

Hout Bay Rotary Club



BAY BREEZES - 26 JUNE 2012

The Praise Singer's Gazette



Time is running out and this will be penultimate Praise Singers missive, of course we are hoping that the Editor of Bay Breezes will allow for some adjustment in the Peter Dutton year, could contributions perhaps be from the "Praise Swinger" ?

What a great induction we gave to Peter, beautiful people, excellent menu, generous gifts of red, white and bubbly (thanks for those wonderful contributions) , deserved awards, very enjoyable conversations. Some super acknowledgements from our DG, DGE, AG and PDG. What a lovely addition to have Rae Graham, Lindy Ennis, Hazel Martinussen, Matt Mercer, Gaby Tobergte, Alex

and Derek Johnson, Bernadette and Mike Gie and Liz and Colin Huckle.

There was some concern about the move to have the induction at our Club room but I didn't hear anything other than compliments. It was a warm and inviting assembly superbly organised, decorated and laid out and the accolades given to David and all those who helped richly deserved.

The occasion gave me ample opportunity to thank all of you and for some just a little extra with a merit award so well deserved. I hope I have spread the message of Rotary during the year through the Praise Singers contributions. Is there not something special in giving and of course giving can be in so many differing ways. We as Rotarians would align giving to Service in many cases and much of our contributions in so many varied ways are acknowledged in simple ways, a smile, a simple thank you, a hug, a tear. I listened recently to Butch speaking about an experience he had had in giving a wheelchair to a crippled Hangberg resident and how poignant the moment of thanks was. I am sure that Butch thought about all the other Rotarians who had been involved in getting that wheelchair to Hout Bay Rotary for distribution and further I am sure that Butch realised how fortunate he was to receive that smile and thank you. It does so endorse the wonder of giving that we as Rotarians so often have.

Don Felels,

VOT OF THANKS FROM OUR PRES ELECT PETER

Well, what an evening it was! From the first impression when we walked in to the final goodbyes for the evening it was a magnificently organised event. A very special evening with special friends which will always be remembered. A huge "thank you" to David Heath and his band of little helpers for making this possible. This is the best start to my year as President that I could have hoped for.

I am looking forward to continuing the good works that we should all feel proud of and enjoying the company of such good people in Rotary Hout Bay.

PETER DUTTON



Paddy to Teddy: "Did you know that the shortest sentence in the English language is 'I am?' "

Teddy to Paddy: "Really. What's the longest sentence?"

Paddy to Teddy: "I do."

Birthdays & Anniversaries

The Camplins	02
Bill Kilbride	09
Don Peters	13
Hans Kuhn	17



Strange Facts

In Tokyo, a bicycle is faster than a car for most trips of less than 50 minutes!

There are 18 different animal shapes in the Animal Crackers cookie zoo!

Should there be a crash, Prince Charles and Prince William never travel on the same airplane as a precaution!

Your body is creating and killing 15 million red blood cells per second!

The king of hearts is the only king without a moustache on a standard playing card!

There are no clocks in Las Vegas gambling casinos!

There is one slot machine in Las Vegas for every eight inhabitants!

Programme - June's Speakers and Schedule

26th June Tony Davidson Lifestraw presentation

Please contact Don or Butch if you have a speaker or would like to share an experience with the club.

MEALS AND ATTENDANCE

Please would all members advise Attendance Officer Mick Feuillerade prior to the Tuesday meeting if you will not be attending or not dining or bringing your partner or guests by 5:15pm on Monday at the very latest, Mick's details are:- email: annmick@webafrica.org.za - Cell: 082 550 1654