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Περίληψη Συνεστίασης

Δευτέρα 5 Σεπτεμβρίου 2011

Στη Συνεστίαση που πραγματοποιήθηκε στο Ξενοδοχείο Hilton από τις 13:15—14:30 μ.μ. παρευρέθηκαν 14 άτομα, 13 μέλη και 1 προσκεκλημένος του Ομίλου μας.

Η συνεστίαση άρχισε με την προσευχή από τον **Νικόλα Γεωργιάδη**.

Κ<u>αλωσόρισμα</u>

Ο Πρόεδρος του Ομίλου καλωσόρισε τα μέλη και τους ευχαρίστησε για την παρουσία τους στην συνεστίαση. Ο Πρόεδρος καλωσόρισε επίσης τον φιλοξενούμενο του Ομίλου μας κύριο Πέτρο Πετρίδη και του ευχήθηκε όπως σύντομα δραστηριοποιηθεί ως κανονικό μέλος του Ομίλου μας.

Με μεγάλη θλίψη, ο Όμιλος μας αποχαιρέτησε στις 04/09/2011 το μέλος μας Ροταριανό Ανδρέα Σαββίδη. Στην νεκρώσιμη ακολουθία που πραγματοποιήθηκε στην Εκκλησία του Αγίου Παντελεήμονα στην Μακεδονίτισσα, επικήδειο λόγο εκ μέρους του Ομίλου μας διάβασε ο Ροταριανός Τάκης Ταουσιάνης. Ο Επικήδειος επισυνάπτεται στη σελίδα .Ο Πρόεδρος ζήτησε όπως τηρηθεί μονόλεπτη σιγή εις μνήμη του Ροτ. Ανδρέα Σαββίδη ως ελάχιστο φόρο τιμής για την προσφορά του στον Όμιλο.

Ο Πρόεδρος, παρέδωσε στο μέλος του Ομίλου μας, Ροταριανό Σάββα Σαββίδη τιμητικό δίπλωμα για την Ομιλία του περί Φορολογικών Θεμάτων που έγινε τον περασμένο Ιούλιο.

Ανακοινώσεις-Ενημέρωση

Ο Πρόεδρος του Ομίλου ενημέρωσε τα μέλη για την πρόθεση του Συμβουλίου να συγκαλέσει Club Assembly του Ομίλου στην επόμενη συνεστίαση στις 12 Σεπτεμβρίου.

- Rotary Int. President: Kalyan Banerjee
- District Governor: Usamaa Barghouthi

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... Συνεχίζεται

Στη συνάντηση αυτή θα βρίσκονται μαζί μας ο Αναπληρωτής Κυβερνήτης Θέμης Θεμιστοκλέους και η Βοηθός Κυβερνήτης Μαρία Χριστόπουλου. Στην συνεστίαση αυτή θα γίνει ενημέρωση των μελών για τα Περιφερειακά Συνέδρια που θα πραγματοποιηθούν τους επόμενους μήνες. .

Παρουσίαση από Ροτ. Πήτερ Ανδρέου

Κατά την διάρκεια της συνάντησης, το μέλος του Ομίλου μας, Ροταριανός Πήτερ Ανδρέου παρουσίασε εν συντομία τις μεθόδους και τους τρόπους ώστε μία Ροταριανή συνάντηση να καταστεί πιο συναρπαστική. Αυτό θα οδηγήσει σε αύξησης της παρουσίας των μελών και της συμμετοχής.

Μέσα από μια διαδραστική παρουσίαση με διάλογο, συζήτηση, ο Ροτ. Πήτερ Ανδρέου κατέγραψε τις απόψεις των παρευρισκομένων και στη συνέχεια οι εισηγήσεις των μελών τέθηκαν σε ψηφοφορία. Πιο κάτω παρουσιάζονται οι δημοφιλέστερες εισηγήσεις για αύξηση της συμμετοχής των μελών στις συνεστιάσεις:

- 1. Ομιλητές-Επίκαιρα Θέματα
- 2. Αυστηρή Εφαρμογή των Κανονισμών του Διεθνούς Ρόταρυ
- 3. Ανάπτυξη Γνωριμιών και συναδέλφωσης μεταξύ μελών μέσω συχνών συνεστιάσεων σε οικίες μελών ή και σε γνωστά εστιατόρια
- 4. Ενεργή Συμμετοχή όλων των μελών στις δραστηριότητες του Ομίλου.



Reach Within to Embrace Huma



Ο Πρόεδρος, παρέδωσε στον μέλος του Ροταριανό Πήτερ Ανδρέου τιμητικό δίπλωμα για την παρουσίαση και την προσφορά του στον Όμιλο. Με βάση τα αποτελέσματα της συζήτησης και της ψηφοφορίας το Διοικητικό Συμβούλιο του Ομίλου, θα επεξεργαστεί τους τρόπους έτσι ώστε να βοηθήσει τα μέλη να έρχονται στις συνεστιάσεις πιο συχνά (Φωτογραφίες Επισυνάπτονται).

Άλλα Θέματα

Με το τέλος της συνάντησης, είχαμε μια ολιγόλεπτη παρουσίαση από την κα. Κατερίνα Παπαδοπούλου για τους σκοπούς του προληπτικού προγράμματος Αιφνίδιου Θανάτου σε νέους και αθλητές (ACHDAC). Η κ. Παπαδοπούλου ενημέρωσε τα μέλη για το 2° Τουρνουά Καλαθόσφαιρας Εφήβων $1^{\text{ης}}$ Κατηγορίας στις 24-25/09 και 2/10 με τα έσοδα του Τουρνουά να πηγαίνουν για τον πιο πάνω σκοπό.









ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

DISTRICT 2450





3rd Annual Conference



& Assembly





22 - 23 October 2011

From Rotary International

<u>Club in Southern California, USA, focuses on</u> the environment

By Arnold R. Grahl Rotary International News – 2 September 2011

Though it's less than a year old, the Rotary Club of Morro Bay Eco, California, USA, is already making a big impact on its community through projects that are reducing waste and increasing recycling. The club has partnered with an environmental nonprofit agency and the County of San Luis Obispo to compost grass clippings, landscape byproducts, and concession food waste at three public golf courses, turning them into organic fertilizer for the courses. Club members have also taken the "zero-waste" strategy to community events, where they recycle and compost virtually all the trash generated while educating the public about waste reduction. On another project, club members volunteered to plant native species and improve erosion control around a major creek bed. John Weiss, president of the club, said its focus on the environment has helped with recruitment, attracting members who would not have been interested in a more traditional format. "We're appealing to people who are excited about what we are doing," Weiss says. "They are great eco-Rotarians, but they are not people who would join any club. They want to do things, work on projects." The Morro Bay Eco club received its charter on 16 June.

Other eco-clubs

Weiss, a Rotarian for eight years, was tapped last year by Deepa Willingham, 2010-11 governor of District 5240, to serve as the district's club extension chair, with the mission of chartering at least one new club focused on the environment. In his research, Weiss read about two other eco-clubs on the RI website and called Kay Biga, cofounder of the Rotary Club of Duluth Superior Eco, Minnesota, for advice. Biga's club, chartered in November 2008, has 45 members. It attracts many young professionals, including women, with a focus on environmental service projects, flexible late-afternoon meetings, popular social events, and an affordable dues structure. "We schedule at least one, and sometimes two or three, service projects a month," says Biga. "We also have a monthly Fun Foods Night, where one of the club members hosts a dinner at home. This has been a terrific monthly fellow-ship opportunity."

Weiss's club adopted similar ideas, forgoing meals at meetings to keep costs down, emphasizing service projects, and holding only two official meetings a month, limited to one hour. But his club takes a slightly different approach because of its different demographic makeup. "We have members in their 50s and 60s, and some who are retired. It's not just a youth thing," he says. "The common bond is a desire to get in there and actually do hands-on service." Weiss's advice to other clubs includes being sensitive to the desires of prospective members. "The underlying current for all Rotary clubs is Service Above Self," he says. "But how you define service is going to vary for different people. You have to listen and adapt."

Rotarians in other districts also have been expanding Rotary by chartering new clubs:

- The Rotary Club of Juba, South Sudan, chartered in March 2010, recently partnered with the Rotary Club of Bideford Bridge, Devon, England, on a Rotary Foundation Matching Grant project to donate US\$15,000 in anesthesia equipment to a teaching hospital in Juba. The club also supports a local orphanage.
- The Rotary E-Club of District 3170, Goa, India, became one of the newest additions to the e-club fold in April, with 25 charter members. With members from Australia, Bulgaria, Canada, China, India, Malaysia, Norway, South Africa, and the United States, the club meets both online and in person. A recent tree-planting project encouraged members to plant a tree in their neighborhood during the first two weeks of July.
- The Rotary Club of Berlin International, chartered in 2009, is the first club in Germany to target the large international community in the nation's capital. The club, with 31 members from 14 countries, conducts its meetings in English. Among its fundraisers, it organized a campaign in Germany encouraging people to donate in support of polio eradication by texting "POLIO."

For more information:

Learn how to start a new club.

Download the new <u>Be a Vibrant Club: Your Club Leadership Plan</u> to help evaluate your current practices and provide innovative suggestions. Find more resources you can use to <u>develop and sustain membership</u>..



A member of the Rotary Club of Morro Bay Eco in California, USA, sets up a bin used to create compost tea for three public golf courses in San Luis Obispo. The composted food waste, landscape byproducts, and grass clipping are used instead of chemical fertilizers. *Photo courtesy of the Rotary Club of Morro Bay Eco*

Public Relations Plan

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Main target:

To get more citizens aware, especially whose who leave in Nicosia area, about our club, and our activities. What is Rotary, who are the Rotarians, what does Rotary do. Specifically, we should try to overcome and to clarify a misunderstanding and a misperception that runs across a lot of people in Cyprus that Rotary is a kind of a "sect" (heresy). This is a quite negative approach from a lot of people in Cyprus that affects the expansion, the role and the function of our club and our organization in general, especially in Cyprus a country with citizens that have very strong bonds to their religion. Also, we should sick and aim to expose and to promote most of our major activities, through the media (local and national).

Use of media:

In our days the use of media, especially electronic media, is a very powerful, important and effective tool (and vehicle) in order to promote and to inform the public about our organizations and our club's activities. We are listing below some of our initial suggestions regarding the promotion of our club's activities through the media:

- Prepare and send press (news) releases to all media (electronic and printed) regarding our major activities.
- Arrange the participation of our President and/or other Board members to various local radio programs, in order to speak and to explain the role, the function and the importance of our organization and especially our Nicosia-Lefkothea club.
- Inform the media (especially some "key" media

persons and journalists) but also the public, in general, about our official web-side, so they can visit it and get the appropriate information. They could also have a link to our weekly electronic bulletin in order to follow our meeting activities and other general activities and projects of our club.

Events that could be attractive to the media:

We should organize specific events that are attractive both to the media and to the general public.

Such events could be "tea - afternoons", dinners, special "theme" nights, or special nights (parties) at a local night club (such event could be also attractive to younger people). We can also organize special events like a Christmas Gala dinner, a Carnival dance dinner, a Saint Valentine's Day special dinner, an Easter lunch day, out in the fields, with the traditional lamb "suvla", etc. We can invite one or two notable, expert speakers (according to specific subjects and fields) well known Doctor, or a well known media personality, to give a speech thus, organizing an event open to the general public. For all these events and activities we can always collaborate with other local clubs.

Local government officials:

We could arrange meetings of our Board Members with high positioned local government officials in order to inform them about our activities, our efforts to support and to help the society through our charity activities and events and to make them aware about our existence and our function, especially in the district of Nicosia. Such meetings will be largely covered by the media.

2. Anniversary Publication

The club's public relations committee is finishing a glossy publication about the «25 years of Service To The Community» of the Rotary Club of Nicosia-Lefkothea. Research, text and lay out by PP Christodoulos Achilleoudis.

The features of this luxury booklet are the following:-

Foreword
Members of the Board
Founding of the Club
Naming of the Club
Banner of the Club
Founder Members of the Club
The First Board Members 1987-1988 and cards of the Club
Paul Harris Fellows 1987-1988 - 2007-2008
Inner Wheel
Rotaract
Interact
Twinning with Nea Smyrni
Twinning with Sahel Metn
Sponsoring the New Rotary Club Nicosia-Salamis
Presidents of the Club 1987-1988 - 2007-2008
Main Activities 1987-1988 - 2007-2008
Members of the Club 2007-2008
Members of the Club 2007-2008
Members of the Club 2007-2008
Attendance since 20 years
In Memoriam
Objects of Rotary
Declaration of Rotarians in Businesses and Professions

The booklet will be sold to all members and also be distributed to a large number of individuals, head of large corporations, senior civil servants, University community, Chamber of Commerce, Employers Organizations, professional bodies and institutions, etc, with the aim of promoting the Rotary Principles and Ideals

Κανονική Συνάντηση

The 4-Way Test

Τριμηνιαίο Πρόγραμμα Ομίλου

Σεπτέμβριος 2011

- 12^η Club Assembly -Ενημέρωση για το 30 Cyprus Rotary Conference (τέλη Οκτωβρίου 2011) και για το 76 District Conference (17-20 Μάιου 2012 στην Άκαπα)
- 19^η Απογευματινή Συνάντηση στο Occhio Lounge Bar στις 18:45.
- 26^η Τακτική Συνεστίαση Παρουσίαση Πλάνου Ρόταρακτορς 2011-2012.

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10η Κανονική Συνάντηση 14η

Κανονική Συνάντηση

17η Κανονική Συνάντηση 21η Κανονική Συνάντηση

24η Κανονική Συνάντηση 28η Κανονική Συνάντηση

Γενέθλια, Ονομαστικές Γιορτές & Επέτειοι

Γενέθλια Ονομαστικές Γιορτές

Επέτειοι Γάμου

Παύλος Σιμάν (06/09)-Κάτια Πόλυς Μιχαηλίδης (10/09)-Χριστίνα



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