



Whangarei Rotary

(Chartered 1925)

District 9910



Chronicle for 12 Oct 2016

Int President John Germ

President – Shirley Faber, Secretary- Alison Rossiter, Treasurer – Bill Rossiter, Chronicle - Andrew Bax, Community – Andrew Bax, International - Roger Barber, Programme –Mike Elrick, Almoner - George Wilson, Historian - Lloyd Morris, Website - Andrew Bax, Youth – Maurice Schicker, District Governor – Peter Smith, Assistant Governor – Rosemary Meyer

President Shirley welcomed everyone to the AGM.

Apologies:-

Brian, Alison, Roger,

Business

- last year we meet at the Helena bay café and tabled the annual report
- Next years officers
Shirley nominated Bill for Treasurer-all agreed
Shirley moved Maurice Schicker for President elect, Maurice has been on several training events
It was moved for Alison to continue as secretary- Bill said he couldn't speak for Alison, so watch this space
- Nominations were taken for honorary members
Frank Geddes,, Bert Boswell, George Wilson, Jack Hoskins, Lloyd Morris, Ray Shane, Shane Reti, Craig Wells, Nominated by Shirley, seconded by Bill - all agreed- Alison to notify recipients
- Bill tabled the annual accounts audited by Sumpter Baughen (no charge thanks to Craig)
Net surplus for the year of \$1362.00 –Thanks to Bill for watching pennies.
Bill moved they be accepted, seconded by Shirley- passed
Mike will investigate getting our Presidents Regalia valued, its only on the books for \$449
- Gail read her report from 2015-2016

Summing up:-

Shirley thanked all the members for helping her during her presidents year and looks forward to handing the reigns to Maurice in July 2017

AGM closed 6:22pm

President's Report Whangarei Rotary 2015-2016

As always, Whangarei Rotary has concluded a successful year. We continue to do what we do best. As a small, family –focused group, we provide a Rotary group that not only focuses on the world at large but on the community & individual needs of our members.

Thanks to our three trusts, Whangarei Rotary has enriched the Northland community in excess of \$40,000. We contributed \$2,500 to a water project on Malo Island in Vanuatu. We have made a donation to Foundation of \$1,625. We have hosted Carlos Soto Diaz from Easter Island. Thanks to the success of our annual trailer raffle, we have been able to do all this & still keep our subs at \$150- the lowest I know of.

The Speech Competition in 2015 was a great success. The standards are always high & it is often the Impromptu Speech which determines the winner.

Whangarei Rotary has also helped with collections for The Blind Foundation, Daffodil Day, Red Puppy Appeal & the Hospice Christmas Tree of Memory.

I would like to thank every member & their families for the help they have given during my two-year tenure as President. Without the combined efforts of everyone, we would not be able to continue as we do.

General Business

- Ordered 10 Xmas puddings from Epsom club, sell for \$20ea
- Letter from Cancer Society asking for help on 25 August 2017 for daffodil day, agreed yes
- Peter mentioned that the Bernard Bowden trust is \$145 in OD due to interest being taken out, club will sort.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Christmas Party on 10th Dec- \$20/ head Masonic hall Mauna
- Pop up store, setup on Sunday 16 Oct at from 9:00am and removal on 22nd Oct
- Speech Contest semi finals 19 Oct at the RSA – Please bring a plate. 6:30 for 7:00pm
- Speech Contest Finals 26 Oct at the RSA – Please bring 2 x Plates – 6:30 for 7:00pm
- Social Dinner at Debbie & Maurice Schickers, bring a salad, they will provide the rest, wine will be provided. 29 October from 4:30 in Maungakaramea – see map



Duty Roster (a.m – noon for 12:30, p.m. – 5:30 for 6:00pm) R.S.A.			
Lunch first, dinner second – 1st Wed lunch 2nd dinner etc			
Duties	19 Oct (pm)	26 Sep – (pm)	Hospital
Speaker	Speech Contest Semi Finals	Speech Contest Finals	Gail
Host	Everyone	Everyone	
Thanks	Graham	Graham	
Reception	Everyone	Everyone	
Parting Thought	Graham	Graham	

Parting thought from Andrew

" Some people are like clouds, when they go away it becomes a brighter day!!"