



Rotary Club of Rotorua

MONDAY 15 JUNE 2020

ZOOM ZOOM ZOOM MEETING

	15 June	22 June
Host	Martin Kinder	Martin Kinder
Guest Speaker	Mark Smith	Glen Murphy
Topic	Photographs of Rotorua	Walking Hadrian's Wall
Introduction	Roger Willard	Peter Spurdle
Thanks	Kierin Irvine	Murray Patchell
Club Speaker	None	None
Quote	Russell Burton	Martin Kinder

PLEASE NOTE

Meeting will commence at 1300 as per Martin's email.

Some changes to duties due to unavailability.

If you know that you are not going to be able to join in a meeting can you please let me know for assigning duties

From Last meeting

Host Martin welcomed members and guests

QUOTE:

Russell D's quote centred around his appreciation of the change applied to us. The most dangerous phrase in the language is "We have always done it this way" "To improve is to change, to be perfect is to change often"

Guest Speaker

Fergus introduced Margriet and included some points we may not have known. Margriet as President of the Multicultural Council was aware of the difficulties that some immigrants might be having sourcing suitable food and in February a project was outlined which got derailed with the advent of Covid-19.

However, with a grant from the Ministry of Social Development and some support from clubs, grants, and individuals more than \$21k was raised. There were also donations of food and time, especially in sorting, storing and delivering the 260 food parcels.

Contents were chosen to respect the regular eating habits of the recipients, and some money was left which will enable the service or one like it carry on. The notes of thanks verified that it was a popular and useful project.

Ann Nicolas thanked Margriet after she answered several questions

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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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BUDDY BULLETIN

Robyn Murphy: "My buddy through lockdown was Janice Scott who is a keen supporter of our club and attends many of our special meetings. I was helping Janice with her shopping and plenty of chats on her front driveway (at a safe distance of course). She would have loved to have been able to share her garden with me since the club had been in and helped get it tidied some time back. Janice was very generous leaving a share of her lock-down baking for me as well as a jigsaw puzzle now and then to keep me busy! With no family living locally she was thrilled to be included in our Club's buddy programme. Robyn"

Janice was unavailable to comment!!!! Maybe later

Birthdays

None

Political Gems

"Almost anything can be attacked as a failure, but almost anything can be defended as not a significant failure. Politicians do not appreciate the significance of significant."

"Why should we close a hospital because it has no patients? We don't disband the Army just because there isn't a war"

Sir Humphrey Appleby K.C.B – Secretary of the Cabinet

WORD OF THE DAY:

Eolian: means borne, deposited, produced, or eroded by the wind

Stiction: means what?

NOTICES

Robyn advised that the new "team" was to have a strategy meeting to discuss, among other things, start-up meetings and other topical issues for the future.

MOH COVID tracer app: So much for the app, I have tried it so far in two premises and both times I got the message "Invalid Code" I find Google does a fair job of monitoring where I have been, which may or may not be a good thing.

June is Rotary Fellowship Month

