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club bulletin

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rotary club of Locks Heath / district 1110

Jun / Jul	Duty Rota	Speaker
Jun 2 -	Zoom Meeting	
Jun 16 -	Zoom Meeting	
Jun 30 -	Zoom Meeting	Handover
Jul 7 -	TBC	
Jul 21 -	TBC	

Forthcoming Events,

Jun 16 – Club Assembly. Via Zoom
 Jun 27 – District Council. TBC
 Jul 19 – Jazz at the Vineyard.
 Postponed until Sunday 18th July 2021

Birthdays this Month. Happy Birthday to: -
 There are none this month.

TBC – To be confirmed

May Review

We have continued to hold our Zoom Club meetings every two weeks and they are turning out to be very well attended. Only two members were unable to attend the 5 May meeting continuing our very high attendance record on Zoom!

On Tuesday 19 May we held our Annual General Meeting via Zoom, another first. We have a full Council elected for next year to support John Murray, though it does look as if his Handover may well be ‘virtual’ one now!

It is good to see others in these meetings and perhaps we will have to look at how we use the facility of Zoom or similar software in the future to embrace the new ‘Normal’.

Locks Heath Rotary working with ‘Team Scrubbers’ delivering scrubs to local hospitals

Monthly Update:

On Friday 22nd May over **5,000 sets** have now been delivered including a total of over 1100 to University Hospital Southampton (UHS).

On 1st May in just one day they delivered 30 more sets to the Holiday Inn Hospital in Southampton, 50 sets to The Rowans – (See picture) - this was where our £500 went to buy the material, 263 to UHS, and smaller numbers to various other small organisations. 36 sets to The Willow Group. Hence in less that 24hrs delivered nearly 400 sets of scrubs.

In the few days up to 14th May they also supplied around 100 scrub sets to QA; the Hospital at Jurys Inn 90 sets; Bosmere Doctors Surgeries 100 sets with more to come; Peartree Doctors 14 sets, Hedge End Doctors 14 sets; Rowner Doctors 20 sets; Countess Mountbatten Hospice 30 sets; Sultan Ward Gosport War Memorial 28 sets; Village Surgery Cowplain and Grange Doctors 10 sets; Fareham Surgery 10 sets and 10 more ordered;



The fruits of the £500 donation we, Locks Heath Rotary, made to Team Scrubbers that funded the material for these scrub sets delivered to The Rowans. Thank you letter below.

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 Registered Charity Number: 299731

I am writing to thank you and 'Team Scrubbers' so much for the donation of scrubs for all the clinical team on the ward and within Hospice at Home. I can't thank you enough! As well as being functional and keeping staff safe they are also really colourful which is lovely and helps to keep everyone just a bit more cheerful during this difficult situation that we are all experiencing!

Thank you so much.

With very best wishes

pp Karen Brickell
 Ward Manager

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At the end of April the local organiser, Lin, asked us if we could find some similar help in the Hayling Island and Chandlers Ford areas. We were successful in getting the Rotary Club of Havant to pick up the Hayling Island hub and the Chandlers Ford & Itchen club picked up the Chandlers Ford hub. A week later Lin asked if we could find someone to help in the Hedge End/Bursledon areas and the Rotary Club of Hedge End picked up that hub and we have just been asked if we can find help in the Portsmouth area. The Rotary Club of Cosham have taken the lead to pick this up and they are likely to be supported by Portsmouth North and Portsmouth and Southsea Rotary Clubs.

Rotary is really helping the community out with this activity in the area.

Chris Evans had delivered last week £5,000 worth of material for Team Scrubbers. This was a total surprise to Lin and her team. I think he just rang up and said the lorry is on its way. Funded by Chris and other stars through his radio show, I believe. We were then involved in helping distribute this material around the sewing team.

There are now 6 Locks Heath Rotarians and one other lady delivering for Team Scrubbers.

Well done to all those people.

Pumpkin Festival

A decision is expected to be made at the end of June by the Jubilee Sailing Trust on whether this years Pumpkin Festival will go ahead. There is a view at the moment that it will be cancelled.

Staying in Touch with Rotarians

Having started the Zoom meetings on what should have been our Rotary Meeting night the fortnightly telephone calls to members have now moved to the Tuesday in the week between meetings. The scheduled dates for June are Tuesday 9th and 23rd.

Next Zoom Meetings

The Zoom Meetings currently planned for June are:-

Tuesday 2nd June

Tuesday 16th June - This is our Club Assembly when we hear what is planned for next year, have an opportunity to ask next years President about the plans and endorse them.

Tuesday 30th June - This is Handover from President John Selby, our 4th President this year, to President John Murray who will be President for the whole of the 2020 - 2021 Rotary year until the end of June 2021.

Please do stay safe and keep well.

The Last Word:

Be sincere. Be brief. Be seated. *Franklin D. Roosevelt*

The Editor is always grateful for any interesting articles for the Bulletin.