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ROTARY CLUB OF NEWLANDS "The club that appeals"



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WEEKLY UPDATE

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MEETINGS: Western Province Cricket Club Sports Centre, Ave De Mist, Rondebosch, every Monday at 18h00 for 18h15.

ATTENDANCE: Notice of apologies and guests and/or meal specifics to email Melinda Stapleton at mjstapleton@webafrica.org.za and copy to Bill Meyer at meyport@iafrica.com before 10h30 on Monday mornings please.

Comment

The Editor

Sam Owori is selected to be 2018-19 Rotary president



The 2016-17 Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International has unanimously nominated Samuel Frobisher Owori, of the Rotary Club of Kampala, Uganda, to be the president of Rotary International in 2018-19. He will be declared the president-nominee on 1 October 2016 if no challenging candidates have been suggested.

Owori says he sees in Rotary "an incredible passion to make a difference." As president, he plans to "harness that enthusiasm and pride so that every project becomes the engine of peace and prosperity."

Owori's chief concerns as a Rotary leader are membership and extension. Since he served as district governor, the number of clubs in Uganda has swelled from nine to 89. He urges past, present, and future leaders to work together to engage more women, youth program participants, alumni, and community members to increase Rotary's membership in the coming years.

"There are many places which need Rotary and numerous potential members who have never been invited," he says. "The problem is Rotarians who got in and closed the doors."

Owori is chief executive officer of the Institute of Corporate Governance of Uganda. Before that, he was executive director of the African Development Bank, managing director of Uganda Commercial Bank Ltd., and director of Uganda Development Bank. He has studied law, employment relations, business management, corporate resources management, microfinance, and marketing at institutions in England, Japan, Switzerland, Tanzania, and the United States, including Harvard Business School.

Since becoming a member in 1978, Owori has served Rotary as regional Rotary Foundation coordinator, regional RI membership coordinator, RI Representative to the United Nations Environment Program and UN-Habitat, and RI director. He has been a member or chair of several committees, including the International PolioPlus Committee, the Drug Abuse Prevention Task Force, and the Audit Committee. Most recently, Owori served as trustee of The Rotary Foundation, chair of The Rotary Foundation's Finance Committee, and a member of the Investment Committee. Owori is a Benefactor of The Rotary Foundation, and he and his wife, Norah, are Major Donors and Paul Harris Fellows.

From www.rotary.org/en/news-features

Previous Meeting

Minutes of the meeting on 20 March 2017

Scribe: Peter Ennis

Sergeant Wybe opened the meeting and handed to President Chris who welcomed all and in particular the guests for the evening, namely speaker Rob Erasmus, Menno's guest Lizelle and special guest Jacques Barry.

Abe Oliver said the 4-Way Test, followed by Lew Botha with the Grace and Toast. The spoon will remain with Richard Burnett for yet another week. Graham Lowden won the wine swindle draw (again).

Henry Campbell introduced the speaker, specialist wildfire investigator Rob Erasmus from Enviro Wildfire Services.

Rob gave a compelling talk about the forensics of wildfire investigations. He described the procedures to determine the origin and the exact cause of a wildfire and the collection and documentation of evidence in the process. To further illustrate he gave first-hand accounts of actual investigations of wildfires in and around the Cape Peninsula and the outcomes of these investigations. He concluded with his views on the way forward to identify those to be held accountable and also to identify causes of fires to enable targeted awareness programmes.

Jenny Ibbotson thanked Rob for his informative talk. Questions were left to after dinner.

Spots:

Ian Pursch: The Rotary Family Fun Day is on Sunday 9 April at the Blue Train Park. There are leaflets on the tables aimed at possible sponsors for raffle prizes on the day. Please distribute to anyone likely to be interested. Also, please make a note of the Rotary Family Walk preceding the events at the Park.

Menno de Wet: Good news is that music radio station Magic828am will support and give coverage to the Rotary Family Fun Day.

Andrew Peile: Firstly, some news about past members: George Dommissie is very ill and back in hospital and Barry Wood is also not well. Secondly, he is returning to the UK tomorrow and is saying good bye for now until later in the year.

Wybe Meinesz: He will be the Club's convenor of the Cape Town Marathon for the next two years and is looking for a volunteer to be his 2IC and eventual successor. Please approach him if you are interested.

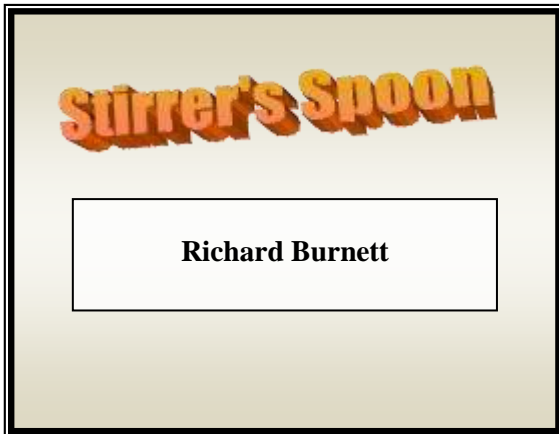
President's slot

- President Chris announced that as the only nomination PP David Holtzhausen has been duly elected as the next District Governor Nominee.
- Clubs are invited to submit any resolutions at the upcoming District Conference.
- Birthday wishes to John S and bon voyage to Andrew Peile.

Sergeant Wybe oversaw the collection of Happy Rands and then closed the meeting.



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[Newlands Rotary Club Runner Calendar](#)

FUTURE FIXTURES
Year Planner
Please advise the secretary promptly of any additions or changes

March 2017
Mon 27 Business

April 2017
Mon 3 Partners – Vocational Evening
Mon 10 Ordinary
Mon 17 No meeting (Family Day)
Mon 24 Business

May 2017
Mon 1 No meeting (Workers Day)
Mon 8 Partners
Mon 15 Ordinary
Mon 22 Ordinary
Mon 29 Business

Happy Birthday

23 March Jamie Hart	27 March Andy Ismay
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Apologies Jamie, I omitted you last week - Ed

UMPIRES AND SCORERS

DATE	27 March	3 April	10 April	17 April
MEETING	Business	Partners	Ordinary	No Meeting
SERGEANT	Nora See	John Stephenson	Michael Walwyn	Public Holiday: Family Day
4 WAY TEST/ OBJECT	John Stephenson	Tinus de Jongh	Lucian Pitt	
GRACE & TOAST	Richard House	Bill Holland	Rochelle Malherbe	
ATTENDANCE	Richard Burnett	Menno de Wet	Garnet Carr	
FELLOWSHIP	Shân Biesman- Simons	Brian Pickup	Anthony Galloway	
MINUTES	Peter Henshilwood	Heidi Andersson	Terry Lancaster	
COMMENT	Graham Lowden	Tony van der Lith	Bill Meyer	
THANK SPEAKER		Jenny Ibbotson	Johan Beukman	
INTRO SPEAKER			Jenny Howard	

Invited
GUEST SPEAKERS

TBA

If you cannot do your job on the day, please find someone who can do it instead of you, then contact the Sergeant on the day to update the roster. Please don't leave this until the Monday afternoon – let the Sergeant know in advance if you have not been able to arrange a swap. If you are going to be away for particular future meetings let Peter Ennis know.

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