

ROTARY CLUB OF BENONI AURORA



"Make Happiness your First Priority Every Day" – Butch Wilson, 2011/2012 President

We meet every Wednesday morning at 07h00 at Benoni Country Club unless otherwise stated.

JULY – GOAL SETTING / AUGUST – ROTARY FOUNDATION

DOOR DUTIES	20/07/2011	27/07/2011	03/08/2011
WELCOME	Denis Brandjes	Chris Honck	Alfie Moffat
OBJECT	Tim Jones	Bill de Villiers	Heather Smithard
HOSPITALITY/ GRACE	Roger Gilder	Peter Smith	Lourens de Bruin
INTRODUCE SPEAKER	Ray Booth		
THANK SPEAKER	Rex van Olst		
SERGEANT		Kevin Norris	Pam Hein
	Speaker See below	Club Assembly	Vocational

SPEAKERS

DATE	SPEAKER	TOPIC
Wednesday 20th July	Michael Niewoudt & Ronnie Knott Craig	They will be speaking on Sustainable Mobility
Wednesday 24 th August	Shirley Downie	District 9400 Conference in 2012 and the Malaria Project
Wednesday 31 st August Evening Meeting	Brand Pretorius	This well known business leader will be speaking on "The lessons I have learnt"

BIRTHDAYS

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Teresa Scott	18 th July	Maureen & Charlie Eastwood	18 th July
Ronel Davidson	18 th July	Doug & Lesley Uren	26 th July
Linda de Bruin	21 st July		
Brian Moseley	22 nd July		
Tim Jones	28 th July		
Sandra Grolman	30 th July		

REPORT ON THE MEETING HELD ON 13th JULY 2011

This was a joint meeting of the three Benoni Rotary Clubs to meet our 2011/2012 District Governor and District Governor Ann, Anton and Annetjie Meerkotter.

Dates to diarise

Leadership Programme – the next session will be at 7p.m. on **Thursday 11th August 2011** at Benoni Country Club. *There will be no session in July.*



Sunday 4th September

Time to start obtaining sponsors for the annual walk. Companies can be offered packages whereby their sponsorship also gives them free entrance for their walkers. This can be used for Team Building, a Customer Fun Day etc. Rex van Olst is Aurora's Man in Charge let him have your ideas for making the Walk bigger, better and more fun.

READY, GET SET.....GO!! The Spring Walk will soon be upon us.



NITE FEVER 13th August at the Barnyard at East Rand Mall. The venue opens at 18:30 and the show commences at 20:00. Cost is R125 per person. You can take a picnic basket or order from a wide selection of Pizza varieties. Drinks must be purchased at the venue but the cost for these is very reasonable. A Commitment list will be circulated this Wednesday.

(Coordinator: Jerv 082 447 9355).



“Day at the Races”

This event is planned for **Heritage Day, on Saturday 24th September, from about 11:00 onwards**. Although this is some way off we need to **confirm the booking before the end of July**, if we are going to be able to hold the event. We will have a private room including TV screens and a balcony view of the track. The luncheon is included in the cost. Our calculations are based on having a group of 60. If we get more people attending then the cost will come down proportionately. Currently the cost is **R225 per person**, excluding drinks and your bets. It is a really fun event and would be great if we dress up for the occasion. So see if you are able to get family and friends to join us at this fun filled event.

(Coordinator: Margie 011 425 3887 or 082 872 9405).

AURORA
Fellowship
EVENTS
 2011-2012

July
 29th, Friday
 from 6pm

at
UNCLE TIM'S
Centre

Christmas
 IN JULY
 NIGHT SHOPPING
 "GLUWEIN and CURRY
 by the BONFIRE"

PLEASE NOTE: Events may change, and others, such as 'Raids', may be included.

"MAKE HAPPINESS YOUR FIRST PRIORITY EVERY DAY"

Passa Da Port
 has been passed on to
Jerry & Sharon Alton.
 Let's keep it on the move!



A true friend
 is
 a work of heart.

To all my friends and relatives who have sent me best 'wishes', chain letters, 'angel' letters or other promises of good luck,
NONE OF THAT SHIT WORKED!

Could you please just send cash, vodka, chocolate, Italian food, wine, or airline tickets instead?
 Thank you!

EDITOR'S LAST WORD – *"There are two types of people in this world, good and bad. The good sleep better, but the bad seem to enjoy waking hours more."* ~ Woody Allen ~

The Pirate

A pirate walked into a bar, and the bartender said, "Hey, I haven't seen you in a while. What happened? You look terrible." "What do you mean?" said the pirate, "I feel fine."
 "What about the wooden leg? You didn't have that before."
 "Well," said the pirate, "We were in a battle, and I got hit with a cannon ball, but I'm fine now."
 The bartender replied, "Well, OK, but what about that hook? What happened to your hand?"
 The pirate explained, "We were in another battle. I boarded a ship and got into a sword fight. My hand was cut off. I got fitted with a hook but I'm fine, really."
 "What about that eye patch?"
 "Oh," said the pirate, "One day we were at sea, and a flock of birds flew over. I looked up, and one of them s..t in my eye."
 "You're kidding," said the bartender. "You couldn't lose an eye just from bird s..t."
 "It was my first day with the hook."



WHAT IS BEING LOADED INTO THE PLANE?

It's a hard disk drive back in 1956... With **5 MB** of storage.

In September 1956 IBM launched the 305 RAMAC, the first 'SUPER' computer with a hard disk drive (HDD). The HDD weighed **over a ton** and stored a 'whopping' **5 MB** of data.

Do you appreciate your **8 GB** memory stick now, or a 3GS iPhone with 32 GB of memory?

A woman was sipping on a glass of wine, while sitting on the patio with her husband, and she said, "I love you so much; I don't know how I could ever live without you".
Her husband asked, "Is that you, or the wine talking?"
She replied, "It's me...talking to the wine."



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