



ROTARY CLUB NICOSIA - ASPELIA

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CLUB BULLETIN No. 7 – Friday 9 September, 2011

AGENDA OF THE NEXT MEETING – 16 September, 2011

13.15 Arrivals

13.30 Grace and Lunch

- Apologies for absence
- Introduction of visitors
- President's announcements

14.00 Dessert and coffee

14.05 Speech/Presentation: "Sharing an Island," a film by Ms. Danae Stylianou, director, producer and editor.

14.25 Raffle

14.30 Close

MINUTES OF THE MEETING – September 9, 2011

Acting Sergeant at Arms: Rtn Louisa Coudounaris.

Grace: The grace was read by Rtn Ioanna Kyprianidou.

Apologies: PP Masis Der Parthogh, PP Savvas Omorphos, PP Era Michaelides, PP Nina Sadek, IP Eleni Zapiti, Pia Ceder, Marina Theodotou.

Guests: Rtn Evy Pantelides, Rtn Geo Moschonas (RC Kifissia), Christina Hadjiparaskeva, Tasos Argyrou

Attendance: Meeting average: 40% (20 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

- Pleasant news: PP Lefkios Ioannides has become grandfather for the third time. His son now has a baby girl.
- All members should have received an e-mail on "The Cyprus Rotary 3rd Annual Conference and Assembly" that will take place on the 22nd and 23rd October 2011 at the Forest Park Hotel in Platres. Participants should fill in the registration form and submit it to me together with full payment (cheques to be issued in the name of our club) by 30 September 2011.
- DGE Kevork Mahdessian will speak later at the meeting on the District Conference that will take place in Cyprus in 2013.
- P Katerina announced the forthcoming events which appear below.
- On Sept. 12, at the head offices of the bank of Cyprus, at 6.30 pm, there will be a panel discussion with prominent speakers on the economic situation in Cyprus.

District Conference in Cyprus, April 2013

DGE Kevork said that the conference needs two years to prepare and we have to organize it. This year as a governor elect, he will be very busy to prepare PETS and other training seminars in different countries. There is so much to prepare.

In Acaba, Jordan, we shall make a good show to sell our product. We will have our own stand to welcome participants with promotional films, drinks, specialty food etc. Since this will be the last one before the district is divided, we want to make an excellent show.

So we need ideas on the program.

Rtn Christina Covotsos is the chairperson of the conference. There are about 180 officers working for the district governor so we ask a lot of people to volunteer.

When the district conference takes place in Egypt, Jordan or Lebanon all their Rotarians participate. So, if we imagine the same will happen in Cyprus, then we already have a success with 800 attendants.

There are a lot of awards to give. The conference cannot touch any funds. We'll try to find sponsoring companies to cover meals, even the smallest things. A lot of work has been done already for the Acaba presence and promotion. The success will be not only mine but ours.

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Forthcoming events

- **Sept.9th:** Speech/Presentation: "Sharing an Island," by Ms. Danae Stylianou.
- **Sept. 20th:** Our Rotaractor club will celebrate their first birthday at Mondo's, 20.30, and we are welcome to attend at 25 Euros. There will be a DJ, finger food, drinks and a presentation of the year's activities.
- **Sept. 30th:** President's party at her residence. It is a fundraising event at 25 Euros p.p. and the whole amount will go towards our community project, the buying of the TV sets for the hospital's wards.
- **Sept. 30th:** Club's lunch meeting is cancelled.
- **Oct. 7:** The president of the association of owners of removable property will speak on the new taxation that will be imposed.
- **Oct. 13-15:** Zone institute, Cairo
- **Oct. 22-23:** The Cyprus Rotary 3rd Annual Conference and Assembly, Forest Park Hotel in Platres.
- **Oct. 31st:** Club meets DG at 18.30.
- **Oct. 31st:** Clubs' joint dinner with DG.
- **Nov. 17-19:** Rotary Foundation seminar, Dubai.

Birthdays and raffle winner

Everybody wished a happy birthday to Rtn Nairy Merheje.

Rtn Walter Bopp won the raffle.



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Meeting concluded at 14.35.

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