



MEADOWS MATTERS

This bulletin is the newsletter of the Rotary Club
of Greenmeadows, Napier, New Zealand



President Helen



Helen welcomed a smaller number of members tonight – 26. She stated that being the 5th Wednesday of the month on the 31st August consideration is being given to go Ten Pin Bowling. More information next week.

Opening Thought

From Brian Anstis - The average woman prefers beauty over brains and that is because the average man can see better than he thinks.

Welfare

Colin having further tests.

Don McKenzie has been to Wellington to be fitted for his new prosthesis.

Announcements

Alan White announced a request from the CE of Cranford for assistance with traffic management on their two open days at the new Cranford site. 10th September (Saturday) and 9th October (Sunday). Alan will circulate more information.

Fred Staples gathered enough volunteers at the meeting for the Cancer Society Appeal at Mitre 10 on 26th August.

Sergeant at Arms

Alan White took the theme of transport to extract dollars from us. A surprising number of members had ridden an elephant. Railcars which were introduced in 1953 – Flying in the 1960's. and the student midnight bus run which left at 12.30 and arrived in Napier at 5.30am. (If only I had noted where the bus left from – Wellington? Auckland?) The countries first roll on – roll off ferry NZ Aramoana was launched on 11 August 1962 to run between Picton and Wellington and did so until 1983.

Today is also the Lazy Day Commemoration Day – It is OK to be lazy – it can lead to a healthy life. (I am not sure Alan knows anything about being lazy) Well done Alan.

Closing Thought

When you find yourself on the side of the majority it is time to stop and reflect

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Officer Holders 2022-23

President	Helen Tattersall
Secretary	Ken Hunt
Treasurer	Graeme Ryan
Club Admin & PE	Kelvin Winnie
Membership & PI	John McIntosh
Service Projects	Fred Staples
Youth	Chris McKenna
Foundation	Lynne Gibson
Artex	Steve Gillum

Meetings

Weekly: Taradale Town Hall
Wednesday 6.00pm
Fellowship 5.30pm
Firesides: 1st Wed
Directors: 2nd Wed

Apologies to:

GR.apologies@gmail.com
(before 8.00am on Wed)

Coming Up:

Watch this space

Leave of Absence

Denise Primrose 7/9
Gill Scarlet 6/10
Kevin McCormack 1/11
Geoff Bennett 11/10
Barry Keating 1/11
Ian McKelvie &
Don McKenzie – Ongoing

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Speaker Alwyn Hadfield from the Taradale Business Association.

Alan is contracted by the Taradale Business Association and gave an excellent overview of the role of the Association.

Role: For Taradale to be the key district in the Hawke’s Bay in which to do business and to live and enjoy. “We can make this happen by connecting as much of Taradale in as many ways as possible”

Collaboration: Build and strengthen relationships

Events - helping to promote local groups,

EIT -by having a long term relationship with EIT to bring interns who semester by semester help with major projects. To help businesses, communities and groups connect to EIT.

Community Involvement: We want to get our community involved in Taradale again, have events in the shopping centre, night markets, and use Taradale Park for music events etc.

Wellbeing: Keeping our buildings and streets clean and in good condition – To improve wellbeing for the community itself by making them feel even more involved. For Taradale to have a keen sense of community and family.

-To encourage Landlords to encourage a wide variety of tenants to keep the shopping area vibrant.



As Brian Peplow said in thanking Alwyn for an interesting talk, Alwyn has given us much to think about.

Your newsletter has been done this week by a fill in scribe and is missing Ian’s expert touch.

ROSTER

Date	August 17 th	August 24 th	August 31 st
Programme: Guest Speaker	Phil Crombie Ahuriri Sunrise Assistant Governor Rotary Regionalisation	Kevin Forgeson District Governor Official Visit	To Be Confirmed but maybe a meeting off site in which case most duties will be not be required
Host+Thoughts (open & close) Top Table introduce Speaker Vote of Thanks Cashier Three Minute Speaker Sergeant	Bruce Martin* Chris McKenna* Neil Smith* Les Mockford* None Graeme Ryan*	Robert Pearson Ian Holyoake Jenny Robertson Fred Staples None Graeme Ryan	John MacIntosh Graeme Muir Stuart Cheyne Wal Drayton None Ken Hunt
Stewards <i>One per table and the named Members to clean up at the end.</i>	One per table + Gail Kelly * Garth Eyles* Bob Morrison *	One per table + Brian Hall Kelvin Winnie Bob Morrison	One per table + Judy McKelvie Hamish Lack Denise Brown