



Bruin August 2011



Brecon Rotary Update Information News

Rotary Club of Brecon District 1150
President DEREK ADAMS Vice President PAT BUTLER

A huge Thank You to retiring editor **Peter Jenkins** for all his hard work in producing Bruin for the last few years. He will be a hard act to follow. We now have a full set of Rotarians of the Month - all available in back issues of Bruin on the new Brecon Rotary website. Good luck to Peter on his return to Sergeant of Arms duties. Rumour has it he has already arranged for an assistant "pig" quizmaster.

President's Corner: 2 weeks down, only 50 to go! How is it going so far? Good, I think. Thank you to the first 2 contributors to the 'non meeting meetings'; Peter Jenkins for the Treasure Hunt and Brian Newman for organising a short walk around Brecon followed by a drink in a local hostelry. Any other ideas members have, please come forward. At our recent Charter Night Soldiers and Children of Soldiers from Gurkha Company Mandalay graced us with their presence. On behalf of the club I sent a cheque to the Gurkha Welfare Trust and have received a letter from the Executive Assistant asking me to pass on their grateful thanks. As a final note for this Bruin, well done to the 'Quinton Rally 4', what a result £1,400.00! Long may our association with the Rally continue.



The question is not who are the dinner-jacketed gentlemen but is about the picture at the back. Is it Brecon? If not, where? And who thought it was Brecon? (answers to ed.)

Speakers on 22nd August will be Steven Roberts and Mark Rutherford on Community First Responders who work in partnership with the Welsh Ambulance Service.

Well Well Well! A big thank you to Geoff Wooltorton who has been responsible for Emptying the well in Bethel Square for a long time. Also to Sue who counted the money! Mike Stratford has taken over - the last haul was £144.01.

Apologies from your editor for an abbreviated August Bruin due to holidays. Next month will see a members' forum column to replace Peter's Rotarian of the Month. Immediate Past President Bob Wood has agreed to be the first contributor. Volunteers for future issues will be welcomed.

BOTTLE ROTA

- 1/8 Pat Butler
- 8/8 Hywel Davies
- 15/8 No formal meeting
- 22/8 Terry Dewan
- 29/8 No meeting
- 5/9 Anthony Edwards
- 12/9 Gareth Griffiths

AUGUST DATES

- 1/8 Business & DG visit
- 8/8 Dinner
- 15/8 No formal meeting
- 22/8 Speaker - see below
- 29/8 No meeting

Please let the George Hotel (623422) know if you are not attending.