

DIARY DATES - SPEAKERS

MAY

- 2nd** Bank Holiday—no meeting
- 9th** Prof Aftab Khan HBM, Emeritus Professor of Geophysics at University of Leicester - 'Continental Rifts: Do they fall or are they Pushed?'
Vote of Thanks: Simon Gravett

- 16th** To be advised
- 23rd** Rtn Susan McEniff—Update from Charity Link
- 30th** To be advised

JUNE

- 6th** To be advised
- 13th** To be advised
- 20th** Second Business Meeting (no speaker)
- 27th** To be advised

ITEMS FOR THE NEXT ISSUE

Please submit to Bulletin Editor, David Brunton, by 22nd May 2022

SPEAKER & VISITOR WELCOME

ROTARY CLUB OF LEICESTER

Meetings at the Grand commencing at 12.25
Apologies: Telephone 0116 2233950 or e-mail : johannedraycott@pickeverard.co.uk

Immediate Past President: Parmdeep Vadesha
President Elect: Nick Thomson
Junior Vice-President: Tara Pankhania
Honorary Treasurer: David Brunton
Honorary Secretary: Barry Davies
Honorary Assistant Secretary: Serge Mozota

Elected Council Members

Mark Simpson, Babs Marson, Nick Thomson, Rodney Spokes, Clive Smith, Patrick Boylan

Other Contacts:

District Council Representatives: Moira Bartlett, John Saunders and Richard Power
Bulletin Editor: David Brunton
Club Protection Officer: Mick Marvell

LEAD COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Club Service Vacant
Membership Nick Thomson
Service Projects Moira Bartlett
Rotary Foundation/Benevolent David Howard
Communications Diana Esho

PRESIDENT - SCOTT GALLACHER

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TEA PARTY SUCCESS!



The Tea Party held on 22nd March was a great success. The purpose was to raise the club's profile, fellowship and fundraising and it did just that.

Over half of those who attended were not from Rotary and posted great feedback on various social media platforms.

Our amazing speakers did a sterling job with Mehmooda Duke's interactive presentation and Leanne Booner-Cookes giving thought provoking talks on women in leadership and power.

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The raffle and tombola went down a storm with our amazing prizes and a good time was had by all!

Overall we raised £2,600 to be split equally between the Presidents charity, EDS, and the End Polio Now campaign.

Thank you to Diana Esho, Tara Pankhania and all their helpers .



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A number of our members are already supporting our Club by purchasing goods using the smile amazon website. AmazonSmile is a simple and automatic way for members to support our Club when shopping with Amazon with no extra cost added to the transaction. AmazonSmile donates 0.5% of the net purchase price (excluding VAT) of all eligible purchases.

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On your first visit to AmazonSmile you will be prompted to select a charitable organisation to receive donations and our Club has been registered with Amazon so will show up on your search as **Rotary Club of Leicester Trust Fund.**

If you have any difficulties the Amazon website has helpful instructions on how to join and there are online videos which can also help. Otherwise speak to Chris Saul who will be happy to give assistance.

MUSIC IN THE PARK

As you will be aware, we are hosting Music in the Park to be held on 11th June at Wistow, the weekend after the Queen's Platinum Jubilee.

There are several ways our members can help support this event, including volunteering (Rtn Rob Bowman has a list of jobs), buying tickets, selling tickets, posting leaflets, purchasing an advert in the event programme, displaying posters/banners or posting on social media.

All help would be very much appreciated. If you are interested please contact President Scott or Robert Bowman.

In advance, tickets are £20 per person (£25 on the gate).

A group ticket (for up to ten people) is also available online for £190. So, if you're a member of another organisation, you could arrange a group night out at the event.

Accompanied children are free.

Tickets can be bought online below or reserved by e-mailing Scott Gallacher
scott@rowleyturton.com<<mailto:scott@rowleyturton.com>>

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/music-in-the-park-2022-tickets-113830010626>