



NORTHCLIFF ROTARY CLUB

Weekly Information Sheet of the Northcliff Rotary Club
 P O Box 35439 Northcliff, 2115 Johannesburg



15 October 2014

Diary of Forthcoming Events

OCTOBER - VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

- 18 October Northcliff Hill sundowners
- 30 October Speech Competition - Crawford Prep, Lonehill
- 08 November Night at the Races

	15-Oct	22-Oct	29-Oct
Sergeant	Andrew Buttress	Peggie Mars	
Reception and Regalia	Tommy Stratten	Andrew Buttress	NO
Grace	Peggie Mars	Janet Glover	MEETING
Welcome visitors	Vaughan Russell	Ian Goldsmith	
Swindle & Fines	Janet Glover	Dean Gounden	SPEECH
Rotary 90 sec Slot	Hans Mostert	Vaughan Russell	COMPETITION
Peace Prayer	Alison Turner		
Toast to Anns	Francis Callard		CRAWFORD
Introduce Speaker	BUSINESS	Dave Woodhouse	PREP
Speaker	MEETING AND	Gillian Saloojee	TOMORROW
Topic	FELLOWSHIP	Malamulele Onward	30 OCTOBER

Birthdays and Anniversaries :

Oct 15 - Tommy Stratten; 20 - Pauline Goldsmith; 22 - Norman MacLeod and Vaughan Russell; 24 - Ian Goldsmith

NRC FELLOWSHIP Trophy is with Andrew Buttress (30 July)

Office Bearers 2014/15

President <i>Paul Westcott</i>	Club Secretary <i>Andrew Buttress</i>	Treasurer <i>Vaughan Russell</i>	President Elect <i>Francis Callard</i>
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Pres Paul Westcott with RYLA attendees Justin Jacobs and Gomolelo Morapedi of St Barnabas School who gave us an excellent presentation .

NEWS & EVENTS

CLUB SERVICES : Speaker Programme: Members need to help to organise speakers. ALL members to provide a contact for a speaker or be prepared to put a topic forward that they are willing to talk about. .Please arrange your own replacement if unable to do the duty assigned.

Apologies: Please email pwestcott99@gmail.com or SMS 0827728863 before **24h00 on Monday** before the meeting.



Public Relations: Please contact Ian Goldsmith with any articles and photos that you have taken to promote Rotary and the NRC in the Community, and to keep our Website up to date!

Pic 1 : Satellite Club members Robyn Le Roux and Mariam Jacobs and Rtn Ansie Hibberd with St Barnabas School pupils Justin Jacobs and Gomelelo Morapedi who attended RYLA;
Pic 2 : Eight of Rotary’s Women of Action in Washington D.C

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- INTERACT WEBSITE** <http://northcliffinteract.webs.com/>
- DISTRICT 9400 WEBSITE** www.rotary9400.co.za/
- ROTARY INTERNATIONAL** www.rotary.org
- MAKING UP?** <http://www.rotary.org/en/AboutUs/SiteTools/ClubLocator>

By Julia D. Phelps, RI director

As I sat in the audience at the White House on 7 October, listening to 10 amazing Rotary women tell the stories of their volunteer efforts, two quotes kept running through my mind. First, “*Be the change you wish to be in the world*” (Mahatma Gandhi) and second, “*Never underestimate the power of a small group of people to change the world. In fact, it is the only way it ever has*” (Margaret Mead).

In fact, these 10 women took these two quotes, put them together and created projects, foundations, and fundraising efforts that changed their world and the world of others. It struck me that all of their efforts started with one woman who saw a need, a problem, and then went about addressing the situation. They didn’t get permission, they didn’t write a business plan; they just got busy. They were brave and courageous as they stepped out to make a difference. And as their idea grew into reality, they realized that they couldn’t do it alone. That’s where their Rotary club members, their networks, and our Rotary Foundation, came into play.

It also struck me that so many of their projects focused on children, in general, but young girls, in particular. Once again, we heard about the power of providing girls with an education, with a safe place to live and learn. The honorees shared with us how their efforts resulted in young girls being able to delay marriage and have children at an older age; how their efforts had stopped prostitution and trafficking of females. Bottom line, how their efforts impacted the community’s economic standing. This message was reiterated by Tina Tchen, Michelle Obama’s Chief of Staff, when she spoke to us.

