



Rotary Club of Canterbury

President: Harry Cragg

President Elect: Robert Boyd-Howell

Programme for October 2011

- 4th Tuesday Lunch meeting at the Cricket Ground, 12.30–1pm
Business Meeting – Accounts and Pentangular 2012
Stewards: Jake Davies and Gill Dixon
- 11th Tuesday Evening meeting at the Cricket Ground, 7-7.30pm
Speaker: Paul Marsh – Prison Visiting
Host: Brian Dobinson
Stewards: Brian Dobinson and Rosemary Doyle
- 18th Tuesday Lunch meeting at the Cricket Ground, 12.30 - 1pm
Speaker: Chris Gay – Monitoring Elections in Exotic Places
Host: Tim Brett
Stewards: Georges Dussart and Alan Forrest
- 25th Tuesday Lunch meeting at the Cricket Ground, 12.30-1pm
Speaker: Colette O'Connor – Millennium Scholar
Host: Leslie Stephenson
Stewards: Geoff Goodban and John Harris
- 28-30th *District Conference at Bournemouth – Contact Colin McKone for details*

Future dates

- 1st November Business meeting with prospective members – see over for details
- 8th November Guest night at the Dominican Priory – Canterbury since 1920 by Derek Butler. Contact Roger Power for bookings

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3rd December

Christmas Dinner at Darwin College – speaker: the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr Rowan Williams

Rotary News

Club Website

A reminder – particularly for those who do not use the website regularly – on how to access Canterbury Rotary Club's website. Your user name is the first four letters of your surname followed by the first letter of your first name eg John Smith would be smitj. Your password is your date of birth in six figures, e.g. 020937 for 2nd Sept 1937. Do use the website – it is full of useful information about Club activities and great pictures of events.

Prospective Members' Lunch

The Business Meeting on 1st November is being arranged as an opportunity for members to bring along people who might be interested in joining our Rotary Club. Think about friends, business colleagues, acquaintances, and invite someone along to see what Canterbury Rotary Club does.

Pentangular Meeting, Canterbury, 11th-13th May 2012

Our partners in the Pentangular Group – Leuven, Leiden, St Quentin and Lüdenscheid – will be joining us in Canterbury for the weekend of 11th-13th May next year. President Harry chairs a committee which is currently working on the programme for that weekend. Guests will arrive on the Friday afternoon and be registered at the Holiday Inn Express, Harbledown, and then either stay at the hotel or go home with their host families. Dinners will be held at members' homes. On Saturday, visits are being arranged to new and renovated sites in Canterbury, such as the Marlowe Theatre and City Gaol, followed by a light lunch at Augustine House, Canterbury Christ Church University. The afternoon will be free, with options such as boat trips on the Stour and evensong at the Cathedral recommended. There will be a dinner and barn dance in the evening at Brett's Barn, by kind permission of Bill Brett. Sunday morning activities include a church service at Dover Castle, or a walk in that area, followed by lunch at the Ramada Hotel, Whitfield.

Please put the dates in your diary now and think about how you can contribute to the success of the weekend. All members pay an annual levy towards the cost of the weekend, so join in!