

Rotary Youth Committee

Meeting minutes for 9th February 2016

Members	Ref	Sep	Oct	Nov		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Andrew Leaver	AL		✓	✓		A	A						
Dennis Hurst	DH		✓	✓		✓	✓						
Eric Hall	EH	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓						
Eric Sylt	ES					A							
Heena Dawda	HD												
Jane Horn	JH	✓	✓	A		✓	A						
Jim Green	JG		✓	✓		A	A						
John Adcock	JA		✓	✓									
John Horn	John H	✓	✓	✓		✓	A						
Maggie Saunders	MS		✓	✓		✓	✓						
Mic Hirst	MH		✓			A							
Mike Rowe	MR	✓	✓	A		✓							
Paul Dickinson	PD	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓						
Penny Hancox	PH		✓	✓		A							
Peter Field	PF												
Sheila Aston	SA												
Susan Herlihy	SH												

MINUTE	ACTION
<p><u>Apologies</u></p> <p>Andrew Leaver, Jane & John Horn and Jim Green</p>	
<p>Corrections to Minutes for 12th January 2016</p> <p>RYLA – Tom Asher should read Tom Askew</p> <p>AOB – Liam Weekes has replaced Frazer</p>	
<p><u>Matters Arising</u></p> <p><u>RYLA and The Raynes Trust</u></p> <p>Nothing further to report</p>	
<p><u>Young Chef</u></p> <p>The District competition was held on 6th February 2015 in Leicester. Two local candidates qualified for the competition but one was ill on the day and therefore unable to participate. Sadly, the immediacy of the illness meant we were unable to arrange for another candidate to attend.</p> <p>Emily Dawson from Long Field Academy acquitted herself extremely well but was unable to secure a place in the next round.</p> <p>The view of “our” students and Rotarians was that it was an excellent competition, much enjoyed by the students and should be supported by our group next year.</p> <p>EH had issued a letter of thanks to Luke Holland and his team at Stapleford Park County House Hotel but will follow it up with the results for our students. EH also agreed to issue a letter of thanks to the teachers at Belvoir and Long Field for supporting the competition</p>	EH
<p><u>Youth Speaks</u></p> <p>Catmose College Senior team successful in Semi-final at Stamford on 2nd February.</p> <p>Reasons awaited for the no show of Catmose College’s Intermediate team at Morton New day Church on 19th January.</p>	John H

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District Final to be held at Catmose College on 19 th March	
<p><u>Young Musician</u></p> <p>EH emailed Tony Refugiato and provided him with details in the hope that his wide circle of contacts would generate more applications for the competition. Sadly none were received before the closing date of 12th February.</p> <p>MS confirmed that St Francis will take part. .</p> <p>The semi-final will be held at John Ferneley College on 5th March followed by the District Final on 20th March at Leicester Grammar School</p>	MS PH
<p><u>Young Writer</u></p> <p>MS & MR have delivered details to schools. Contacts with the schools will be followed up in week commencing 21 March with the intention of obtaining firm details.</p>	MS, MR
<p><u>Young Photographer</u></p> <p>ES is still recovering from his recent health issues but had confirmed to MS that he would be contacting the schools to promote the competition. He was confident that this year's competition will take place.</p>	ES
<p><u>Rotary Stars</u></p> <p>DH brought more samples of books for prizes to the meeting and commented on their good value. It was agreed that more books should be given as prizes if the budget allowance remained safe.</p> <p>Confirmation of participating schools will be progressed in the summer term.</p>	DH PH
<p><u>Young Designer</u></p> <p>Arrangements in hand; no problems anticipated</p>	MH
<p><u>RYLA</u></p> <p>Abi has confirmed her wish to participate. MS liaising with Sarah Cox (leader at The Venue) to facilitate Abi's wish.</p> <p>Tom Asher, the 2015 candidate, is reviewing his options and what further courses might be available to him. These will not include returning to RYLA.</p> <p>RYLA Reservations to be issued to District Organiser by 31st March.</p>	MS
<p><u>Warning Zone</u></p> <p>A proposal for MMRC to provide £500 will be put to the club at the next business meeting. When passed, it will allow the Warning Zone's request for £1000 to be satisfied.</p>	EH
<p><u>Interact</u></p> <p>Diana has received an enquiry from Long Field. This is an encouraging development and EH has offered to provide support as required.</p>	EH
<u>Rotary Youth Exchange Camp</u>	

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PD and EH interviewed Connor Tierney with his parents and concluded we should support his application. EH has issued Connor with an application form (soft copy) with a request to return it to him before onward transmission to Mark Deutsch.	EH
<u>A.O.B</u> PD and Humphrey Davis have reviewed the RIBI Protection Policy in relation to Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) and concluded that no special action was required at this time.	PD
<u>Date of Next Meeting</u> : Tuesday 15 th March 2016, 17.00 Quorn Lodge Hotel	