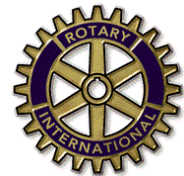




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Changeover

It was a clear but cold winter evening on 3rd July 2010 as formally attired Rotarians and their captivating partners together with invited guests met at the South of Perth Yacht Club to enjoy the annual Changeover formalities. After pleasant pre-dinner refreshments, diners joined President Bob and Kay Phipps along with PE Sam and Amal Youssef for dinner in the Ward Room restaurant.

MC Geoff Herron opened the meeting with words of welcome and some brief comments before formally introducing Pres Bob who gave a warm welcome and expressed his appreciation to everyone for attending this special occasion and wished all a very enjoyable evening. Pres Bob recited the Rotary Charge and Kay was invited to say Grace. Pres Bob warmly welcomed Kathy King wife of our much loved 'almost charter member' Jim King who has sadly departed but never forgotten,



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Pat Morris AM former member and president, Chris Tallentire MLA, Ed and Anne Sumit president of the Rotary Club of Kwinana and Mr Hans Djajamihardja principal of Langford Islamic College. We also had the pleasure of Pres Bob and Kay's daughter, Celryn along with Natasha Youssef, Mohammad Ayshan, Reayan Youssef and Aicha Youssef. It was a delight to have former members Vic and Rita Millar as well as Ken and Kay Pascoe be part of the celebrations.

After the Entrée PP Ron Mildenhall spoke of Rotary activities and achievements inviting a toast to Rotary International. PDG Brian Guest responded to the toast with his generous remarks. We then had the pleasure of PP Neal Edwards proposing a toast to the Partners and expressing the gratitude of Rotarians for their wonderful fundraising, the causes they support, as well as their encouragement to the Club. Kay Phipps responded expressing her thanks and spoke of the work done and the wonderful assistance she had received from Jill Mildenhall and Amal Youssef. Kay presented a gift of appreciation to Amal and Jill although Ron was a poor substitute for Jill as she was a little unwell on the night.

Pres Bob took the podium and spoke of members and friends unable to attend this evening. He spoke of Keith who will defeat his illness with his great courage, determination and an ounce of medical help, of members who are travelling or otherwise engaged and especially of our dear and sadly departed members, former members and partners. Pres Bob proposed a toast to our absent friends.

After everyone had enjoyed the main course Pres Bob assisted by Secretary Joe presented 100% Attendance Certificates. Pres Bob went on to make a personal presentation to each member of a paperweight plaque to commemorate the passing of District 9470 and the beginning of our new District 9465.

Pres Bob invited the Chocolate Wheel super sales lady, Aicha Youssef, to come forward where Bob made a special presentation to Aicha of a plaque expressing the Club's appreciation for a job very well done indeed.



Aicha and President Bob

MC Geoff invited Sheila Byl to address the gathering where Sheila made a cheque presentation for the funds raised from sale of the Entertainment Books. A wonderful result illustrating the fine work being done by the Partners Committee. MC Geoff then had the pleasure of inviting Acting Sergeant Ron to the podium. Sergeant Keith is unwell at the moment and was not able to be present to exact his normal revenge on miscreants. Our thoughts are with Keith and everyone wishes him a speedy recovery.

Acting Sergeant Ron took to the job with a vengeance and we all paid dearly before Ron passed over the Sergeant's sash and responsibility for the 2010-11 year to Sergeant Joe. Clearly, Joe is not a softy as he was out of the blocks with fines as soon as the sash draped his shoulder.

After the dessert was cleared Pres Bob addressed the Rotarians, partners and guests and spoke of his year as president, of the activities, the events and the many achievements of the Rotary Club of Kenwick during the 2009-10 year.

Pres Bob then conducted the formalities to effect the changeover to the new President and Club office bearers for the 2010-11 Rotary year.

After the appropriate words and exchange of the Chains of Office and official Club Charter, all the Rotarians, their partners and guests warmly welcomed President Sam Youssef and his wife Amal.

President Sam expressed his gratitude for the great work of PP Bob and presented Bob with a Paul Harris Fellow Recognition in appreciation.



PP Bob and President Sam

President Sam spoke kindly of his mentor the late Jim King, and went on to express his vision for the coming Rotary year. He then introduced his Directors and office bearers for 2010-11.

The evening's formalities were concluded after which the Rotarians, their partners and guests remained to enjoy fellowship.

Club Duties	
July 7	
Attendance	Murray
Chair	Sam
Host	Mark
Property	Andrew Roy

Program
July 7 TBA
July 14 Budget
July 21 Greyhounds-RC Gosnells

Celebrations

Birthday

Amal Youssef July 5

Chocolate Wheel Roster

Saturday July 10 Bob, Geoff, George, Neal, Sam
Saturday July 26 Ron, Keith, Murray, Roy,
Saturday August 14 Wendy, Brian, Ken, Peter, Andrew, Joe

After Thought

My message is the practice of compassion, love and kindness. Compassion can be put into practice if one recognises the fact that every human being is a member of humanity and the human family, regardless of differences in religion, culture, colour and creed. Deep down there is no difference.

Dalai Lama