



We meet every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month at 8pm at the Glendevon Hotel, West Hill Road, Bournemouth.



Above: Painting the Care Home Benches.
Below: Club Handover Meal



Club Positions

This June saw the election of our new club president, Lynette Davies, our former secretary who has now been a member of Bournemouth Rotaract for 3 years. Supporting her in this role is the new vice president, Gavin Smith, Our District Chairman, and Amy Pepin as the new Secretary.

They all bring with them much enthusiasm and fresh creative ideas. We are sure you will all work well together and keep up our good reputation.

We are also glad to say that Hazel has agreed to stay on as club Treasurer. At the same time we wish to thank the former joint presidents, Kelly and Sophie, for all their hard work over the past year.

Although having nothing to do with club positions, we would also like to say a big thank you to Ashley, one of our newer members, for helping us with our club's website and giving it a good revamp. Thanks to you all.

New Monthly E-Newsletter

With our new president and a busy summer fast approaching, we at Bournemouth Rotaract have decided to produce an E-Newsletter.

This way we can keep the other clubs in the district and our sponsoring Rotary clubs up to date with what we are doing. It will also provide a avenue for keeping potential or temporarily absent members a chance to know what's going on.

This will be a monthly newsletter, sent out via email on the first of each month, which will include news and information of current/completed projects and a section dedicated to upcoming events. Enjoy!

Tea, Quizzes, Dragon Boat Racing and Sailing...a busy July!

July is already upon us and we're in full swing for Summer events. On the 5th July we shall be joining the fire fighters at Redhill Fire Station with their open day. They will have stalls, a BBQ and hourly fire fighter displays. If anyone can help then let us know. If you can't help then why not pop in anyway. You can even sign up for a free home safety check.

On the Saturday 12th July we, at the Glendevon Hotel, will be hosting a 'Blooming Great Tea Party' for Marie Curie Cancer Care. Our 'Tea Party' is actually a Dorset Cream Tea, which is open to the public as well as family, friends and other Rotarians. The event is 4pm until 6pm and will only cost £2.50.

After you have joined us for a cup of tea why not stay a while and partake in our quiz night. The quiz starts at 8pm and is only open to our family, friends and fellow Rotactor's and Rotarians. It will cost £5.00 for the quiz and some food. Teams are limited to 4 people per team. There will also be a raffle. Monies raised at the quiz will be split between two charities, The Dorset Wildlife Trust and the Rotaract Overseas Project of which two of our members are going on.

Sunday 13th July is an early start for a few of us who are heading down to Poole Park for the Anthony Nolan Trust's Dragon Boat Race. They are a charity dedicated to helping people with Leukaemia. As we are unable to get a team together we will be filling in gaps in other peoples team and we have also arranged to do a raffle for them as well.

Also in July is our Sailing trip around Poole Bay with Knoticat, a charity that provides hands on sailing for disabled people. They have kindly agreed to let us on board for an evening where after enjoying a bit of sailing we shall then watch the Poole fireworks with a cup of warm soup. We already have another sailing day booked for Sunday 21st September. There are only 8 places available for each trip so if you want to go, let me know.

Upcoming Events

July:

Saturday 5th:

Redhill Fire Station Open Day. 10am to 4pm. We will be helping with stalls.

Saturday 12th:

'Dorset Cream Tea' at the Glendevon Hotel for Marie Curie Cancer Care. 4pm-6pm.

Quiz Night at the Glendevon. Starts at 8pm.

Sunday 13th:

Dragon Boat Racing in Poole Park for Anthony Nolan Trust. We will be filling in for other teams.

Thursday 17th:

Sailing/Fireworks night with Knoticat. Meeting at Poole Quay 6.30 pm. No spaces Left.

August:

Friday 24th - Sunday 26th:

Banbury Camping Rally. Retro Theme. See Richard if you are interested.

September:

Sunday 21st:

Knoticat Sailing Day around Old Harry's Rocks.

Any comments, feedback or questions? Email us: info@bournemouth-rotaract.org.uk
If you would like to help or join in any of our events please feel free to contact us.