical missions** are done as well by the Foundation such as Hanoi Vietnam in January for a week in which 28 kids had surgeries.

- **Mr. Hamdi** adopted the idea of Valentine's Day with kids and family to be put on our next agenda.

# The Next 3 Months Calendar

By Raja Selman – Secretary General

Mr. Raja Selman the Secretary General presented the Calendar of the club for the next 3 upcoming Months

- Directors suggested that Rotary should be engaged in more local projects. Directors agreed on a Blood Donation Project – Date will be **Monday the**



**26<sup>th</sup> September 2016 – Dr. Lina Kouatly and Mr.**

**Hassan El Rais** will be coordinating

- Multi District Membership Seminar - Cairo Egypt **September 29<sup>th</sup> -1<sup>st</sup> October 2016**
- 1<sup>st</sup>Club Assembly Directors approved to be on **Monday the 31<sup>st</sup> of October 2016**
- Our big event this year – Fundraising Gala Dinner before Christmas – all



Board Director agreed to set the date on the **24<sup>th</sup> of November** and to be done as a thanksgiving dinner

• District Conference will be **on the 14<sup>th</sup> of April**

• Every **second Monday of the month** will be “**Know Your Rotarian**” in which a member will be the speaker

Ex-President Mrs. Thoraya Al Awadhi with new President





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