

ROTARY CLUB OF CANTERBURY

MINUTES OF THE CLUB SERVICE COMMITTEE HELD ON 30 JULY 2014 AT THE KENT AND CANTERBURY CLUB

Present : PH (Chairman), KB, AF, PFH.

Apologies : RD, DL.

1. Minutes. The minutes of the meeting held on 18 June were agreed.
2. Role of the committee. A paper prepared by the Chairman was discussed. Among the points made in response to the questions listed were : the need to check with other committees what they expected from Club Service; applicants for membership should be better mentored; a President's Weekend would foster fellowship; a calendar of events would be useful; the need for an Assistant Secretary; members who attended only evening meetings because of their work could be more involved in club activities if asked to do specific things. It was agreed that a statement from seven years ago about issues then confronting the club be circulated as a contribution to further discussion at the September meeting.
3. Registrar. Club attendance for June was 58.95%. An analysis of individual attendances for Jan. - June showed that 36 members achieved over 50 %. Of the others 8 were excused attendance, 3 had leave of absence, and 7 had attendances of over 40 %. Others had known work or other commitments.
4. Newsletter. The August issue was received.
5. Archivist. A talk could be given on the history of the club.
6. Almoner. DL would develop this role, to emphasise attention to welfare as well as sickness.
7. Next meeting : 17 September.