



**Rotary Club of Christchurch South Inc.**

P O Box 12-243, Christchurch 8023, NZ.

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Bulletin

#07 for 14 August 2024

**No speaker tonight** due to family circumstances, but the speaker reporter still had a job to do. Graham Dockrill's suggestion of Mel talking slowly and Alan Airay telling a joke was not adhered to. But the show did go on.

**Mel** spoke at length about the 'Fit for Purpose,' membership programme. He has completed the application and that has been accepted by the organisers. The next step is to discuss it at the Board meeting. There was lengthy discussion regarding the above.

Many questions that formed part of the application were about our Club Health, examples being our club's current state, impact on the community and acceptance of change and innovation within the club. Also brief explanations were written as to why our club would like to take part, our main goals for the year, barriers preventing our club from achieving its goals just to name a few.

**Alan Airay** updated us regarding Hensh to include delivery organisation of 13 vehicles and trailers and how he overcame a few roadblocks along the way. He has advertised on Facebook, Community Notices, Newstalk ZB and Neighbourly. Thanks Alan for all your work to date.



Bagging is in full swing with the St Thomas's Rowing Team there in numbers and getting through the job with great gusto.

Thanks to the speakers was given by Harold and a quote from Robin McK. finished the evening.

*Thanks to Viv. for the report and Bruce Wales for the photo.*

## Hensh.

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If anyone would like to contribute to the cost of the bags please do so on the net. Please also clearly state what it is for which will make Alan McKinnon's job much easier.



Is that Dockrill? The sheep in the paddock next door took fright!!

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Time for a break!

## Hensh Deliveries

On Saturday morning much activity was seen at the AMP Showgrounds area put aside for Chicken Manure. All ran very smoothly thanks to the work completed by Alan McKinnon collating the delivery sheets. Thanks also for Joey and Dan plus a few from the St Thomas's Rowing Team who helped load the trailers.

A huge thanks to Vayomi for the big box of delicious sandwiches and lunch packs for everyone.

Most did 2 trailer loads and the job was done.

Spotted..... a basket of lunch goodies in the back of Alan McKinnon's car. Must be the work of Barbara.

Now for the big sales this coming Saturday.

*Viv.*

## Upcoming Meetings

1/08/2024	Geordie Hooft – Honorary Consul	The Kingdom of the Netherlands – Honorary Consul
28/08/2024	Michelle MacWilliam	The Sister Cities Story - Christchurch & Beyond
4/09/2024	Anna Stevens Helen Mann (Membership liaison) and Maxine Macaulay (Treasurer).	Amnesty International - We campaign for a world where human rights are enjoyed by all

## Upcoming Events

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- **Year 7 and 8 Speech Competition**

Thursday 19 September  
St Peters School

6.30pm Just a heads up that this date is looming. Involves Primary Schools in our area and will run as it has other years. Would be good to have Rotary support there.

Viv, Mike and Youth Committee

- **SEPTEMBER WALK – THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup>**

- **Community Garden**

Every Wed. 1pm - 2pm, 188 Strickland St., come along and lend a hand.

- **Street Appeal Dates**

Parkinson's and MS  
September 6th and 7th

9-5pm  
New World, St. Martin's.

Pink Ribbon 🎗️  
October 18th  
9-5pm  
Christchurch Airport

Dementia Canterbury  
November 8th and 9th  
9-5pm  
New World, St. Martin's

Aviva  
May 16th and 17th  
Or  
May 23rd and 24th.  
New World, St. Martin's.

These dates will all be confirmed nearer the time of the appeals.

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## Notices:

- **CASHMERE STREAM ESPLANADE**  
Saturday 21st September.  
10-12 followed by a shared lunch. Please bring a wheelbarrow, spade and pitchfork if you have them and garden gloves.
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## Duties:

Duty	21-Aug-24	28-Aug-24	4-Sep-24
Cash Desk	G Bailey	A Airay	A McKinnon
Cash Desk	V Ellis	P Mears	P Mears
Reception	M Bruce	R McKinney	H Garlick
Speaker's Host	G Dockrill	H Garlick	M Bruce
Grace	G Dockrill	H Garlick	M Bruce
International Toast	M Bruce	R McKinney	H Garlick
Thanks to Speaker	V Ellis	A Airay	P Mears
Quote for the Week	G Bailey	P Mears	A McKinnon
Speaker Reporter	A McKinnon	A McCully	A Airay
Sergeant	D Peterson	G Dockrill	A McCully

**Leave:**

<b>WHO</b>	<b>From</b>	<b>To</b>
M Whitehead	9/9/15	TBA
J Wylie		TBA
S Haye	11/8/20	TBA
E Bermingham	1/1/23	TBA
S McLean	20/3/24	19/6/24
L Brown	01/05/24	TBA
A Kim	15/06/24	15/11/24
A Stewart	31/08/24	12/09/24
S Mackenzie	07/08/24	TBA

The link for the club web pages is: [www.christchurchsouthrotary.org.nz](http://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](mailto: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**