DIARY DATES - SPEAKERS

NOVEMBER

- 7th Debbie Thrussell Update from LOROS
- 14th 1st Business Meeting (no speaker)
- **21st Ian Cross**—'My experiences with Medicins Sans Frontiers'
- 28th To be advised

DECEMBER

- 5th RYLA Candidates—to be advised
- 12th To be advised
- 19th Christmas Lunch
- 26th Bank Holiday

GOLF WINNERS

On an early autumn evening, we held our annual Stableford golf tournament at The Leicestershire Golf Club and twelve Rotarian golfers took part. The Gross trophy (The Woodhall) was won for the second year running by our lowest handicap golfer, Tim Lee. However, the principle Net trophy (The Bastard) was won this year by Simon Gravett with a magnificent score of 40 points, and six points more than second placed David Howard.



Winners Tim Lee and Simon Gravett flanked by President Nick Thomson and Golf Captain, Tony Jarvis

ITEMS FOR THE NEXT ISSUE

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



ROTARY CLUB OF LEICESTER

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

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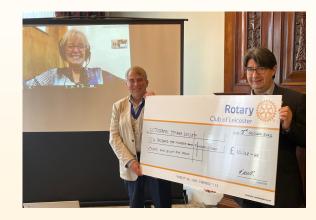
BULLETIN - NOVEMBER 2022

PRESENTATION OF CHEQUE TO THE ECTODERMAL DYSPLASIA SOCIETY

Immediate Past President, Scott Gallacher, chose the Ectodermal Dysplasia Society as his chosen charity for his year in office. He set an ambitious target of £10,000, and thanks to efforts of the Club we managed to exceed this and present a cheque for £10,128 to EDS.

Unfortunately due to travel problems on 3 September, our speaker Diana Perry, the CEO and Founder of EDS, was unable to join us in person but gave a very detailed explanation of ED and the work the Society is doing to irradicate it.

In Diana's absence President Nick presented the cheque to Scott.



FOOD POVERTY FUND RAISING

As we all know Food Poverty is a real issue. We have our annual Christmas Hamper Appeal which all members can get involved in so many ways, ideally through a cash donation or by buying food items during your weekly shop.

Bank details for Donations: Rotary Club Leicester Sort Code 30 94 97 Ac no. 02722147





Last month the Club held a Quiz Night at Brookfield. Some of those funds were sent via Rtn Annette Kenningham to a foodbank (CFWB) she runs. They distributed food parcels to children at Nether Hall School. These children had been identified as needing extra support over the half term break.

The food parcels contain ingredients and a menu for families to make healthy food together during school holidays.

AGE UK CHRISTMAS LUNCH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Chris Saul is looking for volunteers to assist with the Age UK Christmas Lunch at Clarence House, 46 Humberstone Gate, Leicester LE1 3PJ.

There are 3 dates this year with an expected 300 guests over those dates. This is double the number attending compared to last year, so volunteers are much needed.

The days and dates, all in December, are:

Tuesday 13th Wednesday 14th Thursday 15th

Volunteers will need to be at Clarence House between 12.00 noon and 2.00 p.m. and possibly a little longer.

If you can assist please let Chris know which days you can offer. His email address is <u>withamvilla@yahoo.com</u>

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY ROTARY CHRISTMAS LUNCH 2022!

Date: Monday 19th December 2022 Venue:Mercure Leicester the Grand Hotel (Kings Hall) Time: 12.30 Cost: £21.00



NEW MEMBERS

President Nick inducted two new members, Richard Narayan and Dhiren Raichura at a Satellite meeting in October. Since the formation of the evening group just over a year ago we have inducted 6 new members into the Rotary Club of Leicester and the impact on the local community is growing.



Rtn Annette Kenningham spoke to the group about the work undertaken by her Foodbank, CFWB.

Eric Hall presented on the End Polio Now Plus campaign with our walk a mile for Polio dance. Every one was asked to wear something purple, the End Polio Now colour, and Charis Betts bought along her purple carnival headdress and purple bandanas for others to try on.



Purple crocus corms have been given to Nether Hall School, CFWB Hubs community garden and Focus Group. Nick seeks volunteers to help with planting these.