

Rotary Club of Christchurch South



29 May 2024

Simon Daisley

CCC Community Stories Liaison

Simon has an academic history background. His job description now is “Community Stories Liaison” which was established two years ago. He co-ordinates the presentation of online collections from digitised archives, publications, photographs, and community Canterbury stories.

As an aside, he recognised our values for meeting is a prototype of a Tibetan Buddhist bell.

Simon explained that Community Stories was developed in conjunction with Catalyst, which is a Christchurch based IT company, so that all the information can be digitised. He gave examples of the following:

- Christchurch cemetery plans
- Old Christchurch architectural plans
- Historical aerial maps



As part of his role, Simon has been meeting with community groups to come up to speed with their information which can be digitised in terms of data and photographs. They also have access to the Christchurch Star photographs going back over a long period.

He showed us a video of a community in Christchurch, ie, Etheopian Tinket Ceremony which is performed in Hagley Park.

He mentioned that there is an extensive archive now of servicemen post WWI which are all digitised and he brought up some examples with not only the data on them but in some cases photographs of the individual involved. Their aim is to preserve this information for the benefit of future generations.

It was a most interesting and erudite address and was well received.

Thanks to Alan Stewart for the report and Alan Airay for the photograph.

Upcoming Meetings

5 June 2024

Rānui House, 1 Cambridge Terrace,

Vocational Tour with Mandy Kennedy – CEO at the Bone Marrow Cancer Trust. (Partners Night)

5:45pm for 6:00pm start. 7:45pm Finish.

Off-site Dinner at *Pegasus Arms Restaurant & Bar*, 14 Oxford Terrace.

See Notices (below) re. parking.

12 June 2024

Kylie Malin

National Fundraising Manager – Hagar New Zealand

Hagar International - fighting to end slavery, human trafficking and violence against women and children, across the world since 1994.

19 June 2024

Student Kate Copland. My Journey so far – Student Kate Copland and her acceptance into Vienna University of Economics and Business

Upcoming Events

- **JUNE WALK – THURSDAY 20TH**

- **Christchurch South Community Garden**

Every Wednesday 1pm to 2pm, 188 Strickland Street, come along and lend a hand.

- **Archives**

We are now at the point of collecting photos from members, past members, honorary members and friends of Rotary for our archives.

Please contact Kim at tanner.kimberley@gmail.com if you have any photos from the year **2000 onwards** of **significant events**. We are hoping to have this project completed by the end of this year.

Notices.

- **Changeover and Awards Night**

Come along and celebrate - bring your partners

To be held Wednesday 26th June 2024 at the Cashmere Club in our normal meeting area

Buffet meal \$38 per head

Payment can be made on- line

03 1599 0081963- 00 or on the night

Drinks 5.30pm and meal at 6.30pm

We look forward to a great night together

- **Rānui House visit. Parking**

Extract:

For your use during your visit I have allocated two parks at Rānui House for your use which I have provided instructions for below. If any additional parking becomes available Mandy will let you know on the Wednesday morning.

Carpark 1:

Our open-air carpark entrance is located on the Cashel Street corner of Rānui House (corner of Cashel St & Cambridge Terrace) Upon entering, please use the park marked TRADE (at the far-right hand side). After parking, make your way back through the entrance and around the corner to the main entrance to our reception.

Carpark 2:

Please park in our off-street park located at the main entrance of Rānui House, I Cambridge Terrace (opposite the boatshed café) and make your way inside to the reception area.

- **Aviva Street Appeal Totals!**

Sara

Thank you so much to the Christchurch South Rotary for volunteering for the Aviva Street Appeal a couple weeks ago. Some staff illnesses pushed back our bucket counting, but we now know...

Your bucket raised \$1105.3!

For those who used Mika, you also helped us raise an extra \$1200! That's about equal to adding an extra day of collecting at one of our better sites.

Overall, the Street Appeal raised more than \$26,000!!! Although we are a bit short of our record, the average amount collected per hour was the highest it's ever been. Meaning you were our most efficient and effective volunteers yet!

Josephine Hoyne Sim

Fundraising and Communications Specialist

Duties

Duty	5-Jun-24	12-Jun-24	19-Jun-24
Cash Desk	#N/A	M Bruce	A Airay
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Reception	#N/A	A Kim	A McKinnon
Speaker's Host	#N/A	A Airay	H Garlick
Grace	#N/A	A Airay	H Garlick
International Toast	#N/A	A Kim	A McKinnon
Thanks to Speaker	#N/A	M Bruce	G Dockrill
Quote for the Week	#N/A	A Stewart	A Airay
Speaker Reporter	A McKinnon	G Bailey	S Mackenzie
Sergeant	#N/A	S Harris	D Peterson

Leave

Who	From	To
M Whitehead	9/9/15	TBA
J Wylie		TBA
S Hays	11/8/20	TBA
E Bermingham	1/1/23	TBA
S McLean	20/3/24	19/6/24
L Brown	01/05/24	TBA
V Ellis	15/05/24	05/06/24
E B McKessar	22/05/24	TBA

The link for the club web pages is: www.christchurchsouthrotary.org.nz

The link to club Facebook pages is: <https://www.facebook.com/ChristchurchSouthRotary/>

Reminders

APOLOGIES

- Record your apology at the Reception Desk at a prior meeting OR
- Email: chchsouthrotary@gmail.com before 11.00am on the Wednesday; you will get a reminder a couple of days before the meeting re apologising and to advise if bringing guests.
- Emergency apologies to Alan McKinnon (021 142 7668) or Club Secretary Viv Ellis (027 490 3161)

DUTIES

If you are unable to carry out your allocated duty, it is YOUR responsibility to arrange a substitute.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Please advise all leave of absence (three or more weeks) to the Secretary by email or in writing