



**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL**  
Association of Great Britain and Ireland  
**ROTARY CLUB OF MELTON MOWBRAY**



## **Minutes from International Committee Meeting 30<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

### **Committee Members Present**

Diana Osborne, Peter Briggs, John Dehnel, Janet Shortland, Alison Blyth.

### **Apologies for Absence**

Joe Carrington, John Redwood

### **Minutes of the Previous Meeting**

The minutes of the meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> November 2016 were approved.

### **Philippines Projects**

The teachers are willing to deliver further computer training in Tacloban this summer. The flight costs could be £1100 each although it was hoped that it would be less depending on the flight schedule and route .We expect to submit a claim to District for reimbursement of part of the cost.

We need to get an updated cost for the installation of water fountains so we can start putting together a grant application for 2017/18.

It now looks as if the balance remaining on the training grant cannot be used to pay for the shipment of books. A refund to District may be required. There are still more books to be shipped.

A project to encourage pupils in Sagkahan Elementary School to be more aware of sanitation, hygiene, nutrition and disease issues has been named the Blyth Project in recognition of support given by Rotary led by Alison.

### **Twinning Link with Warsaw Wilanow**

It was suggested that an invitation to attend our Charter dinner should be sent to the club.

### **Concert by Uppingham School**

It is possible that a concert will take place in December. Uppingham School are not keen to perform on the date booked so Alison is looking into alternative performers.

### **Fundraising For Polio**

Several ideas were put forward:

- Coffee morning
- Lunch, pig roast asking other Rotary Clubs in the vicinity.
- Winter Soup and Pud.

### **Spectacles Collection**

Diana to look into putting the Rotary logo on the box in the Samworth Centre.

### **Any Other Business**

Diana said that she would talk with the Satellite Club about Shelter Box.

### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be on 27<sup>th</sup> February at 2pm at Sysonby Knoll Hotel.