



HOWZAT!



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 (Except for first Monday of the Month which is a Partner’s Meeting, 18h30 for 19h00).

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

Jenny Howard

THE ONLY PLANE IN THE SKY

Nearly every American above a certain age remembers precisely where they were on September 11, 2001. But for a tiny handful of people, those memories touch American presidential history. Shortly after the attacks began, the most powerful man in the world, who had been informed of the World Trade Center explosions in a Florida classroom, was escorted to a runway and sent to the safest place his handlers could think of: the open sky.

For the next eight hours, with American airspace completely cleared of jets, a single blue-and-white Boeing 747, tail number 29000—filled with about 65 passengers, crew and press, and the 43rd president, George W. Bush, as well as 70 box lunches and 25 pounds of bananas—traversed the eastern United States. On board, President Bush and his aides argued about two competing interests—the need to return to Washington and reassure a nation and the competing need to protect the commander in chief. All the while, he and his staff grappled with the aftermath of the worst attack on American soil in their lifetimes, making crucial decisions with only flickering information about the attacks unfolding below. Bush struggled even to contact his family and to reach Vice President Dick Cheney in the White House bunker.

The story of those remarkable hours—and the thoughts and emotions of those aboard— isolated eight miles above America, escorted by three F-16 fighters, flying just below the speed of sound, has never been comprehensively told.

This oral history, based on more than 40 hours of original interviews with more than two dozen of the passengers, crew and press aboard—including many who have never spoken publicly about what they witnessed that day—traces the story of how an untested president, a sidearm-carrying general, top aides, the Secret Service and the Cipro-wielding White House physician, as well as five reporters, four radio operators, three pilots, two congressmen and a stenographer responded to 9/11.

Read more: <http://www.politico.com/magazine/story/2016/09/were-the-only-plane-in-the-sky-214230#ixzz4K9HecEcn>

Previous Meeting

Unfortunately, the minutes of the previous meeting did not arrive in time for publication.

Instead you can watch this funny YouTube clip to advertise a [security camera](#)



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[Newlands Rotary Club Runner Calendar](#)

FUTURE FIXTURES

Year Planner

Please advise the secretary promptly of any additions or changes

October 2016

Mon 3 Stop Hunger Now Food Packing

Sat 8 Dragon Boats at Zandvlei

Mon 10 Ordinary

Mon 17 Membership Evening

Thu 20 Wine Auction

Mon 24 Business

Mon 31 Ordinary

November 2016

Mon 7 Partners

Mon 14 Ordinary

Mon 21 Ordinary

Mon 28 Business - **AGM**

WINE FEST

Constantia Rotary Club is hosting their annual Wine Fest on Friday 7th Oct. This is a fun evening which you are sure to enjoy ... bring a couple of friends and enjoy good wines galore and very edible food.



-  **THE VENUE** The Schoenstatt Centre, High Constantia, Cape Town
-  **THE TIME** 18.30 to 21.30 on Friday 7th October 2016
-  **THE MUSIC** Father & son, Andy & Mike Hoyle, on guitar & sax
-  **THE VIBE** Festive
-  **THE FOOD** Finger supper by Clay Cafe



THE WINE TASTING HOSTS

Beau Constantia, Cape Point Vineyards, Creation, Doolhof, Eagle's Nest, Iona, Groot Constantia, High Constantia, Newton Johnson, Peter Bayly Wines, Steenberg Vineyards.
Including a "Port" table



SILENT AUCTION

Approximately 30 lots
Rare older vintages, special wines from winetasting hosts, Vertical tastings, Magnums, restaurant vouchers & Ngwenya glassware

Fill in your bids on bidding sheets between 18.30 and 20.00



LIVE AUCTION

- Weekend accommodation in Devon Valley Guesthouse
- Artwork by Rudolf Liebenberg
- Mountainbike service special
- Exceptional wine lots
- Golf for 4
- More surprises

LINK FOR TICKET PURCHASES:

<https://www.webtickets.co.za/event.aspx?itemid=1464710552>

SILENT AUCTION: A MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION OF WINES FROM TOP WINERIES AND IN AFFORDABLE SIZE LOTS, PLUS RESTAURANT VOUCHERS AND GLASSWARE.

LIVE AUCTION: INCLUDES ART BY RUDOLF LIEBENBERG AND A LARGE OIL PAINTING OF AN NYALA BULL PLUS TWO GEORGIAN HIGHBACK CHAIRS FROM PIERRE CRONJE.

CREDIT CARD FACILITIES available for auction purchases

TICKETS cost R200 per person. Numbers limited to first 225 applicants

BOOK ONLINE at webtickets.co.za
Pay by EFT, credit card or in Pick 'n Pay

BIDDING PADDLE On arrival your ticket will be replaced by a like numbered bidding paddle for auction purposes

Happy Anniversary

**3 October
Graham & Claire Lowden**

UMPIRES AND SCORERS

DATE	3 October	10 October	17 October	24 October
MEETING	Partners: Food Packing	Ordinary	Membership Evening	Business
SERGEANT	Pieter van Aswegen	Jenna Monk	Regine le Roux	Lucian Pitt
4 WAY TEST/ OBJECT	Christine Calothi	Henry Campbell	Bill Meyer	Nora See
GRACE & TOAST	Brian Pickup	Vanessa Rousseau	Terry Lancaster	Willie Wijenberg
ATTENDANCE	Daphne Lyell	Jana Forrester	Tony van der Lith	Richard House
FELLOWSHIP	Janey Ball	Melinda Stapleton	Rochelle Malherbe	Peter Henshilwood
MINUTES	Richard Burnett	Geraldine Nicol	Colin Burke	Corinne Hudson
COMMENT	Jenny Howard	Mike Young	Andy Ismay	Graham Finlayson
THANK SPEAKER		Jamie Hart		
INTRO SPEAKER		Glynis Menné		

**Invited
GUEST SPEAKERS**

- 10 Oct **Lisa Kane** – *Road space, congestion, Uberpool & the sharing economy*
- 31 Oct **Robin Hammond** – *The Phoenicians*

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.

Rough neighbourhood...



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Books for the World

For all educational school books and novels for age from early education to High school

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