

NORTHCLIFF ROTARY CLUB

Weekly information Sheet of the Northcliff Rotary Club
P.O. Box 35439 Northcliff 2115, Johannesburg



10 August 2016

Diary of Forthcoming Events

17 August	District Governor's Visit
27 August	Firlands Fete
Postponed	Lionrock (Four Paws) near Bethlehem
28 September	Speech Competition
12- 14 October	Rotary Family Health Day
15 October	Fairlands Fete
29 October	Night at the races
05 November	GEM Cottages Fete.

	10-Aug	17-Aug	24-Aug
Sergeant	Jennifer Roberts	Combined	Francis Callard
Reception and Regalia	Tommy Stratten	District Governor	Dave Woodhouse
Grace	Laszlo Somody	Meeting	Jennifer Roberts
Welcome Visitors	Lyn Somody	with	Dean Gounden
Swindle & Fines	Paul Westcott	Jhb Main Reef	Peter Jacobs
Rotary 90" Slot / Peace Prayer		Wanderers (TBC)	
Toast to Ladies	Dave Woodhouse	18:30 for 19:00	Vaughan Russell
Introduce Speaker	Ian Goldsmith		Tommy Stratten
Speaker	Adele du Rand		Lylie Beukes
Topic	Three Habits of High Performing Teams		The life of an Industrial Psychologist

Birthdays and Anniversaries:

None this week.

President <i>Andrew Buttress</i>	Club Secretary <i>Paul Westcott</i>	Club Treasurer <i>Tommy Stratten</i>	President Elect <i>Tommy Stratten</i>
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Why did the chickens ? : 3 August



WHY DID THE CHICKENS CROSS THE FLOOR? Curious visitors try to join voters at a polling station in ward 4, Inchanga, in KwaZulu-Natal. Get the latest poll Picture: JACKIE CLAUSEN

There was no meeting on 3rd August as it was a public holiday. The photo from The Times on 4th August talks to being in the right place at the right time with the right eye for the right photo

President Andrew with our visitor, Devin van Rensburg on 27 July. We hope that Devin will be instrumental in helping RC Northcliff start a Rotaract Club in the near future.



Club Services

Speaker Program: Members are asked to please help organise speakers. ALL members to provide a contact for a speaker or be prepared to put a topic forward that they are willing to talk about. If any reader of this bulletin would like to address the club please contact Francis Callard or Paul Westcott

Apologies: Please email pwestcott99@gmail.com or SMS 082 772 8863 before 24h00 on Monday preceding the meeting

Public relations: If you have any articles or photos that promote Rotary and NRC in the Community and would help to keep our website (www.northclifrotary.co.za) up to date, please contact Ian Goldsmith at (ian.goldsmith@mweb.co.za),



Dave Woodhouse and Paul Westcott with two residents of Dinaledi House preparing Sunday lunch of boerewors rolls followed by cake and ice cream in cones. This was a club visit to assess the potential of the shelter for boys as a club project. A good lunch and good fellowship.

Rotary Family Health Day (RFHD)

RFHD coordinator Steve du Plessis addressed club representatives from Region 2 on Saturday 6 October. Use the link to access the presentation. <http://rotary9400.co.za/rfhd/>.

He gave a very good outline of the history and objectives of the program and fielded a number of searching questions on the role of Rotary and (effective) cooperation with strategic partners including the Dept. of Health. RC Northcliff's stance was that participation must be meaningful and value adding for the Rotarian and the recipient for the time and effort invested. Of course we also need to work to make it meaningful and rewarding.

Mariam Jacobs (ex Satellite club and now E-Club) was there. They are looking at a site in Eldorado Park and suggested we keep close on this one. Randburg is joining with Morningside as is Rosebank in Diepsloot and they will be over-subscribed with volunteers. More to come as it unfolds.

Guild Cottage Birthday Party – 6 August.

Under the superb organisation of Community Services Director Dean Gounden we again held the quarterly birthday party for Guild Cottage. There were seven celebrants and thanks to the Rotary Anns for donating the cakes which the girls enjoyed and appreciated.



Dinaledi House – Shelter for Boys – 7 August

Thanks to Ansie for organising this exploratory visit and lunch. It was enjoyed by all and we look forward to exploring possibilities with Fr Laszlo. Each resident also received a blanket from the blanket program.

