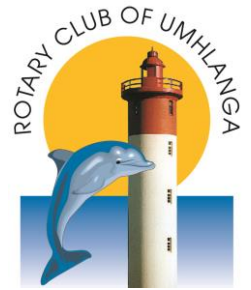




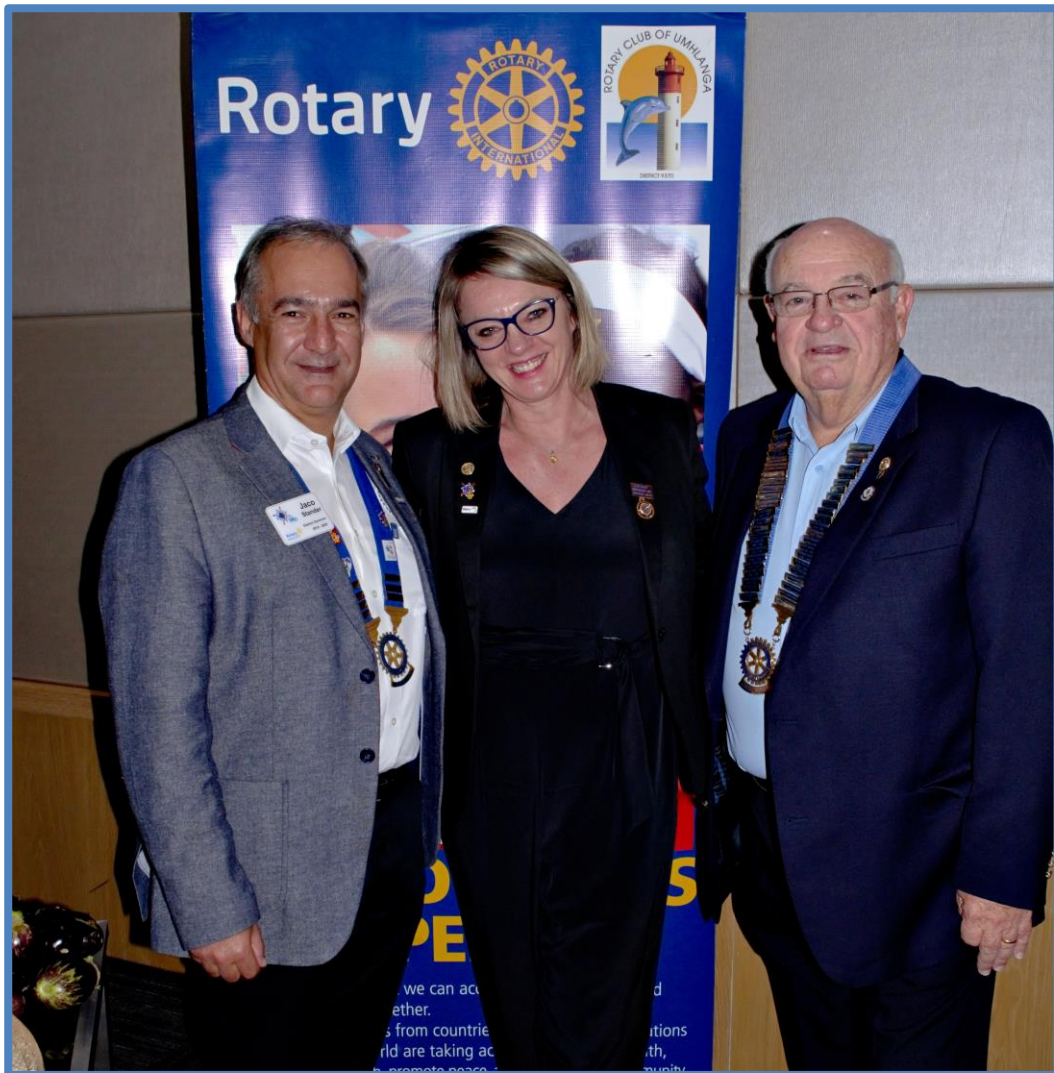
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Rotary Club of Umhlanga - District 9370 July 2019

2019-2020 District 9370 Governor Jaco Stander visits Rotary Club of Umhlanga



DG Jaco Stander with his wife, Lisa, and Rotary Club of Umhlanga President, Barry Roberts, during the July visit to the Umhlanga clubs weekly meeting.





DG Visit 2019

On 23 July, the District 9370 Governor for 2019-2020, Jaco Stander, and his wife Lisa, were present at the clubs weekly meeting to meet, inspire and have fellowship with club members. DG Jaco presented the new vision statement of change within Rotary, aimed at challenging Rotarians to grow through personal connections, include family members and to look at pathways of entrance and growth for younger membership. His vision for District 9370 is one of growth, of increased contributions to The Rotary Foundation and the ability for clubs and Rotarians to embrace change. He used the simple act of wearing the Rotary pin daily as an opening line to advertise Rotary when questioned about the meaning of the pin. Be proud to be a Rotarian, be proud to wear the badge.

In the past, the DG has been taken to various projects. This year it was decided to bring the project to the DG. Young Inanda Farmer, Nomasonto, described the impact that the farming project, made possible by Rotary, has changed her life and the farmers in the Inanda region. She described the ability to work, to produce goods and the economic effect that it is having on her life. The project has given Nomasonto an opportunity to turn dreams into reality. *Nomasonto is seen (middle left) with President Barry Roberts.*



(above) All present Rotarians joined President Barry Roberts and District Governor Jaco Stander for a group photo.

Prior to dinner, the assembled members had the opportunity to purchase the fresh produce that Inanda Project farmer, Nomasonto, brought to show members the fruits of her labors. The testimony by Nomasonto, with the visual presence of the produce, brought home the success of the project that has long been at the forefront of the clubs drive and focus over the last few years, to bring about positive change to the residents of Inanda.



(left) Rotarian Roger Downes was Fines Master for the evening, and had the members digging deep into their pockets to pay for all manner of transgressions...



Speaker Nicole Bollman, DA Councilor for Ward 35, was at a weekly meeting to present a proposal for the club to be involved the uMhlanga River Plastic Waste Clean-up Project. Nicole is seen receiving a 4 way test memento from Rotarian Cohan Arjoona...



Newly elected board members for 2019-2020 met at President Barry Roberts home for the first board meeting of President Barry's term of office.

Rotarian Joop De Veer

It is with great sadness that the club says farewell to one of its long serving members, Joop, who following a recent illness, passed away on Thursday 22 August. Having been an active member of the club since 1998, Joop and his wife Mercia, have been regulars at all club functions and weekly meetings. Joop brought a wealth of experience to the club, having been an avid Rotarian since 1981 including a term as President of Rotary Club of Roodepoort in 1995. The club extends its condolences to Mercia and to Joop's children.

Rest in peace our dear friend, for you truly gave service above self...



Rotarian Willemine Starrenburg

Willemine is continuing to battle with illness, club members are asked to keep her in their thoughts and prayers. Kindly contact Past President Peter for visiting details if you wish to visit and cheer up an old friend...



Off to distant shores...

Rotarian Vasu Moodley bade farewell to club members as he embarks on a family move to USA. His wife, Amber, has accepted a position with the US Government. The club will miss you both and wish you well in this new chapter in your lives...



Mandela Day 2019, 67 minutes of service...

In keeping with the spirit of Mandela Day, club Rotarians visited the elderly at Twilanga, Umhlanga (*above*), and TAFTA John Conradie House, Durban (*below*). Residents received gifts, cake and fellowship, in addition to the recent relocation of a donated full size snooker table to John Conradie House facilitated and funded by Rotary Club of Umhlanga.





Rotarians joined with Interact Club of Tongaat Secondary to distribute loaves of sandwiches donated by Elsa Le Roux and blankets made by Earlyact Club of Trenance Park Secondary as part of Mandela Day duties.





Rotary Youth Exchange Program 2019, In Keeping with the theme, “Rotary connects the world”, July saw the influx of a large number of exchange students visiting our city and their host club, Rotary Club of Umhlanga. The vibrant group of students exchanged banners, stories and poster projects from their home towns. The students return home in early September and our local group will depart to their host families in December this year...





August 2019	Membership and New Club Development Month	Venue
Wed 28 th @17h00	Twilanga 2019 AGM	Twilanga
September 2019	Basic Education and Literacy Month	Venue
Sat 07 th @06h00	Bacon Bash for Spring Walk La Lucia	Christopher Robin School
Tue 10 th @17h00	Monthly board meeting	Gateway Hotel

CONGRATULATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

01 Aug-Cohan Arjoona, 24 Aug-Nettie Howard, 26 Aug-Jarod Le Roux, 31 Aug-Farrell Perumal, 07 Sep-Lynn Dunlop, 07 Sep-Sue Dalais, 08 Sep-Barry Roberts, 08 Sep-Katrina Boule, 13 Sep-Greg Donkin, 13 Sep-Adele Jackson, 16 Sep-Daria Roberts, 16 Sep-Kevin Finegan

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

31 Aug-Sean & Kerry Moss, 01 Sep-Kagi & Mbali Ismail, 03 Sep-Mike & Dee Kennedy

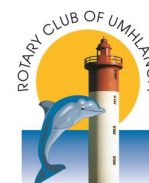
ROTARY ANNIVERSARIES

26 Aug 2003-Michel Boule, 27 Aug 1991-Clive Hull, 27 Aug 2002-Andrew Campbell, 28 Aug 2001-Rob Hay, 21 Sep 2004-Ken Dixon, 30 Sep 2016-Flicka Goslett



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DUTY ROSTER/MEETING INFORMATION AUGUST-SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2019

DATE	27 August Gateway Hotel	03 September Gateway Hotel	10 September Gateway Hotel
ATTENDANCE	Alan & Dave	Susie & Jenny	Alan & Ronald
GREETER/ REGALIA	Vasu	Sandy	Marcia
4WT / GRACE	Andre	Andrew	Peter
EVENT OR SPEAKER	Presentation by YEP students to club members	Monthly Committee Meeting	Quiz by Rotarian Andre Hattingh
INTRO SPEAKER	Imbali	-	-
THANK SPEAKER	Anna	-	-
FINES MASTER	Flicka	Vanessa	Anna
CARD DRAW	Bertie	Carolanne	Bertie
DATE	17 September Gateway Hotel	24 September Public Holiday	01 October Gateway Hotel
ATTENDANCE	Kevin & Anna	-	Rob & Cohan
GREETER/ REGALIA	Jenny	-	Anna
4WT / GRACE	Mbali	-	Kagi
EVENT OR SPEAKER	Speaker Monique Labat Mauritian Cuisine	No Meeting Public Holiday Heritage Day	Monthly Committee Meeting
INTRO SPEAKER	Vanessa	-	-
THANK SPEAKER	Michael	-	-
FINES MASTER	Susan	-	Marque
CARD DRAW	Alan	-	Cohan

***Kindly arrive at the venue by 17h45 if you are on attendance or greeting visitors.**

***If you are unable to do a duty, it is your responsibility to find a substitute & inform Club Secretary, Sandra Smith 083 292 0392**

***Kindly contact Jenny Cartwright if you have a good speaker for our meetings.**

***The Greeter to assist in setting up & putting away banners, regalia and equipment.**

***Kindly contact a fellow Rotarian to make apologies on your behalf if you are ill, out of town or unable to attend meetings.**

“the tail end”

The Rotary Four Way Test of the things we think, say & do

**is it the truth?*

**is it fair to all concerned?*

**will it build goodwill and better friendships?*

**will it be beneficial to all concerned?*

Three Rotary Graces

**For food, fellowship and family we thank you, O Lord. Keep us ever mindful of the needs of others. AMEN*

**We thank you O Lord for this food and those who prepare and serve it.*

Help us to meet the deeper needs of our community. AMEN

**We praise you Lord for the enrichment of our lives through the fellowship of Rotary.*

As we have so freely received, may we generously give of ourselves in

the service of others. AMEN

UMHLANGA ROCKS



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