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Movie Evening

Ross Egan has done it again. He has assembled a large group of friends and members who attended the showing of The Girl Who Kicked The Hornets Nest.

This was a fun raising evening and it was announced the proceeds are going to Polio Plus.



Meeting Apology

Please use the club website before 3pmon meeting day to apologise or add a guest or you will be required to reimburse the club for your meal cost.

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Rotary NZ Hosting Rugby World Cup.

Rotary NZ home hosting for the Rugby World Cup.

Hi Geoff, Secretary of the Rotary Club of Ku-Ring-Gai

With 175 days to go to the start of the start of the 2011 Rugby World Cup we want to remind you of the wonderful opportunity New Zealand Rotarians are extending to their fellow Rotarians who are planning to visit for this great event.

Rather than stay in commercial accommodation, why not stay with New Zealand Rotarians and experience true kiwi hospitality? Bed and breakfast for NZ\$150 (which includes the donation to polio plus) is a real bargain but more importantly it's a way to "bridge continents". You'll make life-time friends and get a real sense of New Zealand.

Bookings are coming in steadily but we have plenty of hosts available in all venues. And we can even find hosts in locations other than game venues if you want to go somewhere else between games.

Have a look at the web-site www.rotarynzrugbyhosting.co.nz and see how easy it is take advantage of combining some great games with the chance to meet some new Rotary friends.

If you have been thinking about the trip of a lifetime, now is the time to act. More tickets are being released, New Zealand Rotarians are keen to open their homes to Rotarian visitors and this is the opportunity to have the trip of a lifetime and support our charity.

You will be aware that the Christchurch earthquake has caused **RNZ 2011 Tournament Owner, Rugby World Cup Limited, the New Zealand Government and the New Zealand Rugby Union, to assess to critical Tournament facilities and services in Christchurch . These include Stadium Christchurch itself, accommodation, training facilities, the transport network and other key infrastructure. In the event that this review causes one or more matches to be rescheduled, or staged at a different venue, Rotary hosting bookings in Christchurch can be either changed to another venue or refunded. We will do what it takes to ensure visiting Rotarians enjoy their time in New Zealand, no matter what.**

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Rotary Foundation Thought for The Week

33) This week's Rotary Foundation Thought is about a Rotary World Peace Fellow at work on the frontlines.

Izabela Pereira, a 2007 graduate of the Rotary Centre for International Studies at Universidad del Salvador in Argentina, helped monitor Nicaragua's 2008 election as part of an Organisation of American States (OAS) mission to the country. Izabela says her experience as a Rotary World Peace Fellow and an OAS observer gave her a firsthand understanding of how democracy is being promoted and strengthened in Nicaragua. She has also conducted field-work in Senegal and Cote d'Ivoire for the United Nations Development Fund for Women.

Izabela is one of 110 annually, Rotary World Peace Fellows who have received the training and field experience necessary to work for lasting peace and stability throughout the world.

Rotary Acronyms

Membership Identification Card	Used by member to verify current membership (CD3-420-EN) - Issued by Club Secretary upon payment of annual dues Shows expiry date of year end
MOP	Manual of Procedure - A reference manual for Rotary Leaders updated each 3 years Contains policies & procedures for club and RI administration
MUNA	Model United Nations Assembly - An international youth project that simulates the workings of the United Nations Usually held annually for 2 days in March

Apologies & Guests

Members are booked in to attend every regular meeting of the Club, if you cannot attend a meeting or wish to book in a guest / partner please access the WEB at <http://www.kuringgairotary.org.au> before **3.00pm** on the day of the meeting. An apology for future meetings may also be entered. If you do not apologise for non-attendance the Club must pay for your meal and you will be asked to reimburse the Club.

Guest Speakers

See club website: "Member Forum - Events" for whole year listing of events

21 Mar	Chris Walsh—Fibre Optic research Sydney University
28 Mar	Irene Kennedy—History of Dentistry
4 April	Bob Ivey—Three Gorges Dam
11 April	Pride of Workmanship
16 Apr	Francis Lavally - President of the Rotary Club of Bo in Sierra Leone
25 Apr	Anzac Day / Easter Monday - no meeting
13 Jun	Queen's Birthday holiday—no meeting
Mon 27 Jun	Changeover Dinner, Rotary Club of Ku-ring-gai
19 Sep	District Governor's visit

Market roster

Time	10 Apr
Banners	White, Frank
Signs	Timms, Graham Hungerford, Geoff
Morning Set up	White, Frank Thompson, John
0800 – 1030	Newling, Greg Newling, Joy
1030 – 1300	Houghton, Judy Midlam, Michael
1300 – 1530	Kipps, Peter Tang, Peter

MARKET DUTIES: You must initiate changes & advise Geoff Hungerford. Third Shift returns signs & bins to St George Bank

Door team

Duty	March	April	May	June
Greeter	Geoff Hungerford	Eleanor Filewood	John Aitken	Emyr Evans
Team	Frank White	Michael Midlam	Bala Krishnan	Rebecca Fletcher
Team	John Thompson	Joy Newling	Greg Newling	Geoff Hungerford

NOTE: The door team is responsible for welcoming visitors and guests, recording payments and issuing copies of the record to the President, Secretary and Bulletin Editor. Please arrange your own replacement.

Happy days February 2011

Birthdays		Anniversaries	
FORSYTHE Patricia	1-Mar	DRAKE Scott Jaquiline	4-Mar
CRIBB Joyce	2-Mar	MITCHELL Adele Ross Goodman	4-Mar
DRAKE Jaquiline	5-Mar	HOCH Chris Amanda	6-Mar
FORSYTHE David	7-Mar	THOMPSON John Sue	10-Mar
THOMPSON Sue	18-Mar	LeCOMPTE Petra Lindsay	14-Mar
		FISHER Frank Patricia	15-Mar
		KRISHNAN Bala Dilshad	17-Mar
		IVEY Bob Gwen	24-Mar