THE EASTCOASTER

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ECB celebrating its 50th year. The Club normally meets Monday at Pupuke Golf Club, 231 East Coast Rd, Mairangi Bay www.ecbrotary.co.nz

Apologies to Lynette 0274 958 220 by midday Sunday.



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

Next Meeting; 24 Aug Cancelled

Hopefully we will meet again on 31 August

28 Rotarians from our club and Takapuna North enjoyed a Zoom meeting with DG Elaine. It started with breakout groups– small groups of six or seven. These were very interesting as you met some different people and were able to find out what they were continuing to do or doing in lock down.

Notices.

Golf day 29 October – need prizes, players and sponsors. Environmental clean-up 20 September – still on with a reserve day in October if needed. It is likely to be in the Westhaven area and involve people from Hobsonville Point. Trees for survival planting day postponed. The trees will need to be planted very soon otherwise they will not survive. Takapuna North said their major fundraiser "A road trip to Martinborough" is coming up soon.

DG Elaine's video had been seen by members during the week and she answered questions relating to that. A one page annual plan is on the district directory and can be shared to clubs. The five-year plan is currently being updated starting with the membership part and is available through My Rotary. In answer to a question about the length of operation of the new satellite clubs it was pleasing to find that all are still operating although some with lower numbers than when they started. Hillsborough and Browns Bay are hoping to set up satellite clubs. Trees trees trees- now called Rotary Peace, Remembrance and Community Forests Trust has some government funding and is linking up with conservation groups. The main contact is in Wellington district 9940. richard.norman@vuw.ac.nz

The next partners night has been postponed until 14 September when Richard Hursthouse from North Shore Forest and Bird and the Centennial Park Bush Society. Northcote Rotary bookstall is now 2,3,4 October. Books can be left at Z stations locally.

2020 Rotary Zone 8 (Australia, New Zealand and Pacific) Virtual Conference 19 & 20 September 2020 (13.00 - 15.00 NZ Time)