Rotary Club of Braunton
August 2017 Newsletter

Whats on this month

2nd August No meeting,
Independent Day out at the North Devon Show

9th August International Committee and Community Committee
followed by lunch and speaker
James Benning, President of Caen Rotary

16th August Lunch as normal
followed by an Open Meeting

23rd August Club Council and Business

30th August No Meeting as it’s the
5th Wednesday in the month, its
Ladies Night at Ilfracombe Golf Club. With a Speaker Victoria
Squire from the Braunton Army Cadets. More details to follow.

See Dates for your diary below for more Club activities this month

Birthdays this Month

19th Marjorie Cork
24th Ann Masterson and Helen Welsh

Happy Anniversary to
Helen and Ian Welsh on the 19th

Message from Kira Farm Student Susan.

Greetings of joy from Kira Farm. How are you doing? Hope all is well with you. It is all excitement on Kira as we welcome back each other from our short holidays. It is so amazing how this training is transforming all our lives, in just two weeks all my friends have an impressing story of change to share. Personally I had a great time with my family. One of the things Kira has helped me change is improving my confidence. Can you believe I was able to pass all my assessments before going back home!

It is this same confidence that helped me teach my family better hygiene practises of using tippy taps to wash hands after the use of the toilet something I personally learnt in the first semester. Together with my friends from Kira, we came together during the holiday and sat our families and we discussed with them on how we can work together to transform the community. They were all pleased that we had solutions to the bad farming practices in our village. They all agreed to arrange a piece of land that we shall use after our training as a demonstration place more like Kira so that all people from the village can share our knowledge.

You will still hear lots of updates from me in the second and last half of my training.

Love Susan.

This last letter clearly demonstrates the help given by the Club to this young lady, well done

International Committee
ANITA Forbes Rotary Exchange Student from Australia revisits the Club with her children

North Devon Sinfonia,

The Club has made donation to the Sinfonia to help with travelling expenses to South Korea where the group will be representing the UK. You may remember the sinfonia won a BBC competition as the Best Amateur Orchestra last year.

The Club hopes to arrange a Concert with this group in Braunton in the autumn, watch this space.

30 Pupils from Braunton Academy enjoying the Rugby Day out Funded by the Club

Boys from The Academy at Sandy Park Exeter for Rugby Sevens.

Dates for the Diary

Friday 18th August The Great Braunton Ball Race. More details to follow.

Friday 25th August, Sports Day at Eastleigh Beara courtesy of Chris and Doreen Nicholas.

Sunday 27th August Treasure Hunt on Croyde Beach start at 11.00am

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