



# ROTARY CLUB OF WANGANUI

## BULLETIN 1: 2011/12

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PO Box 504 Wanganui



**THIS WEEK**  
Monday  
11 July  
2011  
Noon  
KingsGate

**Speaker:** Matt Peters

**Topic** Reflections of a Referee

**Host** Don Gilbertson  
**Thanks:** Gerald McDouall

**Visitors** Don Gordon

**Top table** Lei Graham

**NEXT MEETING**  
Monday  
18 July  
2011  
KingsGate

**Speaker:** TBC

**Topic** TBC

**Host** TBC  
**Thanks:** TBC

**Visitors** Gerald Hare

**Top table** John Harrison

**LAST MEETINGS**  
4 July 2011

4/7/11

76 People attended. Including members and their partners. We also had the pleasure of Presidents from the Clubs North, South, DayBreak and Waverley, Past District Governor, Assistant District Governor and District Governor. If you can correctly name the people holding these positions in 2011/2012 by note or return email draw will be held of correct entries 5pm July 18<sup>th</sup> – kingsize bar of choc to be won.

**OTHER**

**CLUBS**

**WANGANUI SOUTH**

Tuesday, 6 pm

RSA Restaurant, Taupo Quay

**WANGANUI NORTH**

Wednesday, 6 pm

Function Centre, Racecourse

**WANGANUI DAYBREAK**

Monday, 6.50 am

Stellar

**WAVERLEY-AOTEA**

Thursday, 6 pm

The Woolshed

23 Mangatangi Road

Waverley

**District Governor:** Bob Smith.

**Assistant Governor:** Garth Barlow

**President:**

Peter Brown 347 8344

**Secretary:**

Jim Callaghan 344 6277

**Apologies:**

Please phone and leave a message with the secretary or Peter Smith Tel 342 5812 or email to [smith.farm@actrix.co.nz](mailto:smith.farm@actrix.co.nz) by 11.00 am Monday, or txt Kate on 029 24 22440

### Paul Harris Fellowships

*The highest award that a Rotarian can achieve. In New Zealand it is an honour that can only be earned.*

We would like to commend this person for their commitment and faithfulness in all the club projects, fundraising, youth and community. This person embodies the Rotary ideal of service above self in all that she does.

This person often works in the background providing support and consistent service to all our fundraising efforts. When she can be there she is involved, no matter what the weather, she is there.

This selfless service enables the club to achieve targets in giving to the community and supporting a wide range of projects we would not otherwise be able to do.

She is raising a family, working full time and yet still manages to support our club on a weekly basis in the middle of her busy schedule.

It is with great pleasure that we award Helen Atkinson Fleming with a Paul Harris Fellowship.



We would like to commend this person for their diligent service to Rotary and the enthusiastic promotion of Rotary and Rotary ideals across the community.

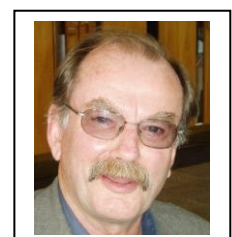
Often he has been in an upfront role, where he has supported and encouraged the club and wider Rotary.

He also works hard in the background for many events and projects such as the Westmere walkway, Henare O'Keef Rotary Promotion, Bill Boyd Rotary promotion and Springvale planting.

He has shown his faithfulness and commitment to our club and has been an innovative and spirited leader of the club.

His support to the wider cause of Rotary will no doubt lead to further work but he has shown that he is ready and willing to step up.

It is with great pleasure that we award Denis McGowan with a Paul Harris Fellowship



## Club Notices

### Birthdays

No Members Birthdays.

**Robert Bruce**, King of Scotland  
(1306-29) 11 July

**Yul Brynner**, Russian-born  
actor (d. 1985) 11 July

**Keep Warm this winter**



**Support Rotary contact**

**Kate Smith**

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**Fire Wood Pine, Gum, & Mac \$95**

**Thank You NZ Couriers**

NZ couriers who are delivering the Rotary dictionaries to us and all other Rotary Clubs free of charge.

**Rotary Club of Singapore...  
Donation for Christchurch...**

**LETS**



**MATCH**

**IT**

"Our Club would like to make a special effort to raise funds for the Christchurch Earthquake Appeal. The funds we raise will be added to the \$5000 already sent to us by a Rotary Club in Singapore, and Hugh has offered to personally deliver the donation. Donations from members should be made out to the Rotary Club of Wanganui Foundation, and handed to Colin Whitlock. Colin will provide a receipt for Tax Deduction purposes."



**Personal Emergency Pack**

(Rotary Club of Eastern Hutt)

**Delux** Extra packs available  
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Wanganui Rotary Club

## From Change Over

### **Awards.**

#### **Gerald Hare.**

Gerald took the job of sergeant aware that we needed to have the meeting finished earlier, he had to eat faster and talk faster and he still managed to get more money out of you – in half the time of any other sergeant. So the award for the best sergeant since the beginning of time goes to Gerald Hare.

#### **Gil Bycroft**

Gil has held the job of secretary for three years – he has remained sane and balanced throughout a succession of eccentric despot presidents. So the award to best secretary under fire and operating behind enemy lines goes to Gil Bycroft.

#### **Ed Boyd**

Ed has raised vast amounts of environmentally friendly funds and supported the community of Whanganui so well in so many ventures. So the Bears Grills award for extreme fund raising in hostile environments goes to Ed Boyd.

#### **Stephen Lace / Ann Petherick**

Stephen and Ann instigated a new accounting system that will not be affected by subprime mortgages or million dollar bonuses. So the London School of Economics award for accounting and support services goes to Stephen Lace.

#### **Kate Smith and Helen Atkinson Fleming**

Publishing the bulletin and faithfully recording the weekly programme. So the Murdoch Pulitzer prize for publishing goes to Kate and Helen.

#### **Warwick Bullen and the programme team.**

For innovation, hard work and being fully match ready before Nov 2011. So World Cup award for Programme Planning goes to Warwick Bullen.

#### **John McLennan**

Has been awarded the Last Man Standing award for taking on two portfolios halfway through this year.

Personal reminders