



Rotary Club of Rotorua

Monday 28 October 2019

Up and Coming

	28 October	04 November 2019
Chair	NO MEETING	Mark Gould
Guest Speaker		Andrew Simmonds
Topic	Labour Day	Tyres etc
Introduction		Kierin Irvine
Thanks		Allen Foote
Club Speaker		Denis Marriner
Quote		Peter Spurdle

Last Meeting - 21 October

Chair Fergus Cumming welcomed members and introduced Angela Carter a visitor from Ontario

Quote - Bruce Rykers

October 21 -

It's the song ye sing, and the smiles ye wear, that's a-making the sun shine everywhere - James Whitcomb Riley

October 22 -

Let us not look back in anger, nor forward in fear, but around in awareness - James Thurber

Guest Speaker - Tim Charleson

Russell Dale introduced Tim who has spent 17 years working with Red Stag Timber at the Waipa Mill.

The mill was built in 1939 to process the exotic timber growing in the locality and is now the largest in the Southern Hemisphere, currently employing 300 staff and 50 contractors.

In 2003 it was purchased by the Verry family and has developed into providing sawn timber for the NZ market extensively.

In 2016 the mill was practically rebuilt using the latest technology of reading the logs to get the greatest benefit from the milling, treatment and transportation, coping with 70-80 loads of logs a day. The mill is basically self-sufficient using bark and offcuts to produce its power requirements.

Margriet Theron thanked Tim

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Club Meetings

Mondays at 12.30 pm (except public holidays)

Rotorua Golf Club,

399 Fenton Street,

Rotorua.

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www.rotaryrotorua.org.nz

Looking Forward

October	Club Meeting Chair: Fergus Cumming
28	NO MEETING = LABOUR DAY
November	Club Meeting Chair: Mark Gould
1	Rotorua Hospital Chaplaincy Trust Breakfast @ 7am Tickets available from: Rotorua Hospital Chaplaincy Department – 349 7853 or Third Place Café – 349 4852
1	Kumara Planting @ Te Puea Orchard @ 09:00
4	Andrew Simmonds – Everything you wanted to know about tyres
11	Elizabeth Wright – Interplast operating in Myanmar

Club Speaker – Barry Lane

Barry spoke of their recent trip through Central and Eastern Europe by train, commenting on the flat rolling country that they traversed. The country areas seem to have few animal farming in operation but crops such as maize and sunflower predominantly. Their farming operations are supported by heavy subsidies from the European Union to help keep the rural population on their land.

Chair Fergus had a parting thought something to do with tissues I recall, perhaps that was all it was!

Birthday Wishes

November 01 Russel Dale

November 03 Bryce Dunn

Political Pearls:

“A planning enquiry is absolutely independent. There can be no question of putting political pressure on the government planning inspector.

On the other hand, a meeting to put the enquiry in the right perspective and explain the background to facilitate an informal appreciation of the issues and implications – that is perfectly proper. And if he is hoping for promotion, that should do the trick”

Sir Humphrey Appleby K.C.B (Secretary of the Cabinet)

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