

DIARY DATES

SPEAKERS

JUNE 2019

- 3rd Catherine Mason** is HM Coroner for Leicester City and South Leicestershire and will speak about “the work of the Coroner, what does she do?”
- 10th Anna Geary**, our own member, will give us her Job Talk about her Network Marketing business where she is a leader with a company called Valentus.
- 17th 2nd Business Meeting** - Treasurer’s Annual Report and Committee Reports
- 24th Rev Clive Doubleday**, Chief Executive of Smile International, will speak about this Christian organisation, which helps to relieve suffering and poverty around the world by turning tears into smiles

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SPEAKER & VISITOR WELCOME

JUNE		JULY	
3rd	Tony Jarvis	1st	N/A
10th	John Aldridge	8th	Richard Miller
17th	Mark Simpson	15th	Tony Jarvis
24th	Vince Slark	22nd	John Aldridge
		29th	Mark Simpson

ROTARY CLUB OF LEICESTER

Meetings held on Mondays, 12.25pm at the Mercure Leicester City Hotel
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Immediate Past President: Richard Power
President Elect: Chris Saul
Junior Vice-President: Parmdeep Vadesha
Honorary Treasurer: Jonathan Kerry
Honorary Secretary: Nick Thomson
Honorary Assistant Secretary: Barry Davies

Elected Council Members

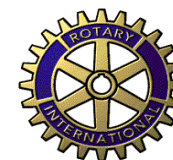
David Howard, Mark Sandall, Scott Gallacher, Alasdair Blair, Babs Marson

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LEAD COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Club Service	Mark Sandall
Membership	Alasdair Blair
Service Projects	Moira Bartlett
Rotary Foundation/Benevolent	John Saunders
Communications	David Howard



President:
Colin Derrick

ROTARY CLUB OF LEICESTER BULLETIN

JUNE 2019

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The old adage that time flies, certainly applies to the role of President of this fine club Here we are in June, with just some four weeks before President Chris takes up the reins, and I retreat into the shadows.

Where did that year go?

I set out with two objectives, to try and raise the profile of our club, and to raise funds and awareness for my chosen charity ... Charity Link. I think I’ve achieved those goals.

I’ve certainly spoken to many people, who were not aware of us, and all that we do. I’ve also visited many other Clubs across the region, offering our greetings, and telling them of the fine work that Charity Link do.

In pursuit of my fundraising target (and heartfelt thanks to those members who have supported me), I have walked up hill and down dale on a sponsored walk, rattled tins, held coffee mornings, tea parties, served cocktails and canapes, baked mince pies, held a carol concert,

arranged a theatre trip, staged the story of the remarkable Mrs Austin, and still to come (my final throw of the dice), a trip to Kelmars Hall, and the Auction of Promises.

Together we've visited the Leicester Central Mosque to learn more about Islam, and also enjoyed Diwali celebrations whilst visiting two Hindu Temples.

As a Club, we had a splendid Christmas gathering at St Martin's House, and a highlight for many, our lunch commemorating Remembrance Day, when we were joined by members of the Salvation Army, and the British Legion.

During my year, we've had many inspirational and interesting speakers, some terrible jokes from me, but hopefully a laugh or two along the way as well. Like myself, I hope many of you will have fond memories of the year.

President Colin

PRESIDENT'S AUCTION OF PROMISES FOR CHARITY LINK

The President's Auction of Promises for Charity Link is online now, so if you haven't already, please:

- ◆ Have a look yourself and see if you would like to submit a bid
- ◆ Share the link below with friends and anyone who you think might be interested in making a bid and supporting this great cause

<https://auctionofpromises.com/ColinsCharityLinkAuction>

KIDS OUT

Takes place on Wednesday 12th June, taking over 100 children to Wicksteed Park. If anyone wants to help and hasn't yet signed up, please get in touch with Mark Simpson.

GRACE

The following members have kindly agreed to "say grace".

JUNE		JULY	
3rd	Michael Chamberlain	1st	TBC
10th	TBC	8th	TBC
17th	TBC	15th	TBC
24th	David Howard	22nd	TBC
		29th	TBC

DIARY DATES CONTINUED

SPEAKERS

JULY 2019

- 1st Handover Day** - our new President will present his plans for the upcoming year.
- 8th Dr Andrew Reeves**, who is a Senior Lecturer at Leicester DMU, will talk to us about Climate change and sustainability at the DMU
- 15th Jo Tallack**, who is the General Manager at the Highcross Shopping Centre, will speak regarding the future of retailing in Leicester City Centre. **PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS WILL BE A M4B MEETING**
- 22nd Mike Kapur**, the Lord Lieutenant of Leicestershire, will talk about his new role after taking over from Lady Gretton
- 29th Ed Cufflin**, our own member, will give his Job Talk about his role as a local Stock Broker with Charles Stanley

FOR YOUR DIARIES PRESIDENT'S FUNDRAISING EVENTS

**Kelmars Hall,
Garden Tour and Picnic**
18th June

Auction of Promises
20th June



GARDEN PARTY CANCELLED

Sadly the President's fundraising Garden Party which was to be held on 15th June has had to be cancelled as not enough tickets have been sold.