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

Meeting Report: 23 March 2015 (by Peter T)

Corporal Corlia van Tonder opened the meeting with the Rotary Grace, the 4-Way Test and a toast to South Africa.

President André welcomed guests Karel Theron (guest of Philip Maritz), Past Rotarian Gordon and Shirley Dally and our favorite exchange student Maddy!

Business from the top table included a reminder to register for District Conference.

After a delicious lunch, Acting Sergeant Barry Downs announced the upcoming week's duties and celebrations. Acting Attendance Officer Peter Thomas reported apologies from Dwayne, Liesel, Colleen, Hugh, Gill, Ken, Amanda and Pete. No Barry makeups were recorded and the attendance stood at 55.6%.

Corporal Corlia had sub-contracted the Corporal Duty to Barry Downs (an Englishman will do anything for money), who presented the "Phone Menu at the Mental Health Institute".

- Hello, and thank you for calling the Mental Health Institute.
- If you are obsessive-compulsive, press 1 repeatedly.

- If you have multiple personalities, press 2, 3 and 4.
- If you suffer from post-traumatic stress disorder, press 5 but do it v-e-r-y- s-l-o-w-l-y and carefully.
- If you are dyslexic, press 6. Now press 9. Now press 6. Now press 9. Now press 6.
- If you are delusional, press 7 and your call will be transferred to the mother ship.
- If you have short term memory loss, press 8. If you have short term memory loss, press 8. If you have short term memory loss, press 8.
- If you have schizophrenia, listen very carefully and a small voice will tell you the number to press.
- If you have a nervous disorder, fidget with the hash key until a representative comes on the line.
- If you are co-dependent, ask someone to press a number for you.
- If you are depressed, don't bother to press any numbers. No one will be able to help you anyway.
- If you are paranoid, you don't need to press anything. We know who you are, we know what you want, and we know how to reach you.
- If you suffer from low self-esteem, please hang up because all our operators are too busy to talk to you.

Even though some of this was all-to-familiar to some of the Rotarians, it earned a good contribution for Rotary Foundation.

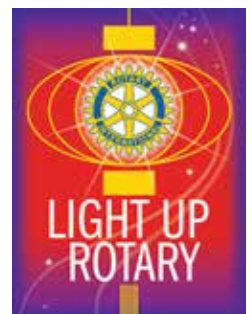
After dessert, Pres. André thanked our guests for attending and Cpl Corlia closed the meeting with the tailpiece: "You must find place inside yourself where nothing is impossible".

Monday - Thursday: Crossfit

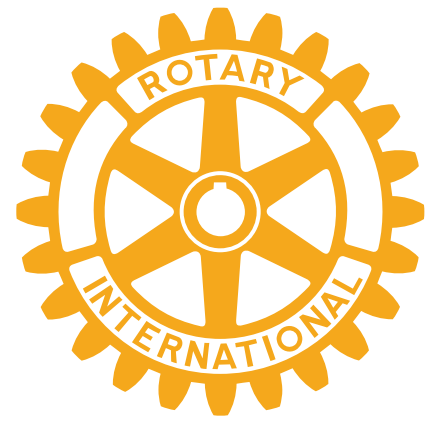
Easter weekend: Going with Evanses to the Vaal River near Vredefort Dome

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

Maddy's
Corner



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"Always do what is right. It will gratify half of mankind and astound the other." - Mark Twain

Upcoming Events

March—Literacy Month

April—Magazine Month

06 Family Day
13 - 16 Talent Show @ NCH
24 - 26 District Conference: Bloemfontein

May—No Rotary designation

Fellowship

Mar 30 Ken Quinn & Corlia van Tonder
Apr 06 Family Day
Apr 13 Barry Downs & Sharon Erasmus

Corporal

Mar 30 Gill Quinn
Apr 06 Family Day
Apr 13 Bettina Dauberman

Birthday Greetings

Mar 29 Andries Erasmus
Apr 09 Philip Maritz
Apr 16 Gill Downs

Induction Anniversaries

Apr 05 Lawrie Shuttleworth 1952
Apr 29 Ken Quinn 1993
May 17 Corlia van Tonder 2010

Meeting Reports

Mar 30 Ken Quinn
Apr 06 Family Day
Apr 13 Corlia van Tonder

Maddy for Dinner (week ending)

Apr 03 André & Annine Oberholzer
Apr 10 Peter & Maryna Thomas
Apr 17 Ken & Gill Quinn
Apr 24 Hugh & Maureen McGibbon

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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Wedding Anniversaries

Mar 26 Pete & Amanda van Zyl
May 17 Philip & Shirley Maritz
Jun 28 Barry & Gill Downs
Jul 16 Gordon & Shirley Dally

Coffee Club

Mar 31 Hugh Mc Gibbon
Apr 07 Peter Thomas
Apr 13 Corlia van Tonder
Apr 20 Dwayne Evans

Coffee Club - Birthday Greetings

Mar 28 George Lodder
Jun 14 Piet vd Merwe
Jul 11 Sandy Cox
Jul 15 Mark Harding

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