



Editorial

by Lina Howard

At Christmastime we often focus on giving gifts to those we love. But remember that some of the greatest presents are those you can't wrap. Here are some unforgettable gifts you can give your parents and family

One of the greatest gifts you can give is service. This is easy to do if you just take a bit of time and thought.

Of course as we are in the time of parties, our most fantastic party is rolling – UNCLE PAUL's Christmas party which is attended by hundreds of families.

A delightful evening for the whole family – and an iconic event by our Rotaractors who work there nearly every night for 3 weeks. So helping out at the car park is just a small service we can all do. Not one night but try for as many as you can manage.

Another service – offer to drive an elderly neighbour to the shops or take them out for tea and a sticky bun

Clean up the garden.

Prepare a meal for someone who lives alone.

Give a gift to a homeless person

Spend time with your family – especially those who are older.

Just be joyful and smile and wish everyone a happy holiday.

Commit to doing more next year for your Club.

New motto: Less complaining and more positive thinking.

Blessed Christmas to all!



Minutes

10 December 2015

	Compiled by Lina Howard				
Attendance	14 Members				
Visitors	None				
From the President's Chair	Pres. Stephen asked if all were happy with gratuity for Palm House –all present agreed. The swindle contributed R1000 towards the gratuity. Stephen thanked the staff on the Club's behalf.				
	RI – Community development Conference – we shall entertain delegates on $25^{\rm th}$ Feb at Palm House				
	Proms beneficiary - Stephen suggested VWF (Cape Firefighters) suggestion was welcomed and approved.				
Slots	Graham: First speaker in January will be Proms conductor, Richard Cock. City Hall Bays for Proms are all sold out already.				
	Don: Seahouses RC has contributed £250.00 to the Lavender Hill Projects – which has been doubled by RI.				
	Bruce: Christmas evening at Zeekoevlei Yacht Club at 18.00 on Thur. 17 Dec. Braai fires provided, but bring own food and beverages + Secret Santa Gift.				
Fellowship Announcements	Valda Todd (12 th), Don Lidgley (8 th) and String Smith (14 th) all celebrated their birthdays.				
Guest Speaker	Business meeting – no guest speaker.				
Swindle	Don pulled out Pam's name and in proxy, the card 90 was drawn – aah shame! Keela won the R25.00 consolation prize.				
President's Quote	Life is not about finding yourself- it is about creating yourself — George Bernard Shaw				

Dates To Diarise				
Nov 25 – Dec 22	Uncle Pauls:- see Wynberg Rotaract for actual dates.			
Thur Dec 17	Christmas Party at Zeekoevlei Yacht Club – 6pm			
Sun Dec 20	Carols by Candlelight (Keela)			
Thur Dec 24	No meeting			
Thur Dec 31	No meeting			
Thur Jan 7	No meeting.			
Thur Jan 14	First meeting of the year: Proms conductor, Richard Cock will be the guest speaker			
Thur Jan 21	Dr Gallie, Eugene Daniels: Education Moving Up			
Thur Jan 28	Huntington's Disease: speaker tbc			
Sat / Sun Mar 19/20	The Last Night of the Proms at the City Hall			
Sun April 3	Rotary Family Fun Day, Blue Train, Sea Point			



Duty Roster

	January			February
	14	21	28	4 (Business mtg)
Sergeant	Murphy	Overbosch	Schreiber	Todd
Wynpress Editorial	Van Niekerk K	Van Niekerk S	Van Wyk	Vivian
Wynpress Minutes	Maunder	Howard	Cleveland	Smith
Door Duty	Barnard	Bird	Cleveland	Danckwerts
Grace	Munday	Murphy	O'Driscoll	Overbosch
Loyal Toast	Cleveland	Danckwerts	Dessington	Dietrich
International Toast	James	Jackson	Lidgley	Maunder
Speaker Intro	Todd	Van Eeden	Van Niekerk S	N/A
Speaker Thanks	Jackson	James	Klotz Gleave	N/A
Find speakers	Howard, Munday, Todd, van Niekerk K			Cleveland, James, O'Driscoll, van Eeden, Overbosch







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