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Club Meets at Royal Oak Bowls 146 Selwyn Street, Onehunga, Auckland

Each Monday evening 5:30pm to 7:30pm, including dinner.

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Newsletter to keep the Wheel Turning!



June is-

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Apologies:

Trevor Mosley, Fatu and Parehuia Enari, Quentin Jay, Brian Williams, Neil Reid, Derek Neutze, Alistair Grundy.

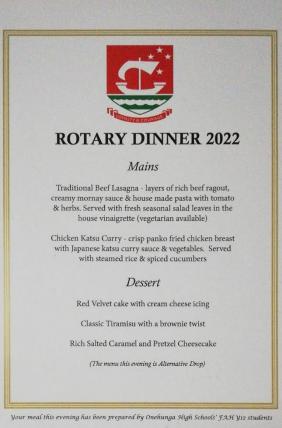
<u>Visitors</u>: Bev and Geoff Stafford, Maureen Meyer, Shirley Grayson, Diane McCrae, Penny Kestle, Phil Aish.

Members: 25 39 Total Sergeants Fines: N/A











The Club was priveliged to attend a Dinner Evening presented by the Year 12 Food and Hospitality students in the Onehunga High School New Building.



We were welcomed by Head Prefects Olivia and Sione to the centre of the New Classrooms Building where the space had been transformed into a restaurant and situated alongside the new modern kitchen facilities. The students could be seen working on the final plating of the meals which was the culmination of a full days preparation and cooking.

The food presentation and the wait staff attendance was of a very high calibre and they can be very proud of their efforts. The food, of course, was delicious.

Gareth Leadbeater, the new build project liaison officer, explained the background to the facilities and what they had achieved in producing a modern education facility that will be a reference point for future education builds.

This was their first week in the classrooms which will be officially opened this Friday 17th June followed by an open day on Saturday.

The new Gymnasium has been in use from the beginning of the year and is a world class facility that Gareth takes great pride in what was achieved in the design.

We were invited to tour the two levels of classrooms and to go across to the Gymnasium. The prefects were available to escort us and to answer any questions. For anyone not familiar with modern schools this was an impressive experience.

Principal Deidre Shea, (MNZM of which the students had said were very proud), spoke of the long journey that was undertaken in obtaining funding and the planning of the building design.

The delay in receiving the approved funding was exacerbated by the Christchurch earthquake which took priority. This did provide the opportunity to make sure that the design reflected their detailed research of their requirements.

Barry Stafford gave the vote of thanks to the students for their efforts and assured them that, at their table at least, the desserts were shared around for all to experience the various delights on offer.



!!!NOTE CHANGE IN APOLOGIES ADVICE!!!! Duties

(Please send apologies to Noel Carey. (Remember, if you are not available for a duty, please organise a replacement and advise Noel. Mob 0274 509 845 Home 09 630 7657

Date: 20th June

Attendance Jeanette Thorne Equipment: Ernie Meyer Hospitality: Rod Kestle 5-Minute Speaker N/A

Guest speaker Board Members Subject: 5 Min on their roles

Host: Robin Hulford

Thanks: .N/A

Thought for the Week Lloyd Albiston

Date: 27th June

Attendance Equipment: Hospitality:

5-Minute Speaker N/A

Guest speaker

Subject:

Host: Robin Hulford

Thanks: .N/A

Thought for the Week

June 27th Changeover Night at Parkside Village Cafe (formerly Selwyn Heights)

Robin has arranged for people to park at the front of the Village and come in the main entrance. Alan Bannin and Derek will act as guides from the entrance to the Dining Room.

We will set up a reception table as you enter the dining room where an attendance record will be kept for covid purposes as well as our normal management system, and badges as usual.

(The attendance record will be passed to the village for security/health records.) Apologies and or attendance confirmation should now be with Secretary Iain.

| Note: District Conference is cancelled, and aspects are to be incorporated into the District |
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| Governors Change Over at Orewa on 2nd July Cat Levine will be a presenter |
| Details in the District 9910 Newsletter. (link) April 2022 Newsletter |

For a bit of **Rotary International** flavour here are some pictures from friends of Derek Atkinson in India.

District conference 3060 in

Gujarat State Western India, 4 hrs north of

Mumbai







A Touch of Humour!

A senior citizen said to his eighty-year-old buddy:

'So I hear you're getting married?'

'Yep!'

'Do I know her?'

'Nope!'

'This woman, is she good looking?'

'Not really.'

'Is she a good cook?'

'Nah, she can't cook too well.'

'Does she have lots of money?'

'Nope! Poor as a church mouse.'

'Well, then, is she good in bed?'

'I don't know.'

'Why in the world do you want to marry her then?'

'Because she can still drive!'



