Local in Action, Global in Vision.



Notify your attendance or apology (by Sunday 5pm) to Gary Morgan ph 473 9295 Or email <gary@mtl.co.nz>

The Club normally meets Monday at Pupuke Golf Club, 231 East Coast Rd, Mairangi Bay.



This month's Rotary District 9910 area of focus is Membership and Extension.

## Next meeting 5.30 for 6 pm 05 August Club Night Committees

Steve Jenkins is currently in Ward 06 Room G and **visitors are welcome.** 

Check with reception as he may have moved again!

Apologies to Gary 473 9295 or <u>gary@mtl.co.nz</u> this week.

## From President Jennifer.

My head has been buzzing with the idea of "projects" after Matthew McLeod's presentation on Monday. When you think about it, life is full of projects all the time: projects at home, at school, in the garden, at work, with friends and with Rotary. Activities like this keep us engaged, enthused, possibly a bit fitter, the brain exercised, and reward us with a sense of achievement. Sometimes the planning is as exciting as the doing. And yes, sometimes it is a bit of a chore, but maybe that was the wrong choice of project in the first place.

Some of our Club projects are fundraisers, essential because we have so many good causes to support. We aren't doing so much of the smaller community based projects though and these are not only valuable for our community but rewarding for us, especially if they come with a social sausage sizzle at the end.

Some of the best are modest, impromptu and quickly completed. Think of the Mosgiel Rotary Club last year rebuilding a (council) condemned children's treehouse last year. It took five Rotarians a morning to build a regulations compliant treehouse resulting in three happy boys, a relieved mother, satisfied Rotarians and national news coverage!

So keep an ear to the ground for good ideas, things that would help our community, be fun to do, a bit of a challenge maybe. We have all sorts of expertise in the club, plenty of "planners" and "do-ers" and "organisers" to make things work. We have committee meetings next Monday - could be something to discuss then.

## A little bit of 24 months from Zero to Hero

. SOSSI, with planting at Shakespear

- · Orewa Sea Scouts, with 2 cheques
- Tree-planting for Recary (in a fellow-Rotarian's new garden')
- St John Ambulance, Silvendale, with a choose raised from sausage sizzle
- Sports grant for Vanuasu, collecting and deliversing to Rotary Glerifield
- Peak Robon Appeal, with a significant cheque raised from sausage sizes
   Hospice Book Fair, loss of hands on help at 3 Book Fairs
- Hibiscus Hospice, significant cheque from our Greek Extraveganzi Exclusione and
- HBC Youth Centre, Oneva, with a simplicant (Penne)
- · Youth in Transition, with a significant cheque
- HBC Coasiguard, with a cheque
- Hentia Women's Refuge, with 2 cheques raised from sausage sizzles
  - Grandparents Parenting Grandchildren, with 2 cheques Salability, with a cheque raised from sausage sittle
- Whangaparatis Food Bank, with boot and a cheque
- Took part H Crewa Santa Parade 2017
- . Foster Hope, with a cheque varsed from sausage sizza
- Major involvement as part of the successful first-ever RotarySwimarathon

Rotary Foundation, through organising a "Murder on the Orient Express" premiere move right, plus instating the sales of Rotary Crocus on World Po-

Day 2016 & 2017

Love Soup, through a collection of linned food stuff, plus a cheque

Elderly lady in Onewa, with overgream garden tidy-up
 Red Beach Surf Life Saving Club with a chegue raised from sausage sizes

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	5 August	12 August	19 August	26 August
	Club Meeting Committee Meetings	Our 2019/20 IYE Student Yee Hsien. Carol Caulfield. East Timor	Inter School Debate (TBC)	TBA. Partners Night
		Update		
Invocation	Lynette Miller	Barry McLean	Steve Goeldner	Sean Harris
Reception	Fay Norman	Therese Leslie	Monica Webb	Lynette Miller
Attendance	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins	Steve Jenkins
Cash Desk				Paul Asquith
Fellowship	Ian Collard	Paul Asquith	Paul Asquith	Ian Collard
	Warwick Moulton	Warwick Moulton	Warwick Moulton	Warwick Moulton
	Amanda Chambers	Sue Yi	Sue Yi	Amanda Chambers
Stewards	Jim Mayo	Alan Astrop	Barry McLean	Stephen Wheeler
	Alistair New	Dave Pennycuick	Warren Patterson	Graham Rice
	Graham Rice	Steve Goeldner	Bruce Dunlop	Alistair New
3 Min. Talk	John Shadbolt			
Intro. Speaker		Warren Patterson	Carol Caulfield	Fay Norman
Thank Speaker		Bernie Woods	Doug Dempster	Jenna Tuuta
Parting Thought	Carol Caulfield	Stephen Wheeler	Bernie Woods	Paul Asquith

If you cannot carry out your allocated duty, it is your responsibility to arrange for someone else to do that duty Yee-Hsien Wu is staying with Dr Neseem Ali and his wife Nazimah ph 021 2602520

Notices. Gary ran a successful night for new members at President Jennifer's.

**Matthew McLeod** is District membership Chair is interested in harness racing and has shares in individual horses.

He gave one of the most interesting and informative talks about membership that we have heard. Once we attract new members, they need to become engaged. Over the last five years in our district 147

## Keys to Being a Vibrant Club Conduct meaningful projects Quick hands-on projects [max 2 hours] with BBQ or food afterwards Share the success – great stories inspire ! Invite new members to find a community project – put up some \$\$\$'s to fund it Try new ideas Conduct a Health Check Vary meeting formats [e.g. times/style/venue] Why do we have no clubs with weekend meetings?

left within a year and 250 in the next year. There were various reasons including business, cost, boring, clique and not right for them. Members joined because they wanted to do something, for networking, to gain leadership skills and help youth.



He listed some keys to being a vibrant club:

Mentor new members

Allocate new members to Community service/Projects team not fellowship or behind the bar

President/president elect should meet with individually with new members for a coffee chat to get to know them

 see photos. He also gave some examples from Orewa/Millwater and Henderson satellite clubs.
 They involved doing small projects in the

community with community people – see photos. District are offering financial rebates to help members partners and alumni to join Rotary and to help set up new member schemes.