



BRUIN

Brecon Rotary Update Information News



The Brecon Singers at the Rotary Carol Concert in the Cathedral
Photo: Veronica Gibson

NEW YEAR MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

We are now half way through my year as president, and nearly all of you told me that time flies and it certainly does. I would also like to thank all Rotarians for willingly helping to everything that has been asked of you.

The Christmas Lunch was well attended again and The George provided a most excellent festive board which I believe was appreciated by all.

The Carol Concert was again a success thanks most go to Maurice and Gareth and the choice of music made it a Christmas sing-along.

The New Year begins new events which I hope you will enjoy along with your partners and for fellowship which is the aim in all cases.

First is a visit to Builth Wells Rotary club on 10th January for a friendship evening which will be a first for about twenty years, even your oldest members can never remember any visit, so this will be a good evening. I must know if you are going by the 5th January.

Second is a Burn's night which has been booked at Pilgrims on Monday 21st January, Pat is chasing the Scottish fraternity for a bagpiper for the haggis, and possibly some Scottish dancers.

Third is a night at the Red Lion, Llangorse for a talk on brewing and a buffet or dinner on the 18th February. Then St David's night and so on.

So we are proposing to keep all busy until we get to Charter Night.

I hope all had a very good Christmas and the coming year will be even better than last.

A happy New Year to all.

Barry

Dates for your Diary

Monday 7th January

Dinner meeting

Thursday 10th January

Visit Builth Wells Club

Monday 14th January

Dinner meeting

Thursday 17th January

Young Chef competition

Club round - Gwernyfed School

Monday 21st January

Burns night - Pilgrims

Monday 28th January

Dinner - speaker

Wednesday 30th January

Council meeting

Monday 4th February

Business meeting

Bottle Rota

Monday 7th January

Gareth Griffiths

Monday 14th January

Howard Hoare

Monday 21st January

John Hopkins

Monday 28th January

Peter Jenkins

Monday 4th February

Wyndham Jones





Photo for the Month from Mike Evans

This photograph shows me with two of my brothers, and other supporters undertaking a cycle ride to raise money for Dial-a-Ride, this is before it became established in the community. We started off from The Old Ford at Llanhamlach, with a glass of squash, or maybe something stronger! We ended our ride in Talylyn via Llangorse, it proved to be a very successful event, and lead to further involvement with local organisations and charities. (Hayley said I haven't changed much, I am still miserable!)

CAPTION COMPETITION NO. 2



The winner of this and last months competition will be announced in the next Bruin

Rules:

All you have to do is write a caption to the photograph on the left (please ensure it is suitable for publication) and either e mail it to captioncompetition@breconrotary.com or give it to the editor before the closing date.

The entries will be judged at the next Council meeting, and the caption thought to be the best (amusing or otherwise) will be announced in the next edition of Bruin. Should a council meeting not be planned for a particular month, the result for that month and the following month will be announced at the same time.

Entry to the competition is limited to Brecon Rotary members, their wives or partners and their children. Only one entry per person will be allowed.

Closing date for Caption Competition No.2 is 28th January 2013

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