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# **Newsletter - October 2018**

### **Programme for October 2018:**

Date	Details	Venue	Speaker	Stewards
2/10/18 (Tuesday)	Community Service	Kent County	-	-
	Committee 11.30	Cricket Club		
	Lunch Business	Kent County	-	John Harris &
	Meeting	Cricket Club		David Lewis
	12:30			
F 5/10/18 – S 6/10/18	St Quentin visit	-	-	-
9/10/18 (Tuesday)	Intl Committee	Kent County	-	-
	18.00	Cricket Club		
	Evening Meeting	Kent County	Ralph Hoult OBE: "Ramsgate and its	Caroline Lees and
	19:00	Cricket Club	Royal Harbour"	Tony Loughran
16/10/18 (Tuesday)	Lunch Meeting	Kent County	Jan Pahl (President, Canterbury	Peer Le Fleming
	12:30	Cricket Club	Society): "What vision for the future	and Michael
			of Canterbury?"	Leadbeater
23/10/18 (Tuesday)	Vocational	Kent County		
	Committee 11.30	Cricket Club		
	Lunch Meeting	Kent County	Alexandra Madgwick; "The	Marjory Lyle and
	12:30	Cricket Club	Canterbury Voice"	Mary McGeary
	Club Council	K&C Club	-	
	18:00			
30/10/18 (Tuesday)	Guest evening –	Kent County	-	Sharon Jordan
	Autumn quiz night	Cricket Club		and Geoff
				Goodban

TBC – to be confirmed. Note that the next Club Service Meeting will be held on 20 November 2018.

**Please note:** if you have not received an email advising you of the date(s) of when you are required to be a steward, then check the website programme as this now give details of stewards for the next few meetings. If you cannot do a date that you have been assigned, it is your responsibility to find a substitute. **You are also required to advise Sharon Jordan (Temporary Dining Secretary), Martin Ward (Webmaster) and Julie Reza (PR & Newsletter) of the changes.** 

## Also coming up:

- St Quentin visit: 6-7 October 2018 (Canterbury hosting)
- (Rotary Radio UK launch: 13 October 2018)
- (Foundation Day: 23 November 2018/Be The Inspiration: 24-25 November 2018)
- (Rotary Intl Convention, Hamburg, Germany: 1-5 June 2019)

## Autumn quiz night: 30 October

Lookout for the email from Sharon, coming soon.

## **Boxing event**

Look out for the email from Fundraising, coming soon.

## Duck Race 2018/Rotary District Conference 2018/'Engage'

Given various issues, all-in-all a very successful <u>Duck Race</u>, raising over £6000 (TBC). Huge thanks to all involved. President Margaret has handed over the prizes: all three winners seemed very deserving but have requested anonymity. Also see <u>story</u> about District Conference,

### **Waitrose Community Matters**

We were awarded £190. Awaiting cheque handover TO us! Thanks to all those posting green tokens.

## **RIBI Committee and Team Positions**

See bulk mail dated 21 Sept. Deadline: Midnight, Wednesday 24th October 2018.

## President Sharons's charities 2017-18.

The two Charities were S.C.A.T (Skeletal Cancer Action Trust) and The Kent, Surrey & Sussex Air Ambulance. A cheque is going out soon so then each charity will have received a total of £1,635.56.

## **Rotary 100 Club**

The next draw is due to take place during the business meeting on 2 October. Contact **Graham Bough** if you or your spouse wish to join.

#### Sailor Ted

Ted starts again on the 1st of October 2018. Please contact **Tony Pomeroy** if you have queries.

#### **Book club**

Notes of the Sept meeting will be posted in our member's area soon. Next meeting: 8 November. Please contact Brian Dobinson for more details.

## **Attendance stats**

July 52.98%; August 56.49%. Many thanks to **Ken Beere** for this information.

## New articles (<a href="http://www.rotarycanterbury.org.uk/canterbury-rotary-news/">http://www.rotarycanterbury.org.uk/canterbury-rotary-news/</a>)

Stories posted or to be posted on the website: Speakers (Rosie Turner, Charles Marshall, Mavis Hyde); projects we're supporting or have supported with time/donations (Children on the Edge [Rohingya]/Chaaria Hospital, Kent MS Therapy Centre, Tesco Cancer Charity/Wishing Well, Quern's community Centre), District Conference [Engage) and visit to Malling Abbey...plus several duck race-related stories. With special thanks to Brian Dobinson, Richard Kemble-Cook and Alan Forrest and others who have helped contribute. Please remember to tell **Julie Reza** about events, activities, visits or newsworthy stories.

#### Reminders

- Any member planning to be away for more than three weeks should apply to the Secretary
  (Robert Boyd-Howell) for Leave of Absence or to be excused from attendance as appropriate.
- Please contact:
  - Sharon Jordan (Temporary Dining Secretary) for any issues to do with dining and stewards.
  - Alan Forrest (Speaker's Secretary) with suggestions for interesting speakers.
  - o Martin Ward (Webmaster) for web/EMS issues.
  - Julie Reza (PR & Newsletter) with relevant news and articles.
  - o David Lewis (Almoner/Health report) if a Rotarian or a member of his/her family is ill.