

ROTARY CLUB OF BELFAST KAIAPOI(INC)

District 9970 (est. Belfast 8th April 1969; merged with Kaiapoi 1st July 2011)

Postal Address: PO Box 76115 Northwood Christchurch 8548 New Zealand

Meets: Tuesday 5.45pm for 6.15pm at Restaurant of

Belfast Sports & Community Centre Club Rooms, Sheldon Park, 18 March Place PO Box 76115, Northwood; Christchurch 8548

Weekly Bulletin

Tuesday 2nd November 2021

Les McFadden QSM Bulletin Editor

Number 2621

Upcoming Programmes

| Date | Speaker | Host | Vote of Thanks | Duty Team |
|---------------------------|---|--------------|----------------|------------------|
| 9 th November | Hannay Baker " Brain Collective" | Edward Clark | Laurence Trott | Vocational |
| 10 th November | Visit Suttons & Durraloy Gears | | | |
| 16 th November | CLUB NIGHT : Directors | | | International |
| 23 rd November | meeting: Alan & Dilys Hardys John Collins or Alan Hardy | | | Youth |

Duty Team: Tuesday 9th November 2021: Graham Robertson's Vocational Team

<u>Reception</u>: Nigel Duffell & <u>Cash & Badges</u>: Maury Combe

Team: John Collins, Bill Allison, Norman Clark, Phil Jones, John McCaul

BAR DUTY: Edward Clark (November)

Note Duty Team that Guest Speaker MAY require Projector, Screen & our Laptop set up

COULD THE DUTY TEAM MAKE SURE THE TABLES ARE SPACED CORRECTLY

If you are allocated a duty or are unable to attend

PLEASE ARRANGE A SUBSTITUTE & APOLOGISE to Your Chairman & to: MURRAY McIVER

Mobile: 0274326156 NO Landline

Email: jandm.nustart@xtra.co.nz By 5pm MONDAY

Attendance 28 : Tuesday 2nd November 2021

Members Roll: 35: 27 Members, 1 Guest Speaker Ellie Le Gros: Silent: 2

Raffle Draw: Laurie Richards

Birthdays: Tosca Roscoe (6th Nov),

Wedding Anniversary: Maury & Val Combe 7th Nov)

Years in Rotary (In our Club): Merv Wells 23 years (27th October), Edward Clark 31 years (13th November)



Andrew welcomed everyone here tonight and special welcome to our guest speaker Ellie Le Gros from Big Brothers Big Sisters North Canterbury. Andrew also reminded members to read Ken Booth's Friday News and he also mentioned the New Horizons Rotary Clubs "Duck Race" & Cheese Rolls. He also

mentioned he would like any members who would like to be involved in helping create of our own club website to contact him and would like to join him at his home this Thursday Morning as he was meeting with the young St Bedes pupil who will set it up for us. Norman Clark gave a Book written by his grandson to Andrew to show members and anyone like to purchase a copy let Norman know cost is \$22.

MEMBERS REPORTS

<u>Les McFadden</u> reported that he and John Henderson collected for "Pink Ribbon" Breast Cancer last Friday 29th October at New World Northwood Photo below left Les & John with Helen McCaul is Coordinator for Breast Cancer for this area. also Photo on right is a screenshot of the Thanks from Breast Cancer NZ which John and myself featuring in their National Thank You message photo top right.



The entire team at Breast Cancer Foundation NZ



<u>Graham Robertson</u> reported that the prize giving ceremonies of the eight schools where the club presents various awards are at risk of being cancelled due to Covid restrictions. The schools will make decisions closer to the time. In the meantime Graham took names of volunteers to make the presentations should these events take place at short notice.



He reminded members that the vocational visits to Sutton Tools and Duralloy Gears will take place next Wednesday, 10th, starting at 10.30am at Suttons, Dale



St, Kaiapoi. After lunch we will visit Duralloy Gears, 5 Lakes Road (off Johns Rd). Both businesses have very advanced engineering technology. break for lunch in Kaiapoi and move on to Duralloy at 1pm. We expect to finish by 2.30pm. Members should have a face mask handy.



<u>Brian Stead:</u> reported on progress of our Potato crop and the paddock had been harrowed and moulded by Laurence Trott and he had ordered 10,000 x 2kg Cartons. Praying for NO FROSTS!!!

Brian was asked what the likely selling price will



be this year and he said that will depend on what the market is but his committee will be recommending a selling price soon. Photo on

right Potato Paddock as at Wednesday 3rd November 2021



<u>John Henderson</u>: Asking Members for any RYLA Candidates to be held at College House Canterbury University 16-21st January 2022. Usually our club sponsors one or two candidates. John reported that they have interviewed a candidate 23 year old Nurse Samanatha Della and hopefully we can get another

possible candidate so if anyone has someone who they think could fit this age group 18 – 25 years contact John Henderson.



Photo on Left of Leith Falconer, John Henderson, Alan Hardy & Mel Kington assisting the Belfast Community Network yesterday (Tuesday 2nd November) They cooked sausages, and made hot dogs for approx. 150 Belfast School children after their Fun Run around Sheldon Park

Brian Stead reported he has two teams for the Cyistic Fibrotis Golf Tournament.to be held at McLeans Island Golf Course on Sunday 7th November organised by Avonhead Rotary Club,





Bob Bradley reported that unfortunately Amelia Garvey had missed out on qualifying for LPGA in USA but more opportunity earlier next season.

Photo on left Amelia planting a Totara tree in Styx Mill Reserve in June 2020 as our "Young Totara" recipient.

THIS YEARS ROTARY CLUB CHRISTMAS PARTY WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY 7th DECEMBER AT FUNCTION ROOM REDWOOD HOTEL PRESTONS ROAD SO MARK IN YOUR CALENDAR LES

WILL GIVE FURTHER DETAILS IN NEXT COUPLE OF WEEKS RE PRICES ETC AND CALL FOR NUMBERS SO WHEN ADVISING YOUR ATTENDANCE YOU WILL BE ASK TO PAY ON LINE TO TONY COX SO NO DOOR PAYMENTS.





Norman Clark: a Fundraiser for Parish's of Kaiapoi, Ohoka, Clarkville & Eyreton for Christmas Cakes for sale. (See attached Flyers with Bulletin)

Home Baked Orders close 30th November for delivery by 16th December 2021

20cms x 20cms = 8" x 8" : \$40each, 15cms x 15cms = 6' x 6' :

\$23each, 10cmc X 10cms = 4" x 4" : \$10eac

Gluten Free available on request. Contact "Mary: 3278457 or Elaine: 3275552



TONIGHTS GUEST SPEAKER: Chris Fraser as Host introduced **Ellie Le Gros the Manager / Mentor Coordinator of "Big Brothers & Big Sisters" North Canterbury.**Ellie has been there for 4 years before that she was at Glenelg Health Camp.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of North Canterbury est. 2004





Where it all Began

In 1904, a young New York City office clerk named Ernest Coulter observed more and more young boys coming through the courtroom and recognised that caring adults could help many of them to stay out of trouble. At the same time, a group called the Ladies of Charity were befriending girls who had come through the court system. Just a year before Rotary was founded in 1905.

- These two initiatives marked the beginning of what has become an international organisation, operating in 13 countries and serving over 280,000 children in need.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters North Canterbury opened in 2004 and covers all of the Waimakariri and Hurunui district and can supervise up to 55 matches.

<u>Mission</u>: Provide children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported one-to-one relationships that change their lives for the better, forever

- Mentors become like a stake in the ground next to a sapling, providing stability and a listening ear to the young person as they navigate their way through a tumultuous time of life.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters of North Canterbury is a charitable trust. We have a governance board that oversee and give direction. We currently have one full-time worker and two part-timers.
- When someone volunteers with us, we ensure they are fully aware of what it takes to become a
 mentor for Big Brothers Big Sisters. They are police-checked, referees are spoken to, they are
 interviewed and then fully trained.
- Big Brothers Big Sisters North Canterbury organises and hosts four events a year for all matches. Events have included Boy's Day Out, Girls Day Out, a winter event and a Christmas/Summer event.

If you would like to be a MENTOR firstly any of our members can speak to our club member Chris Fraser who is one of the Big Brothers Big Sisters Mentors and they are always looking for Volunteers to be

Phone: (03) 310 7004 Cell: 027 271 3405
Email: ellie@bbbs.nz
Postal: PO Box 780, Rangiora 7440, New Zealand
Web: www.bigbrothersbigsisters.org.nz/local/north-canterbur

of North Canterbury

Mentors you can also contact Ellie her contact details are below. Nigel Duffell gave Vote of Thanks.



Members are reminded that the Rugby Club requires us to do the Covid 19 Check-in on entering the club. If you do not have the Covid App on your mobile phone there is a spreadsheet form to complete at entrance of Clubrooms.

Below Protocols to be observed in Clubrooms during Gov't Level 2

WE ARE NOW BACK IN THE RESTAURANT AS USUAL BUT DUTY TEAM TO WEAR MASKS ON RECEPTION / CASH & BADGES .

- Numbers are limited to 100 people inside
- Use of face masks recommended, although not compulsory if dining and drinking.
- All members must sign in either via the COVID app or manual register at the front door each time a member or visitor comes to the club.
- Hand sanitizer available in clubrooms
- Meals will be delivered to tables by Duty Team wearing masks
- If you are not feeling well or have concerns, please be sensible and apology to Murray McIver



Other Dates to Remember for Your Calendar in 2021

9th November (Tuesday) Hannay Baker "Brain Collective" *Edward Clark Host, Laurence Trott*

10th November (Wednesday): Visit to Suttons Tools in Kaiapoi and Duralloy Gears in Harewood More info to Follow by Vocational Committee.

16th November (Tuesday) CLUB NIGHT Directors Meeting at Alan & Dilys Hardy's home

23rd November (Tuesday): John Collins if available or Alan Hardy if John not available

30th November (Tuesday) : Primary School Speech Competition Finals (7pm) also Last Night at Belfast Clubrooms for 2021

7th December (Tuesday): Xmas Function Venue Function Room at Redwood Hotel Function Room

14th December (Tuesday): Packing Potatoes then Fish n Chip Night at Brian & Dawn Steads Home

21st December (Tuesday) XMAS BREAK

18th January 2022 (Tuesday) Return to Belfast Clubrooms FIRST NIGHT BACK FOR 2022

18th January 2022 (Tuesday) CLUB NIGHT : Directors Meeting at Les & Elaine McFadden's Home

22nd February 2022: Takerei Norton "Projects from the Ngai Tahu Archive" Les McFadden Host & John Marsden VOT