



ROTARY CLUB NICOSIA - ASPELIA



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CLUB BULLETIN No. 30 – Friday 6 April, 2012

AGENDA OF THE NEXT MEETING – April 20, 2012

13.15 Arrivals

13.30 Grace and Lunch

- Apologies for absence
- Introduction of visitors
- President's announcements
- 14.00 Dessert and coffee

14.05 Speech/Presentation: Rtn Friedrich Vogel will speak on "What is consciousness?"

14.25 Raffle

14.30 Close

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF April 6, 2012

Acting Sergeant at Arms: Rtn Christina Hadjiparaskeva.

Grace: The grace was read by Rtn Nairy Merheje.

Apologies for Absence: PP Savvas Omorphos, PP Marianna Trokoudes, IP Eleni Zapiti, Alessio Mugnai, Alexandra Matsis, Pia Ceder, Manfred Lange, Rena Papaioannou, Marina Theodotou and Areti Demosthenous.

Rotarian Visitor: None.

Guests: Mrs. Evy Pantelides.

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Attendance: Meeting average: 28% (14 members attended), annual average 53%.

Communication of apologies: You may forward your apologies at the e-mail address or mobile phone of Sec Loucas Vrionides. *Communication of make ups:* You may forward your make ups at the e-mail address of Rtn Pia Ceder.

President's Announcements

Tomorrow, Saturday 7th April, at 9.00am, our Club's vocational seminar (**So you think you can be an entrepreneur**) will take place at KPMG Nicosia main offices. Members are welcome to attend and support the event.

There will be no meeting next Friday, because of the Easter holiday. P Katerina wished all members and their families a Happy Easter.

On the next meeting, 20th of April, P Katerina will be abroad. IP Eleni Zapiti will preside the meeting and Rtn Friedrich Vogel will speak on "What is Consciousness?"

DGE Kevork Mahdessian's Announcements

DGE Kevork talked about the seminars that took place recently in our district.

In Cyprus, most of the presidents and secretaries were present at the PETS, at the Elias Beach Hotel, in Limassol.

RYLA in Beirut was a great success with 120 participants and PETS with 24 clubs and over 80 Rotarians present.

PETS in Alexandria were attended by around 80 and in Cairo 120 Rotarians.

This year, for the first time, there was a class "How to run a meeting" and everybody liked it. Also, the administrator of our area in Zurich was present and gave a speech on how to handle any problems that might arise within a club.

DGE Kevork introduced two new positions in the district: in Bahrain, the position of the "District Governor's Special Representative for Extension and Recruitment in the Gulf," and the position of the "Deputy Governor" in Dubai. 2

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His next visit will be in Amman, Jordan.

DGE Kevork said that the Sotk water project has an excellent progress and congratulated all people involved.

During the district conference in May, in Aqaba, Jordan, it is imperative that we show a good presence and we need volunteers to help there with the promotion of next year's District Conference in Cyprus.

Every Cypriot Rotarian should register for next year's district conference where special prices will apply for local Rotarians and Rotaractors.

Birthdays and raffle winner

Everybody wished a happy birthday to Rtn Goran Svensson.

Rtn Farid Mirbagheri won the raffle.

Happy Hour Fellowship with Winetasting, Tuesday, March 27.



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The Arts & Music Afternoon with Auction
at Famagusta Gate, March 17.



PROGRAM OF EVENTS

APRIL (MAGAZINE MONTH)	
7 Friday	Vocational Workshop: "So you think you want to be an Entrepreneur?"
13 Friday	Lunch Meeting cancelled – Easter Holiday
20 Friday	Regular Meeting Speaker: Rtn Friedrich Vogel on "What is Consciousness?"
26 Thursday	Board Meeting
27 Friday	Regular Meeting – Guest Speaker Mr. George Lycourgos on "Byzantine Art and its Symbolisms"
MAY	
3 -9	RI Convention, Bangkok
17 -20	District Conference, Aqaba, Jordan

Meeting concluded at 2.30 pm.

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