

**Important Dates for your diary: (Please check for changed dates)**

**Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> March Membership Seminar** 6 York Gate – 6.15pm – 6.45pm  
buffet supper

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> March Young Chef - Finals**

**14<sup>th</sup> March Inner Wheel Charity Dinner & Jazz evening with Jolly Jazzers.** Tickets £20 to include 3 course meal with wine and soft drinks

**Mon 9<sup>th</sup> March.** RC of Hillside (Finchley). Charity **Race Night**

**Sat 14<sup>th</sup> March** Enfield Chase **Quiz Night** at St Andrews Enfield

**Sat 14<sup>th</sup> March** RC Enfield **Quiz Night** at Goff's Oak Village Hall

**21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup> March. Water Aid Day.** We are collecting at Morrisons

**25<sup>th</sup> March “Youth Makes Music”** We are making up coach party.

**31<sup>st</sup> March Our Charity Film Night.** Showing “The Duchess” New date

**Sat 4<sup>th</sup> April** RC of Hillside (Finchley). **25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration**

**Sat 25<sup>th</sup> April. Stroke Awareness Day.** Blood pressure checks.

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> & Sun 28<sup>th</sup> April **RIBI Conference** at Corn Exchange, Edinburgh.

Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> April. **Visit to News International** with RC of Enfield Chase

**10<sup>th</sup> June “Kids Out”.** Joint event with RC of Enfield

RI Convention Birmingham 21-24 June 2009. Be a part of history and celebrate the 100th Rotary convention, which will take place in Birmingham. Over 13,000 reservations so far.



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## News Bulletin

The Rotary Club of Southgate

March 2009

President Barbara Rees

**Make Dreams Real**

**Programme March & April  
2009**



### March

**Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> March**

**Mon 9<sup>th</sup> March**

Business and Fellowship meeting

**Jamie Treadwell** presenting cheque from **RC Southgate (Michigan)** towards joint project. **Guests attending. Incl DG Wally K Daly the Mayor, David Burrowes MP** Tricia Lewis and Tatenda Chigodora. **Please be there.**

TBA

**World Water Day.** Collecting at Morrisons

**Speaker: Dilip Mahadeo, Leonard Cheshire School 4 all in Africa**

**Youth Makes Music at Royal Festival Hall**

Fifth Monday. TBA

**Our Charity Film Night “The Duchess”**

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> March**

**Sat/Sun 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup>**

**Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> March**

Wed 25<sup>th</sup> March

**Mon 30<sup>th</sup> March**

Tue 31<sup>st</sup> March

### April

**Mon 6<sup>th</sup> April**

Speaker: Kim Hember, manager of Enfield Arts School Support Service

**Mon 13<sup>th</sup> April**

No meeting. Easter Bank Holiday Monday

**Mon 20<sup>th</sup> April**

**AGM** with presentation of accounts, reports and election of Officers

**Sat 25<sup>th</sup>**

**25<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>**

**Mon 27<sup>th</sup> April**

Will be Rotary **Stroke Awareness Health day**

**RIBI Conference in Edinburgh**

TBA

Please remember that drinks before lunch must be purchased in main bar.

NB Please give apologies to the attendance Officer, if you cannot attend



**February 2009 World understanding month**

**Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb** The meeting was cancelled due to a heavy snow fall.



**Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Feb Business & Fellowship meeting.** President Barbara advised the Club that February is World Understanding month and read out RI President D K Lee's message. PP Eric had put forward his Helping Hands proposal, which DG Wally K Daly had progressed but after lengthy discussion at General Council it was not accepted. PE Peter gave a resume of the "Adopt a Village" Scheme, which requires support from more than one club. It addresses Health, Hunger and Education and there is match funding. Much discussion took place at the presentation of the Club's Draft Accounts 2007/08

**Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Feb Speaker: June Keyte.** President of the Soroptomists gave a talk about her club, which is celebrating the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Founded by an American Rotarian Doctor in Paris, the Soroptomists was then only open to unmarried women with Aims and Objects very similar to that of Rotary. It is now open to women, who work in Voluntary organisations. The club's work in Enfield being part of the East Anglia Region, includes liaison with new shops for the provision of wheelchairs, improved Street Lighting and Public toilets. June advocated enrolling famous, high profile people to head charity work. They support the local Woman's Centre. June thank those fellows in our club, who assisted with the recent concert which was profitable.

Tues 17<sup>th</sup> Feb. A Membership Development Committee has held.

Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> Feb **PE Peter** attended the **District Council** at Westminster Kingsway College

**Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb** today was Rotary's 104th Birthday. The proposed **Speaker: Chris Broderick** from Children's Society was unable to attend and sent his apologies. Instead there was a regular meeting at which Membership was discussed including dress code, the formalities of the meeting, type of food and table layout. Peter spoke about the collections at Morrison's on the 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> of March for World Water day.

**A special emergency fund is being set up by Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland Donations Trust to support victims of the devastating bushfires in Australia.**

**PROPOSED JOINT PROJECT  
with RC of Southgate, Michigan, USA**

On the **9<sup>th</sup> March** Jamie Treadwell, a representative of the Rotary Club of Southgate (Michigan) USA will be presenting a cheque to our club towards this joint project. Also attending will be representatives of "**The Children and Young People** health visiting service" in eastern Enfield and "**The Young Parents project**" in Edmonton, Enfield. We will be joined by DG Wally K Daly, The Mayor and David Burrowes MP

What do the Houses of Parliament, the Roman Coliseum, Sydney Opera House, and a Scottish castle have in common?

Each of these iconic landmarks provided a dramatic backdrop for an equally dramatic Rotary message last week: End Polio Now. Those three words -- Rotary's pledge to rid the world of this crippling childhood disease -- were projected onto the exterior of each structure in an effort to encourage the world to unite against polio.

At the **District Council** Meeting the following Rotarians were elected to the posts of:

**District Governor 2011-12**

Trevor Johnson - (Epping).

**Asst. Governors 2009-10.**

Toni Finkel - (Edgware & Stanmore) North Area.

Robert Ghazi - (Putney) - East Area.

Jeremy Jessel - (Southgate) - North East Area.

Suraiya Kassamally - (Barkingside) - Central Area.

Sandy Myrants - (Northwick Park) - North West Area.

Alan O'Neill - (Hanwell & Northfields) - West Area.

Surya Varsani - (Golders Green) - South East Area.

Sue Wiltshire - (Tooting) - South West Area.

Brian Watkins (Greenford)

**District Secretary 2009-10.**

**District Treasurer 2009-10.**

Howard Segal - (Barkingside)

Assistant Secretary 2009-10.

Dick Nathan - (Northwick Park)

Assistant Treasurer 2009-10.

Doreen Browne (Radlett).

RIBI Selection Advisory Committee:

PDG Alan Coleman. (Barkingside)