

MINUTES OF PARRAMATTA TOASTMASTERS MEETING 1157
NEW YEAR MEETING
Thursday 15th July, 2010

Venue: Parramatta RSL Club

Commenced: 6.30pm Sharp

Attendance: Joan Abela, Barbara Beveridge, John Bright, Ian Chick, Simon Chhoeu, Demian Coorey, Alicia Denis, Lyndal Eager, Sam Ekinci, David Griffiths, Christina Gu, Ingrid Hoppe, Kate Linklater, Kirsten Linklater, Ian Lipski, Ron Marriott, Laurance Nichols, John Nichols, Wendy Nielsen, Ferdi Oosterhoff, Robyn Peck, Cheryl Piper, Michael Said Linda Snalam, Rodrigo Lucero, Peter Steinhour, Suben Subenthiran, John Taylor, Kirisha Thanapalasantheram, Raj Velu, Elizabeth Wilson, Gary Wilson, Andy Youngman.

Quorum: 19

Members present: 33

Visitors: Steve Thompson Area 13 Governor, Elaine Woods, Mrina Mandsorwale, Maria Kiely, Bala Subramainian, Suzanne Berkely, Victor Le, Chris James, Wei Sun, Lawan Subenthiran .

Apologies: John New, Gareth Peterson, Socheat Soth, Sue Ismiel (also going inactive – 3 months) , Tom Woods, Jeevan Jayanathan, Karl Winter, Diana Sanguie (also going inactive – 3 months), Ray Shina, Cheryl Piper –forward apology 1 meeting

Moved: Peter Steinhour

Seconded: Cheryl Piper

Carried

Minutes: Peter Steinhour moved that the minutes for meeting 1156 be taken as read and confirmed.

Moved: Peter Steinhour

Seconded: Ian Lipski

Carried

Correspondence In:

- Nil

Moved:

Seconded:

Carried

Correspondence Out:

- Nil

Reports:

Business session conducted by Ron Marriott:

Sargeant at Arms :

- Nil.

Secretary:

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VPPR:

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VPM:

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VPE:

. Nil

President:

- General Business: President, David Griffiths invited Ian Lipski to update the club on the latest speech craft course and volunteers were called to help; with a solid commitment from members.
- Tom woods' 50th birthday was mentioned again with Elaine Woods asking the club to come along wearing a kilt. Date is 31st July commencing at 4.00pm.
- Gary Wilson explained that Nathan Cayliss and the Parramatta Leagues Club were to participate in a special Speech Craft course for "the old hands and newbies" at Parramatta Leagues. Finer details to be confirmed.

Moved: David Griffiths

Seconded: Linda Snalam

Carried

Table Topics Contest:

Officials: Chief Judge: Steven Thomson, Contest Chairman: Elizabeth Wilson

Participants: Ian Lipski, Wendy Nielson, John Nichols, David Griffiths, Peter Steinhour, John Bright, Kirsten Linklater, Raj Velu, Barbara Beveridge, Alicia Denis, Ferdie Oosterhoff, Sam Ekinci, Laurance Nicholas, Kirisha Thanapalasantheram, Simon Chhoeu

Speaking program:

Toastmaster: Robyn Peck

Speaker 1: Suben Subentheran
Title: New to Toast Masters what to do
Project # 9 CC Manual – Persuade with Power
Evaluator: Ian Chick

Speaker 2: Rodrigo Lucero
Title: I'm my own Grandpa
Project # 1 Adv. Manual – Story Telling
Evaluator: Cheryl Piper

Speaker 3: Michael Said
Title: Being Social
Project # 4 Advanced Manual Speaking to inform – fact finding report
Evaluator: Sam Ekinci

Speaker 4: Linda Snalam
Title: Toy Story
Project # 2 Adv. Manual Speaking to inform – Resource for informing
Evaluator: Gary Wilson

Awards:

Best Table Topic: David Griffiths – Contest Winner

Best Speaker: Rodrigo Lucero

Best Evaluator: Gary Wilson

Meeting Closed: 9.50 pm