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EDITORIAL

Blue Bird Garage Market in Muizenberg.

One of the things my family loves to do, is to visit the Blue Bird Garage Market in Muizenberg on a Friday night. It is housed in an old postal plane hangar on the edge of Muizenberg.

The market is very popular and busy. To assure yourself parking nearby and seats at the tables, make sure to arrive before 18h00. The market is open from 16h00 to 20h00. This is a bona fide neighbourhood market and most of the traders are from Muizenberg and surrounding areas.

Inside you will find fresh flowers, veggies and fruits, breads, stunning coffee, a variety of yummy cakes and tarts, jams and sauces, speciality sausages, hamburgers from Heavenly Hamburgers, excellent Portuguese fare from a very friendly couple, original Chinese food, pizzas, healthy Middle Eastern food, samoosas and even raw food from the Hungry Herbivore.

There is a permanent bar offering a variety of wines, ciders and speciality beers like Jack Black, CBC and Darling Breweries. On the goods side, visitors can pick from vintage clothes, second hand books, artwork and very original jewellery.

The Market has a vibey atmosphere with music by local artists. It is frequented by ordinary Joes, tattooed surfer dudes, old hippies, grandparents and small children. At a small area at the back of the building is a play pen for the younger children to allow mum and dad to have a good time.

If you haven't been to this market yet, make sure that you visit it: Blue Bird Garage Market, 39 Albertyn Rd, Muizenberg (just across the railway line from Main Road).

By Francois van Eeden

MEETING OF 8 MAY 2014

ATTENDANCE

Membership: 29
Present: 13
Make Ups: 1
Apologies: 10
Attendance: 48%

Attendance to Biffy 081 547 9489 or aecon.e@mweb.co.za.

Visitors: Austin Cook-Lindsay.

Pres. Karen welcomed the small gathering, graciously blaming the rainy evening for the poor turnout! Austin will be returning to Texas on 25 May to complete a study course, but will be returning in Sept.

Reminders: 1. 8 June: Concert in the City Hall (see details below)

- 2. 19 June: Induction of Jackie James as Club President.
- 3. 18 May: Potjiekos Competition at Pinelands Sports Club. R200 entry fee.

SLOTS

Jackie At Conference Wynberg RC was awarded a prize for the best website – congratulations to Stephen, who really is entirely responsible for this.

Following on from Pres. Karen's reminder above, the Club will be managing a concert on 8 June on behalf of the Allschlaraffische Symphony Orchestra, who have asked us to do a similar occasion to our Last Night of the Proms. It will require the duties of at least 20 Rotarians, ushering and serving drinks in the Blue Room and the Dave Bloomberg Parlour both pre-concert and during interval. The concert will start at 18.00; and duties will commence from 16.00. Tickets from Computicket will cost R120pp. Beneficiaries will be St Luke's Hospice and Wynberg Rotary Club.

Don ordered one, but received two copies of a CD by Andrea Bocelli from Amazon. Amazon said it would be too expensive to arrange the return of the second copy, so Don donated it to the Club to auction and add the money to the charities fund. The original cost was R150.

Lina celebrated the arrival of her fifth grandchild today. Congratulations from us all!

As the evening was a Business Meeting, there was no guest speaker.

The various directors submitted their monthly reports on their avenues of service.

PRESIDENT'S QUOTES

"Great minds discuss ideas; average minds discuss events: small minds discuss people."

- Eleanor Roosevelt

[&]quot;I have not failed. I've just found 10 000 ways that won't work."

DUTY ROSTER

DUTY	15 May	22 May	29 May	5 June	12 June
Sergeant	Cleveland	Van Eeden	0110:00	Van Wyk	Schreiber
Attendance Officer	Danckwerts	Danckwerts	* 76*	Danckwerts	Danckwerts
Wynpress Editorial	Van Eeden	Van Wyk		du Plessis	Gavin
Minutes for Wynpress	Danckwerts	Wetmore		Danckwerts	Wetmore
Compilation of Wynpress	Cleveland	Danckwerts	SOCIAL	Wetmore	Danckwerts
Door Duty	van Eeden	Van Wyk	WATCH	Schonegevel	Du Plessis
Grace	Schonegevel	van Niekerk	THIS SPACE	Munday	van Wyk
Loyal Toast	Smith	Todd		van Wyk	Vivian
International Toast	Michalowsky	Munday		Smith	Todd
Speaker Introduction	Overbosch	Danckwerts	****	TBA	TBA
Speaker Thanks	Klotz-Gleave	Knight		Michalowsky	Murphy

PROGRAMME

May 2014 Committee: James, Danckwerts, Schreiber, Smith, Williams, Lidgle			
15 May	Retreat Rotaract meeting		
15 May	Normal meeting – Gerry from 'Mothers Unite'		
17 M ay	Norwegian National Day		
21 M ay	Wynberg Rotaract meeting		
22 May	Normal meeting: SurfShack - Dave		
29 M ay	Retreat Rotaract meeting		
29 May	Social		

June 2014	Committee: Barnard, Bird, Hovstad, Michalwsky, Wetmore, Jackson, Schonegevel
4June	Wynberg Rotaract meeting
5 June	Business meeting / World Environmental Day
12June	Retreat Rotaract meeting
12 June	Normal meeting – Mary Tata
16 June	Youth Day
18 June	Wynberg Rotaract meeting
19 June	Induction Dinner
26 June	Retreat Rotaract meeting
26 June	Normal meeting
27 June	School holidays start

JACKPOT:

With an almost new pack, 9♦ to find and a kitty of R600, Stephen drew Karen's name from the box. However she could only find the 6♥.

Dave won the R20 'attendance' prize.

SPECIAL POST ELECTION TAILPIECE

In my many years I have come to a conclusion that one useless man is a shame, two is a law firm and three or more is a government.

John Adams

I contend that for a nation to try to tax itself into prosperity is like a man standing in a bucket and trying to lift himself up by the handle.

Winston Churchill

A government which robs Peter to pay Paul can always depend on the support of Paul.

George Bernard Shaw

Giving money and power to government is like giving whisky and car keys to teenage boys.

P.J. O'Rourke, Civil Libertarian

Government is the great fiction, through which everybody endeavours to live at the expense of everybody else.

Frederic Bastiat, French economist(1801-1850)

I don't make jokes. I just watch the government and report the facts.

Will Rogers (and Zapiro! - Ed)

In general, the art of government consists of taking as much money as possible from one party of the citizens to give to the other.

Voltaire (1764)

Talk is cheap...except when government does it.

Anonymous

The government is like a baby's alimentary canal, with a happy appetite at one end and no responsibility at the other.

Ronald Reagan

What this country needs are more unemployed politicians.

Edward Langley, Artist (1928-1995)

A government big enough to give you everything you want, is strong enough to take everything you have.

Thomas Jefferson

We hang the petty thieves and appoint the great ones to public office.

Aesop

But we never learn from history!