We heard from Nigel Davenport this week as our guest speaker. He gave us an overview of how the SCDHB was performing nationally, COVID-19, possible DHB merger and updates about the current renovations of the grounds. I personally found it very interesting to hear his comments about the DHB's surplus budgets and the growing Meth and drug problems in our area....

This week we had news of the passing of fellow Rotarian Roy Carter, a charter member of the Timaru North Rotary Club. Our condolences go out to his family members at this sad time.

Lovely to see a few guests along this week and a special thank you goes to Lily Ballantyne who was visiting her Grandma Shirley this week and helped collect our Sergeant fines?

This coming Tuesday is our first club night of the new year, so bring your ideas and thoughts along on what we can do to better our community and our club and make America great again, oh sorry got a bit carried away Make Rotary Great!?

My closing thought this week:

"Don't be pushed around by the fears in your mind, be led by the dreams in your heart"

Have a great weekend and see you Tuesday.

Jess