



Rotary Club Of Nicosia Aspelia



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Weekly message

When you give to The Rotary Foundation, you support Rotary's work across the world and help ensure our future. You can choose where to direct your donation and how you wish to give. Recognition is offered at many giving levels.

RI PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

I'm glad to report that the End Polio Now – Make History Today campaign is going well. Rotary met the terms of the new agreement with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and received US\$70 million in matching funds in January, which will be fully committed in this calendar year. We have four more years of this agreement remaining, during which the Gates Foundation will match two-to-one every dollar Rotary spends on polio, to a maximum of \$35 million per year. I encourage all of you to do what you can to help us make the most of this opportunity. I know that together, we can engage Rotary to end polio – and change the world, forever.

RON D BURTON, RI President 2013-14

AGENDA OF THE NEXT MEETING - Thursday 22nd of May, 2014

Club Assembly Drinks Meeting at 19:30

19:15 Arrivals

19:30 Commencement

- Apologies for absence
- President's announcements

20:00 Club Assembly

20:25 Raffle and Birthdays

20:30 Close

MINUTES OF THE MEETING – Thursday 8th of May, 2014 at Semeli Hotel

Apologies for Absence:

PDG Kevork Mahdessian, PAG Elena Tanou, PAG Nina Sadek, PP Sotos Demetriou, Amal El Khoury, Ioanna Kyprianidou, Nairy Merheje and Friedrich Vogel.

Present from Rotary Club of Nicosia Aspelia:

P Loucas Vrionides, PP Caterina Kalavas, PE Louisa Coudounaris, Nazo Davidian, Pia Ceder, Walter Bopp, Patrick Elston, Areti Demosthenous, Rena Papaioannou, Manfred Lange, Farid Mirbagheri, Nitsa Kiliari, Ioannis Christofides, Adonis Panagidis and Margarita Paraskevoudou.

Visitors: Joseph Badaoui, Basma Badran and Petros Damtsas.

Speaker Rtn Ioannis Christofides presented the delicate situation of the ***Air Quality in Cyprus***.

- He showed through a detailed power point presentation the various detailed tests that the local authorities perform and what is the minimum and maximum tolerances of air pollution which could be harmful to the local population specifically from the dusts point of view arriving predominantly from the Central African continent towards the exposed island of Cyprus. He answered with professional graphic data's and tables showing the acceptable and harmful levels of the air in Cyprus. Many questions and answers followed. At the end of his speech a buffet of tasty finger food and drinks was awaiting to all inspiring an enthusiastic fellowship.

Attendance from Rotary Club of Nicosia-Aspelia:

15 Rotarians (31%)

Communication of apologies and make ups: At the e-mail address of Administration Director Rtn Ioanna Kyprianidou joankypr@spidernet.com.cy

President's Announcements:

P Loucas went over the calendar of events.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY (Promote International convention Month)	
01 Thursday	Workers Day-Meeting cancelled
08 Thursday	Drinks Meeting with finger food, speaker, Rtn Ioannis Christophides: Air Quality in Cyprus, 19:30, Semeli Hotel
15 Thursday	Fellowship at Chronoperpatimata tavern, 20:30
22 Thursday	Drinks Meeting, Club Assembly, 19:30
30 Friday	Lunch meeting 13:15, speaker: the Dean of the University of Cyprus Prof Constantinos Christofides
31 Saturday	Karagiozis shadow theatre: Workshop 10:45, Short Documentary Film 11:45, Performance 12:00-13:00, at the BOC Cultural Foundation; Fundraiser

JUNE (Rotary Fellowship Month)	
01 Sun-4 Wed	R.I. Convention 2014, Sydney
05 Thursday	Drinks Meeting, 19:30
12 Thursday	Drinks Meeting, 19:30
19 Thursday	Dinner Meeting, Changeover Ceremony, 20:30
26 Thursday	Lunch Meeting, 13:15





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