



# ROTARY CLUB NICOSIA - ASPELIA



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### CLUB BULLETIN No. 6 – Friday 2 September, 2011

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#### AGENDA OF THE NEXT MEETING – 9 September, 2011

- 13.15 Arrivals
  - 13.30 Grace and Lunch
    - Apologies for absence
    - Introduction of visitors
    - President's announcements
  - 14.00 Dessert and coffee
  - 14.25 Raffle
  - 14.30 Close
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#### MINUTES OF THE MEETING – September 2, 2011

**Grace:** The grace was read by Rtn Louisa Coudounaris.

**Apologies:** PP Masis Der Parthogh, Manfred Lange, Pia Ceder, Amal el Khoury.

**Guests:** PAG George Petrou, Rtn Evy Pantelides, Christos Loullis, Marisa Chrysostomou, Christina Hadjiparaskeva and guest speaker Keith Parker.

**Attendance:** Meeting average: 37% (18 members attended).

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*Communication of apologies:* You may forward your apologies at the e-mail address or mobile phone of Sec Loucas Vrionides or Sergeant at Arms Patrick Elston.

#### President's Announcements

- P Katerina welcomed back from holidays the members which were absent last week and urged all actively to participate in this year's projects and events.

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## Other

- As part of our club's ongoing support of the Alzheimer Day Care Centers P Katerina handed in a cheque to PAG George Petrou in his capacity as the president of the "Friends of Alzheimer Association. This money was the outcome of a joint party we held with R.C. Nicosia at Esobga in November. PAG George Petrou thanked very much our club, the RC Nicosia and the Inner Wheel Nicosia for their continuous support.
- "Paul Harris – Sapphire" pinned Rtn Goran Svensson said that he is very grateful for the honor and that he will wear the pin with pride and thanked all members. Goran's pinning took place at a presentation ceremony followed by a cocktail reception on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> of July at Hilton Park.
- Rtn Areti Demosthenous handed in to our president the banner of the Rotary Club Helsinki. P Katerina welcomed her back. She has attended a BPW (Business and Professional Women) Association's International Conference of 750 participants. Areti gave a speech on "Peace studies and intercultural understanding promote financial development and reconstruction. The important role of business and professional women."
- Treasurer Walter Bopp reminded everyone that dues have to be paid.

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## Speech Presentation

**Speaker:** Mr. Keith Parker

Rtn Marina Theodotou introduced the speaker.

**Subject:** "Leadership starts with you."

### The summary

Do you get on with everybody?

A conceptual insight: learning about you.

- Understand yourself and from that you understand others.
- We have different perceptions: experience, parents and grandparents.

There is no reality. There is only a perception. To connect with others, we must try to see things from their point of view.

"All our knowledge has its origins in perception:" Leonardo da Vinci.

Psychological Preferences:

- Introversion and extraversion
- Thinking and feeling

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- Sensation and intuition  
How can I communicate best with you as a person?

P Katerina presented the speaker with our club banner.

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### Forthcoming events:

- **September 30<sup>th</sup>:** President's party at her residence.

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### Birthdays and raffle winner

Everybody wished a happy birthday to DGE

Kevork Mahdessian, IP Eleni Zapiti and Louisa Coudounaris.

PP Elena Tanou won the raffle.



Meeting concluded at 15.00

**Loucas Vrionides**  
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