

ROTARY CLUB OF CANTERBURY

CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE MINUTES
WEDNESDAY 19 AUGUST 2015 AT 6.30 P.M.
KENT AND CANTERBURY CLUB

1. Attendance and apologies

Attendance: MW (Chair), KB, RD, SJ, DL

Apologies: AF, AS, PW

2. Minutes of the meeting of 27 July 2015

The minutes of the meeting held on 27 July were agreed.

3. Matters arising not dealt with elsewhere on the agenda

None

4. Current issues:

a. Registrar issues

Club attendances were : June 51.66%; July 56.25%. An analysis of individual attendances Jan. - June showed that 41 members (64%) had attendances of above 50%. 5 of the 23 others were excused attendance, and the rest had known work, health or other reasons.

b. Dining - Sharon Jordan

The event management system was working, though a few members arrived unbooked, or did not come though booked. A review of dining administration was needed. Three members had not settled their dining accounts from previous period. SJ said RP would chase again. **Action:** MW to raise dining etiquette and non-settlement of dining accounts at Club Council

c. Newsletter – Rosemary Doyle

The September issue had been drafted.

Dates for the diary

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| 23 – 30 August | Mini Group Study Exchange in St. Quentin. Organisation by Alastair Scott |
| 1 September | Business meeting attended by District Governor Nominee Peter West. |
| 29 September | Black tie dinner – at Manston |
| 02-04 October | Visit to St Quentin |
| 23-25 October | District Conference at Bournemouth |
| 12 December | Christmas Dinner at Darwin College |
| ??26 th September | Is Know Your Blood Pressure Day taking place? |

Other dates are on the club website

d. Membership & Mentoring – Peter Hodge

No report

e. Speakers programme – Peter Wales

The programme is set for the next month with a number of potential speakers in the wings for subsequent months.

| Date | Speaker | Subject | Host |
|--------------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|
| 25 August | Michael Leadbeater | My Job Talk | |
| 8 September (Evening) | Hannah? | Millennium Scholar | Leslie Stephenson |
| 13 October | Paddy Langdown | Experiences as pilot of Vulcan bombers between 1963 & 1976 | ?? |

f. Archivist issues – Alan Forrest

No report

g. Dining & Entertainment – Sharon Jordan

No report

h. Stewards programme – Sharron Jordan

Details had been circulated

i. Safety issues and child protection – Jacquie Bartlett

No report

j. Almoner issues – David Lewis

Cards had been printed and signed by the President. These can be sent to members who are those ill or require support. Information was needed about members' absences so that contact could be made. Also information required about 'Special Birthdays'. Club Secretary has these and he is requested to pass them on to DL. **Action:** MW to raise issue of club etiquette regarding requests for Leave of Absence.

k. Foundation

Africa has been Polio free for a year

5. AOB

None

6. Date of next meeting

Wednesday 16th September