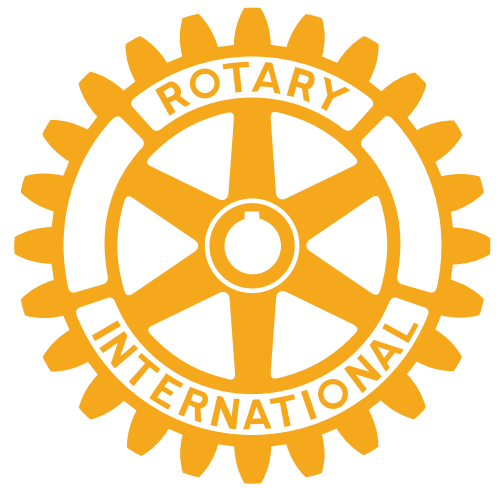


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Meetings:
Kimberley
Club
Mondays
12:45 for
13:00

Meeting Report: 11 August 2014

With President Andre in Cape Town, Acting President Janine got the meeting started by welcoming Dr Andries Stulting.

Following grace and the 4-way test by Peter T, he led a toast to Maddy's country, the USA.

Bettina introduced our guest speaker, and fellow Rotarian (from Kimberley South), Dr Andries Stulting.

Doctor Stulting gave an insightful look (pardon the pun) into Ophthalmology in Africa.

Having travelled throughout Africa, he finds the Plinius quote "out of Africa, always something new" to be fitting.

He relayed stories of his experiences in Somalia, while teaching newer techniques to one of the few Ophthalmologists in the country. These included heavily armed escorts and a "weapons factory" just down the road.

After glancing at somewhat graphic photographs of case studies he moved on through his experiences in Tanzania (including a brief history of Roald Dahl) and Kenya. In Idi Amin's Uganda some even jokingly said he was safe, as he was no longer in Johannesburg.

The Ugandans practice a very basic, yet effective, method of tele-medicine by making use of mobile networks.

Stories of a stereotype busting visit to Nigeria and eye-opening look into the past slave trade in Ghana followed. Short descriptions of Egypt, Ethiopia and Namibia we heard before Dr Stulting relayed the story of a 20 year veteran doctor from Malawi who was dismissed rather unfairly, seemingly due to office politics.

After speaking about the outreaches in Lesotho that they regularly take part in, he closed off the talk with the following: "We must look how we can use our knowledge to everyone's benefit."

Sgt Gill put the numbers at 14 of 23 (60.87%).

With the meeting at its end, no duties were read.

Peter T closed off with something about a plane at Dar es Salaam.

Monday to Thursday: Crossfit

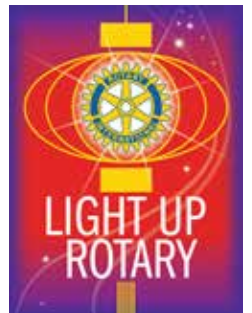
Wednesday: Choir Rehearsal

Monday, Thursday & Saturday: Play Practice

Friday: Sand Du Plessis Theatre for costumes

Visit Maddy's blog at: <http://maddyinsa.wordpress.com>

Maddy's
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Last meeting's attendance: 61%

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"I have been impressed with the urgency of doing. Knowing is not enough, we must apply. Being willing is not enough; we must do." - Da Vinci

Upcoming Events

August—Membership and Extension Month

September—New Generations Month

October—Vocational Service Month

November—Rotary Foundation Month

Fellowship

Aug 18	Allison Fletcher & Jannie Jacobs
Aug 25	Philip Maritz & Hugh McGibbon
Sep 01	Judy Morrison & Div Pretorius
Sep 08	Gill Quinn & Kenn Quinn

Corporal

Aug 18	Gill Quinn
Aug 25	Div Pretorius
Sep 01	Janine Snyders
Sep 08	Peter Thomas

Birthday Greetings

Aug 18	Div Pretorius
Aug 20	RC Kimberley (1951)
Sep 22	Gill Quinn
Sep 23	Gordon Dally (Honorary)

Induction Anniversaries

Sep 03	Allison Fletcher	2007
Oct 29	Dwayne & Liesel Evans	2012
Nov 14	Peter Thomas	1991
Nov 20	Judy Morrison	2006

Wedding Anniversaries

Aug 29	Mike & Beryl Bradnum (Honorary)
Sep 02	Ryan & Janine Snyders
Sep 23	Peter & Charlene Daubney (Honorary)
Sep 24	Dawie & Jennilee Ellis

If you are unable to perform a duty, please make sure you arrange a replacement.

Please advise Dwayne by email or SMS of any changes:
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Coffee Club

Aug 19	Peter Thomas
Aug 26	Corlia van Tonder
Sep 02	Pete van Zyl
Sep 09	Jannie Jacobs

Coffee Club - Birthday Greetings

Aug 24	Trevor Urry
Sep 09	Ben Koorzen
Sep 10	Dennis Sparrow
Sep 25	Don Munro

Maddy for Dinner (week ending)

Aug 22	Janine & Ryan Snyders
Aug 29	Judy & Royden Morrison
Sep 05	André & Annine Oberholzer
Sep 12	Div & Monique Pretorius

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