

# Rotary Club of Lincoln Colonia - Newsletter



**HELLO EVERYONE**

**Welcome to our Autumn Newsletter**

A quick look back at the summer's events:



Our Rotary year started with the handover from outgoing president James Wood to our new president, Doug Scott (centre)

Jim Murray takes up the role of President Elect

This year, two Paul Harris Fellowship awards were given to Corrine Morris & Judith Holden for their outstanding service to the club.

This year 145 students from St. Christopher's School, supported by 36 staff and 3 Rotarians celebrated Rotary Kids Out in style. In all, 4 separate trips were organized.

- 1) A number of students had a brilliant day at the Lincolnshire Show
- 2) All the students in 'Middle School' went to the Odeon to see the Disney film *Wreck it Ralph 2*. On returning to school they enjoyed pizza and wedges.
- 3) An old favourite to Woodside Falconry, where the students enjoyed watching the tiger being fed, the animal show and penguins. The meerkats, parrot and giant tortoises were given plenty of attention too - as was the ice cream!
- 4) The more able students went to GoApe at Sherwood Pines, where the students clambered through the tree tops and had a wonderful time

**Proceeds from the Lincoln Sausage Festival funded these events**

In July we donated £500 to Buddies Dementia Café to sponsor their Afternoon Tea fundraising event. In total over 100 tickets were sold and Nettleham village hall was transformed with balloons, plants, bunting and fairy lights.

Musical entertainment was provided by some very talented people who had kindly offered their services free of charge in support of Buddies.

The event was a great success and monies raised will ensure that Buddies can continue to provide companionship and support to their members and their dedicated carers.

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### **Future Events - Dates for your Diary**

24 <sup>th</sup> September	<b>Dr Anna Scott will be giving a talk about the forthcoming Mayflower 400 celebrations.</b> Next year is 400 years since the Pilgrim Fathers set sail from England for the New World. They were mainly from the Gainsborough area and embarked from Immingham initially, to avoid being persecuted for their religious beliefs. <b>This is an amazing story and guests are welcome to join us.</b>
1 <sup>st</sup> October	A presentation by David George about our environment
8 <sup>th</sup> October	Presentation about Buddies Dementia Café
<b>12<sup>th</sup> October**</b>	<b>Lincoln Sausage Festival – Castle Square &amp; Grounds</b>
15 <sup>th</sup> October	Business/Council meeting
22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Santa Fun Run planning meeting
29 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Forum regarding membership
5 <sup>th</sup> November	Presentation by Elise Fischer about working for Ferrari
12 <sup>th</sup> November	Social Evening
19 <sup>th</sup> November	Business/Council meeting
26 <sup>th</sup> November	Barista Tour & Meal at Stokes – The Lawn Complex
3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Presentation from the Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust
10 <sup>th</sup> December	SGM
<b>15<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Lincoln Santa Fun Run &amp; Walk – Uphill Lincoln</b>
17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner

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### **\*\* Lincoln Sausage Festival 2019 – Celebrating all things sausage!**

Sausages for sale, sausages to eat, cooking demonstrations by Lincolnshire chef - Rachel Green, circus activities for the kids & entertainment from the Cosmic Sausages.

**Mr. Sausage will be back again this year – He'll be stepping out with his new friend, Ms. Sausage**

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The Rotary Club of Lincoln Colonia will be sponsoring two youth programmes in the coming months:

**YOUNG CHEF** – Do you know any budding young cooks aged 11-17 years?

The Rotary Young Chef competition gives entrants the opportunity to put their culinary skills to the test and be judged by leading industry professionals.

**RYLA** – Rotary Young Leaders Award – Colonia will be sponsoring 2 candidates (age group 13-16 years) to attend a two day residential course at an outdoor educational centre in Derbyshire next February. The aim is to develop their self-reliance, teamwork and leadership skills.

If you're interested, or know anyone who could be interested in either of the above please contact: [enquiries@coloniarotary.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@coloniarotary.co.uk) for more details.

Unless otherwise stated, we meet at the Lincoln Hotel, Eastgate at 6.45pm each Tuesday, where we enjoy an excellent two- course meal at a cost of £16.50.

We would be delighted if you'd like to join us, but we do ask that you let us know a couple of days in advance please, so that a meal is available.

If you would like to add friends or colleagues to our mailing list please give us brief details.

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