



Rotary Club of Christchurch South Inc.

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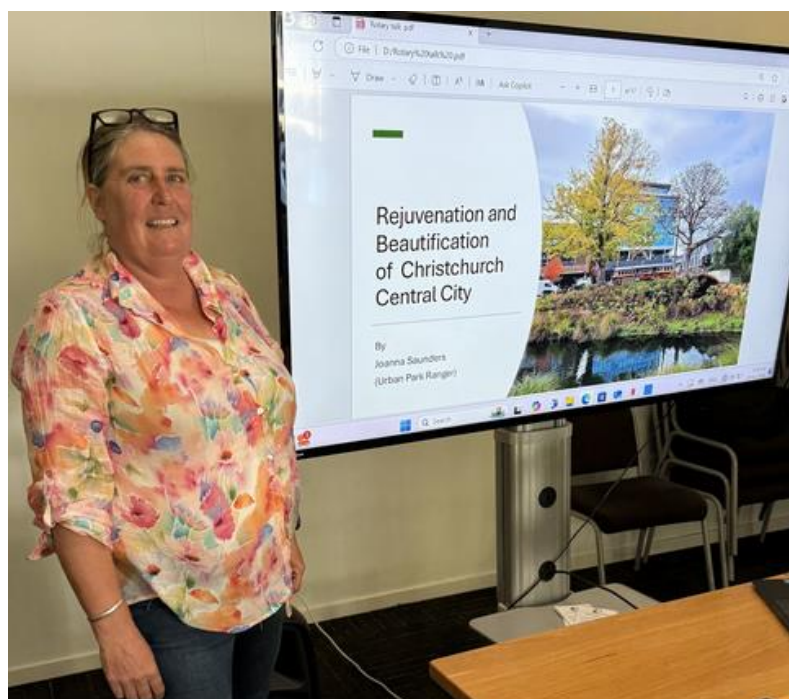
SERVICE ABOVE SELF



30 for 19 February 2025

SPEAKER REPORT 19 FEBRUARY 2025

19/02/2025	Joanne Saunders	The Rejuvenation & Beatification of the Central City Gardens & Landscape – CCC Ranger Joanna Saunders.
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Our guest speaker tonight, CCC Ranger Joanna Saunders.

- *Owing to a glitch in arranging for this Bulletin edition, the report on Joanna's talk must be delayed to next week's Bulletin. We look forward to doing great justice to Joanna's presentation, reflecting her depths of work, responsibilities and enthusiasm for the job she is so greatly committed to.*

Thanks to Viv for the for the photograph.

Gallery:



Visiting Rotarian. Carol Tosh, from Silverstone, Great Britain presenting President Alan with her club banner.



Cashmere Stream Working Bee

There certainly had been lots of growth since our last visit, but three of us (Alan McK, Sara and Viv) did make some headway judging by the big pile of weeds. Lots of chat and a beautiful day did help lighten the load.



Part of the finished product

- On Thursday the walking group walked around Te Kuru a newly completed wetlands area off Cashmere Road. This was followed by nine group members having lunch at Urban Eatery.



Not a cloud in the sky



Just a closer look for thee.

Thanks to Viv for the activities reports and for the photographs.

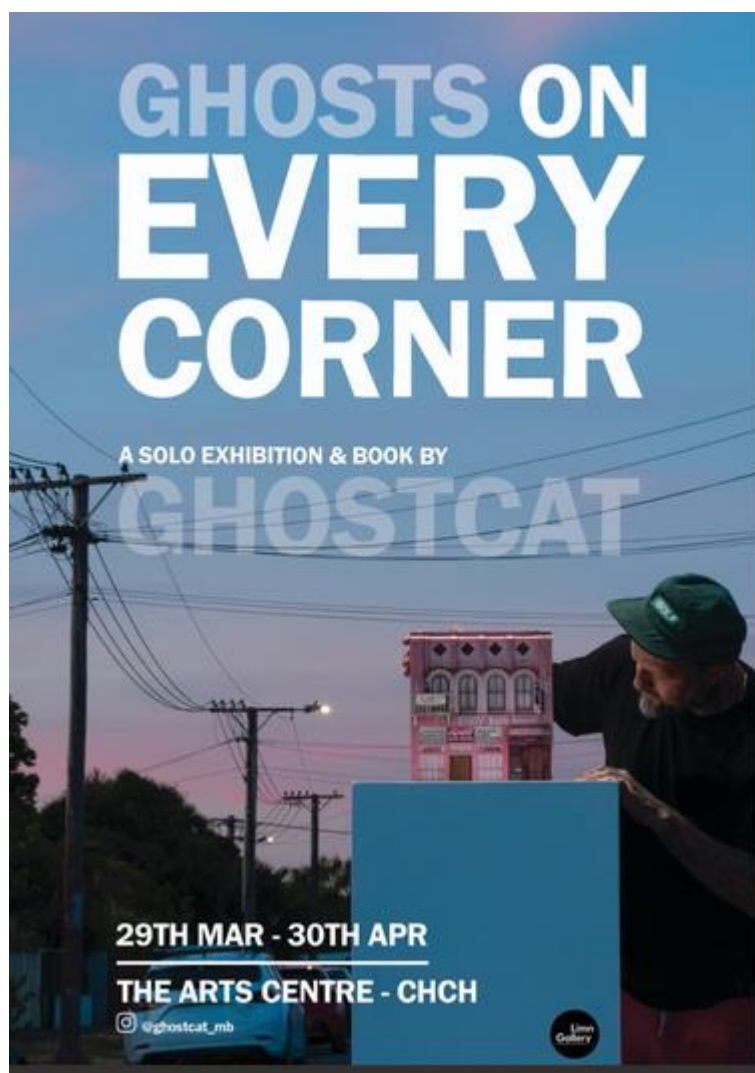
Upcoming Meetings

26/02/2025	Kim Steetskamp, Louisa Stewart and Board Chair, Abhinav Keswani	Clothed in Love - helps Christchurch families in need by blessing them with free good quality preloved or new clothing for their children.
5/03/2025	Jamie Hanton	Toi Ōtautahi – bringing together the city’s creative stories
12/03/2025	Sara Mackenzie	Our Collaboration & Achievements with Bali Rotary – International Committee Sara Mackenzie

- **MARCH WALK/LUNCH – THURSDAY 20 MARCH**
- **John Taylor Walkway**
Saturday 12th April 2025
10 -12pm BBQ lunch afterwards.
- **Street Appeal Dates:**
Aviva
May 16th and 17th
Or
May 23rd and 24th.
New World, St. Martin’s.
This date will all be confirmed nearer the time of the appeals.
- **Dates for the Pink Ribbon Street Appeal for 2025** – 17-18 October 2025.

Notices:

- The *Club Fitness Plan Information Worksheet*, courtesy of Geoff’s attendance at the Fit for Purpose seminar in Sydney, is attached.



Duties:

Duty	26-Feb-25	5-Mar-25	12-Mar-25
Cash Desk	M Opie	M Bruce	A McCully
Cash Desk	D Peterson	H Garlick	D Peterson
Reception	G Bailey	A Kim	V Ellis
Speaker's Host	S Mackenzie	G Dockrill	G Bailey
Grace	S Mackenzie	G Dockrill	G Bailey
International Toast	G Bailey	A Kim	V Ellis
Thanks to Speaker	M Opie	M Bruce	A McCully
Quote for the Week	D Peterson	H Garlick	D Peterson
Speaker Reporter	V Ellis	A Airay	M Opie
Sergeant	A McKinnon	M Opie	M Bruce

Leave:

WHO	FROM	TO
J Wylie		TBA
S Hays	11/08/20	TBA
E Bermingham	01/01/23	TBA
S McLean	20/03/24	TBA
L Brown	01/05/24	TBA
R McKinney	13/09/24	mid- April
K Gunsekara	04/12/24	TBA
P Mears	05/02/25	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: chcsouthrotary@gmail.com before 11.00am Wednesday.

You will get a reminder a couple of days before the meeting re apologising and to advise if bringing a guest.

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 of 3 or more weeks to the Secretary, by email or in writing.