

Minutes of the Lunch Meeting on Wednesday, 13th April 2016, in The Trans Resort.

Present: President Barbara, PE. Marie-Francoise, IPP Doris, Sec. John, PP. Raphael, PP. Anita, SaA . Leith and Rtns. Florian, Tim, Jorge, Yuki, Giorgio, Oliver, Henny, Handy, Udo, Jeni, Peter, Patrizia, Jannell & Detlev.

Guests: Carlos, Dwi Anggami.

At 12.30pm, President Barbara opened the lunch meeting by -

- Greeting everyone present in the languages of the Club members by saying Good afternoon, G'day, Selamat Siang, Gudemiddag, Bon après midi, Buon pomeriggio, Guten tag, Kyo Wa, Dobar dan and Fuen-ying.
- Asked Rtn. Udo to read the '4-Way Test'.
- Asked everyone to turn to their neighbours and to say a BIG ROTARY hello to the them as in our club "**there are no** strangers, only Rotarians friends we are yet to meet!"
- Asked SaA Leith to introduce Visitors and Guests.
- Reported that April 2016 is 'Rotary Maternal and Child Health' month.
- Gave apologies for Rtns. Manfred, Sally, Marilyn, David, Christian, Steffen, Helmut, Maree & Erika.

- Congratulated club members with birthdays: PP Raphael April 18th (70 years), Rtn. Ngurah Premana -24th April, Rtn. Jeni 24th April, Hon. Rtn. Don Havig 30th April.
- Congratulated Rtn. Detlev and Rtn. Lusi for raising IDR2,100,000 for the Smile Foundation at their last Sunday's Brunch.
- Reported that Saturday, 14th May 2016, (5.00 pm-8pm) is our club's birthday and this will be celebrated thanks to PP.
 Raphael's in is villa in Sanur. It will be a fun karaoke night with finger foods and it will be small fundraiser raising funds for the club for HENSF. Invitations will be sent out in due course
- Reminded everyone that raffle tickets were still for sale and that the prizes this week were 3 fragrant garden candles donated by Sec. John and a bottle of champagne donated by Rtn. Peter Lindinger.
- Reminded everyone that T-shirts were for sale at IDR75,000.

• Announced that representatives from Rotary clubs worldwide will be attending **The Council on Legislation** in Chicago between 10th-15th April 2016 to consider changes to the policies that guide Rotary International and its member clubs.



The Council on Legislation meets every three years and is an essential part of Rotary's governance. The representatives -- one from each Rotary district – will review and vote on proposals that seek to change Rotary's <u>constitutional documents</u> and upon resolutions that express an opinion or make a recommendation to the Rotary International Board of Directors.

Many of this year's proposed changes are designed to increase membership by giving clubs greater flexibility in the timing and the nature of their meetings. Other proposals would amend membership requirements.

Over the decades, the 'Council' representatives have debated virtually every nuance of Rotary policy and membership and attendance rules. The five-day meeting is one of Rotary's primary agents for change, allowing the organization to evaluate and enhance its relevance in a rapidly changing world.

As required by RI's constitutional documents, the legislation is sent to the governor of each district, past directors, and all members of the Council by 30th September 2015. The legislation will also appear on Rotary's website, www.rotary.org in all languages.

There are 472 Pages of proposed changes – these are just a few -

-To waive per capita dues for one of the members when two married people are both members of the same club.

- To request the RI Board to consider establishing an Environmental Preservation Awareness Day.

- To request the RI Board to consider including the fight against violence towards women among the goals and objectives of the RI Strategic Plan.

- To request the RI Board to consider revising the membership age limits for Interact.

- To consider lowering the maximum age for membership in Rotaract to 25.

- To consider adding protection and empowerment of youth as a seventh area of focus.

- To consider allowing for use of the previous version of the Rotary emblem.

- To consider initiating a study to establish a new type of membership:

- To support membership / to consider recognizing Friends of

Rotary /to consider urging new Rotarians to attend new member training

• Rotary Publicity - John Hewko, General Secretary, of Rotary Internationa

"As part of our continued efforts to increase our public outreach and measure results,

I am pleased to report that Rotary received widespread media coverage throughout 2015,

with more than 500 articles in 20 countries – representing a 33 %increase in coverage from 2014.

Roughly 75 stories appeared in top tier international news organizations, including eight out of the

10 most influential ranked by Forbes, such as the Associated Press, Agence France Presse,

BBC, CNN, Reuters, The New York Times, The Washington Post and Wall Street Journal.

Highlights include coverage of the one-year polio-free milestone in Nigeria and Africa:

Rotary's social media presence was strong in 2015. Rotary and End Polio Now Facebook and

Twitter channels gained more than 125,000 fans and followers. Overall, there was

46 percent increase in reach across all Rotary's social channels from 2014 to 2015."

In keeping with this media coverage, we must give a big thank you to Rtn. Erika for getting this Article into the local press:



• Reported on the visit to Nusa Penida with Rtn. Garth Allmand from the RC Westbank, BC, Canada, who's club is interested in supporting the Helen E. Newman Scholarship Funds.



On the trip they met a number of the Form 12 students and visited a number of schools on the island. They found that one of the Nusa Penida schools they visited actually did a hands-on mechanical engineering course for students.

One Form 12 student wanted to study electrical engineering. Another student wanted to further her education and then return to Nuda Penida and teach hospitality (there is a universty opportunity for her in Singaraja). Another two students wanted to be doctors, but they needed to get more information the courses as they can be very long and costly.

They also met Damai and Anggi. Anggi is a now fulltime employee of Dr Bayu and he is the one who goes out and finds the students and then recommends them to our club. This man is very motivated and fully focused on this project.

• Announced that the Spotlight talk this week would be by Rtn. Jannell.



Jannell's Chinese name is Lee Chin Ying (meaning 'clean and bright'- she is not quite sure why her parents gave her that name!). She was born in Calgary, Canada, where everyone works in gas. It is a very beautify city with the Rocky Mountains in the background.



Although she is Canadian by birth, her father was born and raised in Hong Kong, her paternal grandparents came from China and her paternal great grandparents came from Korea. Her mother was born and raised in Australia, her maternal grandmother was British Australian and her maternal grandfather was from a southern island in China.



Janelle went to school and university in Calgary, Canada. She graduated with a Bachelors degree in Commerce and a bachelors degree in Psychology. She then went to the Singapore Management University for a year, which brought her to Asia and introduced her to Bali.



Upon graduation, she worked for a Japanese advertising agency in Singapore and one of her jobs was working on the Singapore Dengue campaign. The experience and information gained helped her when she was later asked to participate in our club's 'Fight the Bite' Dengue project.



She then returned to Calgary and worked in Public Relations and Media until moving to Bali.

She now has her own company, which is involved in fashion jewellery design. The company has its products on consignment in many outlets located between Korea and Bali. She got married last year and in accordance with the Chinese custom she had to 'kow tow' to her parents and serve them tea on her wedding day. (*Photo of her family on the wedding day*).



She and her husband are now busy with their shop selling ceramics and other similar types of materials and their factory manufacturing steel rods. They have also been working hard on renovating their beautiful villa in Bali.



Jannell's recreational pleasures are travelling, scuba diving and photography.



She is very proud to have been able to take a photo of two humming birds hovering, which is extremely difficult to do.



President Barbara thanked Rtn. Janelle for her most interesting Spotlight talk.

• Introduced PE. Marie-Francoise and Rt. Florian to report on last week's Global Grant Eye check in cooperation with the John Fawcett Foundation. Rtn. Erika was in charge of this section of the Global Grant.

The event lasted 3 days and involved pre eye-screening, glasses supply, cataract surgery and recovery.

On he first day Rtn. Florian said he was there with Rtn. Erika. They did eye screening for children from 3 schools involving 500 pupils and it was found that 6 children needed glasses. All students came dressed in local traditional dress.

The second day, PE. Marie Francoise said that she and Rtn. Erika arrived to find the John Fawcett eye bus was already there. She was very impressed with how the staff efficiently got the bus ready for the operations that day.

People later arrived one by one and in the end 387 people turned up for eye checks. 107 glasses were given out and 85 bottles of medicine were given to patients

Later 1^{st} VP. Dr. Leith arrived with his driver for his driver's eye check.

Subsequently PE. Marie -Francoise, Rtn. Erika and Ist VP. Leith changed into surgical gowns and watched the eye surgeons at work performing 5 cataract surgery operations on patients using traditions surgical methods as they cannot operate using a laser in the bus.

• Introduced PP. Raphael to report on his visit to the Flores Global Grant.

PP. Raphael said that he had flown to Flores with Rtn. Tineke last Friday and they were met by Giles Raymond, who is in charge of the project, at the Labuan Bajo airport. They then took a pick-up truck for 3.5 hours, as the roads are so bad, to the first village. The day after they went up the mountain to see the work that had already started. Thereafter, they travelled to see the part of the project which would be giving water to the villages.

Next week Giles Raymond will come to our lunch and explain the GG project work and progress.

PP. Raphael said that project this going ahead very fast and as soon as the money arrived they started work. The project will be completed in 3-4 months.

• Introduced Guest Speaker JASMINE OKOBO.

"Movement is my body, and my body is movements"

Jasmine's mother was from northern Japan and her father was from southern Japan and they met in Tokyo. They loved travelling and therefore became hippies and spent their whole life travelling.



Jasmine was born in born in a village on the island of Dodecanese, Southern Turkey. She has one young brother who was born in Kathmandu, Nepal. They never went to school as they were home educated.



This is this lovely village where Jasmine was born in Turkey today.



Jasmine visited Bali for the first time in 1990 and saw a performance of a Balinese traditional dance when she was three years old. She was so impressed that she immediately told her parents, " I want to be a Balinese dancer!" When she was 9 years old, she took her first Balinese dance lessons in Ubud, but was only able to learn for 2 weeks before her parents moved again.

She later continued her instruction for 2 months in 1997. Thereafter, she started to perform Balinese dance regularly at Padang Tegal (Ubud) in 1997, where she performed the "Barong Dance".

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Following with her love of art, she collaborated with Indonesian artists and performed in various events in Indonesia and abroad as a professional dancer and choreographer. She likes to do something very different in her dancing art.



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3 years ago she went back to Haikaido in Japan because of her grandmother. There she performs her dancies and also uses her dancing experience to help socially withrawn children in Japan , who are suicidal, to communicate.



Then Jasmine performed two amazing short modern dances infront of the lunch meeting to the delight of the everyone present.



- President Barbara then presented Jasmine with a club T-shirt as a token up our club's appreciation for such a great talk and performance.
- The Raffle was won by Rtn. Jenni, who took the Champagne, and Rtn. Anita, who won the 3 perfumed garden incense sticks.
- Raffle /Happy and Sad Stories raised IDR1,160,000.
- President Barbara closed the meeting at 2pm by thanking Rtn. Tim, Rtn. Oliver, Sec. John for doing the Minutes and 1st VP. Dr. Leith for being SaA.

PP. John Glass, Club Secretary, 2015-16.