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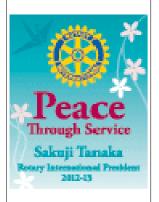
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MEMBERSHIP MONTH



EDITORIAL ROTARY FOUNDATION SNIPPETS

By Biffy Danckwerts

Annual Programmes Fund

<u>Purpose:</u> Provides the necessary funding for operation of Foundation programs. Visit www.rotary.org for additional information, including ways to give.

<u>How Fund works:</u> Contributions made by individuals, clubs, and districts are invested for three years.

After three years

- . 50% of the original contribution is returned to the district through the DDF.
- . 50% of the original contribution is provided to the World Fund to support Foundation programs available to all Rotary clubs and districts.
- . Investment earnings support administrative costs and may be used to benefit the Foundation's programs.

<u>Recognition</u> Contributions to the Annual Programs Fund count toward Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member recognition, Paul Harris Fellow recognition, Multiple Paul Harris Fellow recognition, Paul Harris Society, and Major Donor recognition.

Permanent Fund

<u>Purpose:</u> Ensures the long-term viability of TRF and its programs. Spendable earnings from this endowed fund enable TRF to expand existing programs and underwrite new programs.

<u>How fund works:</u> Contributions are invested in perpetuity. A percentage of the total value of the fund is spent annually to benefit TRF programs.

<u>Types:</u> Outright gifts of property, cash, or investments. Life income gifts (e.g., charitable remainder trusts, charitable gift annuities, pooled income fund).

Testamentary gifts through a will or estate plan

<u>Recognition:</u> Those who notify TRF they have made a provision in their will or estate plan or who make an outright gift of at least \$1,000 are recognized as Benefactors. Those who inform the Foundation they have made a commitment of \$10,000 or more in their final estate plan are eligible to receive Bequest Society recognition. Outright contributions to the Permanent Fund count toward Major Donor recognition.

Contribution Recognition

<u>Purpose:</u> Acknowledges the financial support generously provided by individuals. <u>Types:</u> Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member (\$100), Paul Harris Fellow (\$1,000), Multiple Paul Harris Fellow (\$2,000-\$9,999), Paul Harris Society (\$1,000 annually), Benefactor (\$1,000 contribution to the Permanent Fund or provision for the Permanent Fund in estate plan), Bequest Society (at least \$10,000 commitment in estate plan), Major Donor (at least \$10,000 in outright giving), Arch C. Klumph Society (at least \$250,000 in outright giving)

SHARE System is the mechanism through which contributions to The Rotary Foundation are transformed into program and grant awards that the Foundation distributes worldwide.

At the end of every contribution year, each Rotary district's contributions to the Annual Programs Fund are divided into two funds: 50% to the World Fund and 50% to the District Designated Fund (DDF). The 50% to the World Fund pays for programs available to all Rotary districts and clubs, regardless of their specific contributions. The district uses the remaining 50% of DDF to fund the Foundation programs and grants it chooses to participate in. Clubs can access these funds through the district Rotary Foundation committee.

The SHARE 3-year Cycle

An additional facet of the SHARE system is its unique funding cycle wherein Annual Programs Fund contributions are invested for three years and used for programs and grants three years after they are received. The three-year cycle gives districts time for program planning and participant selection and allows the Foundation to pay for administration and fund development costs from the earnings from those investments.

MEETING OF 2 AUGUST 2012

Attendance

Membership 22 Present 16 Attendance 73%

Visitors: Sarah Yousuf our Ambassadorial Scholar, Stephen Bredenkamp (next

inductee), Rob Murphy (for the last time as a Guest)

Attendance to Biffy 082 468 7504 or aecon.e@mweb.co.za. Now at 23 members and climbing!!! Make ups need to be made either 2 weeks prior to or post a meeting.

Loyal toast was done by Roche. International Toast by Pat was to the club of Newham which is in the centre of the Olympics Village.

PRESIDENTS ITEMS

President Mike announced that as there seemed to be no objections that Karen would be our President Elect. Well done Karen.

The list of duties and committees has been circulated. If anyone has a problem with any of the allocations or would like extra duties, please let Mike know.

Mike has circulated the budget. The only comment arising seemed to about our income not always being a sure thing and that members should always keep looking for other sources of income. The budget was approved.

Mike then inducted our newest member Rob Murphy. Mr Murph we hope that you will have many happy and fun years with WRC.

Jackie reported back on the Future Vision meeting at Kelvin on Saturday 28th July and will now be serving on the District Future Vision Committee who still seem to be learning as they go along. Jackie read out the avenues/areas that would be covered by Future Vision, the objectives, motto and mission, sustainability is important, the cost involved would move up to a min of \$15 000 each (=\$45 000) making grants bigger cost wise.

Biffy was asked to report back on the status of the possibility of funding on the various projects that she had taken to the USA. But true to form she firstly took an additional spot with a message from Lina. Biffy and Lina had a long Skype call that morning. They are fine but missing us all very much.

FoodBank – there is a possibility of a German funder, IOWA district could be getting together to look at this project and Biffy has been told of a millionaire philanthropist (in the league of Bill Gates and Howard Buffett) who has said that he would be coming out. When this actually happens and Biffy sees flight tickets she will shoot her mouth off.

Victoria – Biffy is speaking to Bob and Fred in LA re army surplus in warehouses. Bob is ex army and has the contacts and Fred works for State import/export.

Khanyisa – nothing at this stage.

Lavender Hill HS – IOWA are keen to gather up secondhand instruments for the brass band. Koos Louw of the Navy also has money available to support this programme. Isiphiwo Primary School – Des Moines AM club have already sent \$2 000 for indigenous books for the library. Another exciting project that should take off is the Ontario Montclare School District have said that they will find funding to get the Grade 6 & 7's hooked up with the De Anzio school were the classes will be hooked up via a school room size skype and will need to learn from one another in various ways.

Biffy has also loaded all projects on the USA database of projects looking for sponsor/partner clubs to see if anyone takes the bait.

Mike took a spot on the web site. Biffy said that unless content was provided nothing more could be done at this stage. Stephen seconded this. The biggest gap is the projects. Mike also mentioned getting a bunch of Wynberg Rotary club business cards printed where each member can fill in his/her name.

SLOTS

David announced that the progressive dinner would be on Thurs 30 August. Starters at the Hovstad's. Main course at 4 different houses. Coffee/desert at another venue to be announced.

Jackie told the club that the combined Inductions would take place on 21 Aug – see programme below. The Interact workshop would take place on 22 September. The beach clean up would take place on Sat 4 Aug. Biffy, Candice and Scott would be representing WRC.

Biffy briefly mentioned that she, John and Sarah had attended the Rotaract Weekend Conference at Misverstand Dam and even left Sarah there to the tender mercies of the Wynberg Rotaract Club, which she apparently enjoyed and came home very short of sleep. Sarah told the club a bit about herself. She has been practicing as a criminal lawyer in Chicago. Has a younger brother, Amir, and sister, Sana, and her Mom and Dad in Chicago. Sarah hopes to learn something useful to take back with her in connection with juvenile incarceration and work with NICRO through her UCT programmes. And also through Rotaract and Rotary work.

JACKPOT

The jackpot continues to creep closer to the magic R2000 mark, and Biffy's draw of a 8♣ helped it to get closer. It now stands at R1900+, and Biffy then drew Karen's name for the attendance prize of R20.

PRESIDENTS QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

- 1. You can't put a limit on anything. The more you dream, the farther you get.
- 2. It all starts with a goal.
- 3. If you want to be the best, you have to do things that other people aren't willing to do.
- 4. I wouldn't say anything is impossible. I think that everything is possible as long as you put your mind to it and put the work and time into it.

DUTY ROSTER

	9 August	16 August	30 August	6 September	13 September	20 September
Sergeant	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	Smith	PROGRESSIVE SUPPER	Knight	Wetmore	van Wyk
Attendance Officer		Danckwerts		Danckwerts	Danckwerts	Danckwerts
Wynpress Editorial		Williams		Baker	Barnard	Bird
Minutes for Wynpress		Knight		Danckwerts	Knight	Danckwerts
Compilation of Wynpress		Danckwerts		Knight	Danckwerts	Knight
Door Duty		Vivian		Wild	Williams	Bredenkamp
Grace		Van Wyk		Wetmore	Wild	Williams
Loyal Toast		Vivian		Wild	Williams	Murphy
International Toast		Murphy		Barnard	Bird	Danckwerts
Speaker Introduction		James		N/A	TBA	TBA
Speaker Thanks		Williams		N/A	Bredenkamp	Barnard

IF YOU CANNOT MAKE YOUR ROSTERED DATE, PLEASE SWAP WITH ANOTHER ROTARIAN AND INFORM THE SERGEANT WHO IS ON DUTY THAT DAY

PROGRAMME

August 2012	Committee: van Wyk, Gowdy, Overbosch, Todd, Wild				
Thursday 9	Public Holiday				
Thursday 16	Peter Sharples from Wonderbag - how to cook your food without using electricity.				
Tuesday 21	Combined Interact Induction – WBHS at 5.30 for 6pm				
Thursday 23	Board meeting				
Thursday 30	Progressive Dinner				
September 2012	Committee: Knight, Baker, Cleveland, Munday, Orsmond				
Thursday 6	Business meeting & visit by AG Roy Zazeraj				
Thursday 13	Melanie Jones - Environmental Awareness (Combined with Rotaract at Palms Guest House, Wynberg)				
Thursday 20	Sarah Yousuf – Wynberg Ambassadorial Scholar				
Thursday 27	Board meeting				
Saturday 29	Painting at Isiphiwo with Rotaract				

October 2012 Committee: James, Danckwerts, Schreiber, Smith, Williams

Thursday 4 Business meeting

Wednesday 10 Combined meeting with Rotaract

Thursday 18 TBA

Thursday 25 Board meeting

December 6 Visit by DG Mike Ochse

ROTARACT CORNER

This will include extracts from their minutes that concern us or where we can help.

- **Isipiwho:** The grade R classes (letter and number games outside) to be painted, the sick room needs to be painted and decorated and jungle gym needs painting. Saturday, 29 September or if it rains will can move it to Saturday, 6 October. We will provide the paint for the sick room and the outside games. Rotarians could help in providing guidance and lunch (wors rolls) and cooldrink. Rotaract will supply all materials.
- Rotaract conference 2013: Wynberg Rotaract were successful in their bid to host the conference next year.

TAILPIECE



A Sign On The Lawn At A Drug Rehab Center Said: 'Keep Off The Grass.'

The Midget Fortune-Teller Who Escaped From Prison Was A Small Medium At Large.

The Soldier Who Survived Mustard Gas And Pepper Spray Is Now A Seasoned Veteran.

A Backward Poet Writes Inverse.

In A Democracy It's Your Vote That Counts. In Feudalism It's Your Count That Votes.

If You Jumped Off The Bridge In Paris, You'd Be In Seine.

Two Fish Swim Into A Concrete Wall. One Turns To The Other And Says 'Dam!'

Two Hydrogen Atoms Meet. One Says, 'I've Lost My Electron.' The Other Says 'Are You Sure?' The First Replies, 'Yes, I'm Positive.'

Did You Hear About The Buddhist Who Refused Novocain During A Root Canal? His Goal: Transcend Dental Medication.