



DARWEN ROTARY CLUB BULLETIN October 2018



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Club News Long service awards



During District Governor Mary Bradley's visit to the club she presented three long service awards to members. Roy Chatburn and Gordon Holden received 35 year awards and Mark Graham got his 25 year award.

Rotaract

Scrap books containing newspaper cuttings and photographs of events held by our former Rotaract club that took place from 1978 to the late eighties have been handed over to the club by honorary member Thelma Millington's daughter Nancy. They record activities such as decorating and laying cement as well as fundraising and depict numerous members and former members of this club. It is hoped that they can be passed on to the town's Heritage Centre.



Venue change

Our next meeting, October 1, will be held at Dolly's Tearoom, Bolton Road, 6pm for 6.30pm

Diary Events

October 1: Ribblesdale Charter Night, 7pm for 7-30pm at Mitton Hall Hotel

October 5: Accrington Rotary Club Charter night at the Dunkenhalth Hotel, 7pm for 7-30pm. £25 per head

October 6: Rotary Club of Ulverston present West End to Broadway at the Coronation Hall, Ulverston.

October 10: Mary's Meals Porridge Smiles day. See Gil for details

October 17: Church and Oswaldtwistle Rotary fundraiser at the Balti Stan restaurant 7pm. Meal and entertainment by singer Gavin Young. Price £19-95, proceeds to Rotary Young Vision 2020

October 24: World Polio Day

October 25: Lunch with RIBI Immediate Past President Dennis Spinner speaking on the End Polio rally, hosted by the Rotary Club of Lytham at the Clifton Arms Hotel.

November 16: Darwen Club's Social Night, Dolly's Tearoom, 7pm for 7.30pm, £15

December 17: Christmas message

December 22: Darwen Rotary Club carol service, outside Darwen Market, 6.30pm
Life Education events ...

October 12: Race Night in Darwen

November 6: La Vespa Italian meal, Clitheroe.

Speakers and Meeting Dates

October 1: Committee night followed by council meeting – please note meeting at Dolly's Tearoom, Bolton Road

October 8: No meeting

October 15: No meeting

October 19: Charter night – Masonic Hall

October 22: Speaker – Miriam Parkinson on Africa

October 29: No meeting

Just joking

Q: Why don't cows have any money?

A: Because farmers milk them dry.

Q: When does it rain money?

A: When there is "change" in the weather.

Little Johnny asks his dad for a telly in his room. He reluctantly agrees.

Next day, Johnny comes downstairs and asks: "Dad what is love juice?"

Dad looks horrified and tells Johnny all about sex.

Johnny sits there with mouth open in amazement.

Dad says: "So what were you watching?"

Johnny replies: "Tennis."

A university student delivers a pizza to an old man's house.

"I suppose you want a tip?" says the old man.

"That would be great," says the student, "but the other guy who does deliveries told me not to expect too much – he said if I got 50p, I'd be lucky."

The old man looks hurt. "Well, to prove him wrong, here's £5. What are you studying?"

"Applied psychology," replies the student.

The Rotary Club of Darwen meets at Darwen Masonic Hall, Hawkshaw Avenue, Darwen, BB3 1QZ, tel: 01254 702594, on Mondays at 6pm for 6.30pm. The attendance officer is Alan Slack, tel: 01254 704107. The club was founded in May 1933 and is club number 383 of District 1190 RIBI. RI Club number 19873