

Rotary Club of PETERHEAD



May 2016

News & Pictures

Hi everyone. Now, there is no need to visit the opticians, you do not need new glasses nor are you seeing things - yes that big yellow thing in the sky is the sun! Not a lot of news this month as quite a few members have been on Holiday.

Recent News

Donation

The club received a lovely letter from Joyce Clark from Peterhead Aged & Infirm thanking Peterhead Rotary Club for their very kind donation. The organisation are desperately trying to raise funds to purchase a new mini bus to enable them to continue to provide a means of transport for the less mobile, arrange days out etc.

Benches

The benches are now being placed along the Buchan line and the Club will look into purchasing purple crocus bulbs for planting later in the year.

Speakers

17th May. Our very own Phyllis gave us a fascinating talk on 'Old Inverugie' going right back to the days when the two local castles, Ravenscraig and Inverugie were occupied, when the townsfolk of Peterhead would come out to Inverugie for picnics and kids would enjoy rambling around the woods and dipping in the Ugie. If anyone who missed this would like to know more, Phyllis has a couple of really good books you can take look it.

Photography Competition

Well done to everybody who entered this years Rotary Photography Competition and a special well done to Camryn Forman and Iona Rennie. Camryn was awarded 1st place in the Senior entry for the club with her fantastic Light House photo and went on to take 2nd place in the Regional finals. Iona was awarded 1st place in the Junior entry with her photo 'Reflections' but unfortunately she didn't get any further in the Regional finals. Both very talented artists who have a great future ahead of them if these photos are anything to go by!



AGM 3rd May 2016 - this was an informal meeting with no minutes recorded. Appointment of Office Bearers for 2016/17 -

President - Askir Ali
Senior Vice President - Lisa Summers
Junior Vice President - Shirley Duthie
Secretary - David Low
Treasurer - Roddy Allan

Conveners :

Local Projects - Phyllis Mundie
Fundraising - Neil Godsman
Foundation - Liz Oates
Club protection - David Low
Public Relations - Phyllis Mundie
Programme/Attendance - Mike Pearce
Sports - Will Garden
Newsletter - Shirley Duthie
Health & Safety - Mike Pearce

Forthcoming Events

Pensioners Tea Party, on 28th May

Salvation Army Hall. If any Rotarians can assist with transport / teas, please let Phyllis know.

Rotary Bike Ride

This year's bike ride will take place on Sunday 18th June (Father's Day). More details to follow nearer the time and hopefully a few budding cyclists will take part.

Rota for June

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| 07/06/16 | J. Johnston | E.Oates | N.Godsman (followed by Council Meeting) |
| 14/06/16 | A. Ross | R.Allan | Council Meeting Feedback |
| 21/06/16 | R. Berl | P.Mundie | R.Allan |
| 28/06/16 | R.Emslie | S.Ainscough | Fellowship |