

# Rotary Club of Christchurch South



## Let's Celebrate!

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Horizontal rain and a diving temperature was not enough to keep 30 members away from our first meeting of the new Rotary year.

President Joey welcomed us all as he began his first meeting as our new President. President Joey thanked Immediate Past President Mike for an excellent 18 months at the helm. He then went on to tell us he was just as well prepared as any other former President despite leaving all his notes at home along with his other essential items and even his coins for the Sergeants session.

Linda Bougen proposed the International toast to the Rotary Club of Humble, Houston, Texas. The club has 70 members and is very active raising 1.7 million USD over the last 17 years for humanitarian work. Like us raffles are a big part of club life. Rather than meat (after all this is Texas) they go for more solid state prizes like a new Chev Corvette!

President Joey went on to outline the format of coming meetings with rostered duties to include the Sergeants session (under protest from tonight's Sergeant Graham Dockrill..watch this space!) and Speaker Reporter. Guest Speakers will also share Wednesday nights with for example a monthly Club get together/meeting.

David Buist thanked those who advertise in the Directory and advised members that Cashmere Pharmacy (Centuras Road) are offering 20% discount to our members. Please utilise this service as "how we do" will influence next years advertising by the Pharmacy.

Sarita McLean advised the meeting that Rotary Awards night will take place at the Rata Lounge, Cashmere Presbyterian Church. The meeting will be a Partners night with BYO refreshments. Put Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August in your diary.

The Court Theatre outing for this year is proving to be very popular. Already bookings are heavy. Please advise Susan Hays right away if you wish to attend Jersey Boys, Saturday December 19<sup>th</sup>.

The meeting concluded with a lively Sergeants session, prize-less raffles (to be handed out next week) and Viv Ellis thanking all those who took part in Zoom meetings during lock down. Viv also passed on the thanks of the Club to David Buist for the good work he has yet again delivered putting together this years Directory. David's eulogy at Tony Blacklers memorial service was acknowledged by Viv on behalf of our Club.

...and let's not forget the fabulous chocolate cake that had us all asking "who baked this!"

Thank you Alan A for the report and photos



*President Joey chairs the meeting*



*Viv addresses the meeting*



*Our meeting in progress*



*Graham on quality control of the chocolate cake*



*Graham helps with the chocolate cake*



## Next Week

### Committee Meetings

## Upcoming Events

Sunday 5 July

District Changeover Function, register [here](#)

## Notices

### Community Awards Evening

Date: Wednesday 5th August

Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm

Venue: Rata Lounge, Cashmere Presbyterian Church, 2 MacMillan Avenue, Cashmere

Cost: \$30 per person (BYO drinks)



**Rotary**  **Christchurch South**

The Awards Committee kindly requests the pleasure of your company at our

*Community Awards Dinner*

Date: Wednesday 5th August 2020  
Time: 6.00 for 6.30pm  
Cost: \$30 per person  
Venue: Rata Lounge, Cashmere Presbyterian Centre  
2 MacMillan Ave, Cashmere, Christchurch

RSVP:  
Latest 26 July 2020  
Email: sarita@bedrocksolutions.co.nz / 021 163 4014

## Notices

### Battered Womens Trust —Volunteers Needed

Riccarton Mall

Friday 10 July and Saturday 11 July

9am—11am            11am—1pm

1pm—3pm            3pm—5pm

Please let Chantal know if you can help with any of these slots



Battered Women's Trust added an event. Yesterday at 12:01 · 🌐

*Gift a woman in Christchurch a safe place to stay*

Annual Appeal 10, 11 July 2020  
Christchurch

FRI, 10 JUL 09:00-16:00  SAT, 11 JUL 09:00-16:00

### Bulletin

Please have all Bulletin notices, photos and speaker report to Kim **before the weekend** each week at either

tanner.kimberley@gmail.com

chchsouthrotary@gmail.com

### Duties

Duties will be changing for this Rotary year and some shall be combining. In addition to this, Speaker Reporter, Sergeant and Deputy will also be on a rotation through all members instead of previously rotating through a handful.

- Cash Desk and Quote/Thought
- Cash Desk and Thanks to the Speaker
- Reception and International Toast
- Speaker Host and Grace

## Duties

Duty	8 July	15 July
Cash Desk	C Ayrey	L Bougen
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Reception	M Bruce	V Ellis
Speaker Host	K Dalziel	G Fowler
Grace	K Dalziel	G Fowler
International Toast	M Bruce	V Ellis
Thanks to Speaker	N/A	N/A
Quote	C Ayrey	L Bougen
Speaker Reporter	D Buist	L Brown
Sergeant	A Airay	M Bruce

## Leave

Who	From	To
M Whitehead	09/09/15	TBA
V Nossiter		TBA
J Wylie		TBA
K Tanner	04/07/19	31/12/20
C McCarthy	17/06/20	31/10/20

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## Reminders

Record your apology by:

- Notifying the Reception Desk
- Email [chchsouthrotary@gmail.com](mailto:chchsouthrotary@gmail.com) before 11am on that Wednesday
- Emergency apologies to Mike Bruce on 022 540 1251
  
- You will receive an email reminder a couple of days before the meeting re apologising or bringing a guest
- If you are unable to do your allocated duty, it is your responsibility to arrange a substitute and advise the President
- Leave of absence requests (three weeks or more) must be in writing to the Secretary