



humanity in motion

club bulletin

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rotary club of Locks Heath / district 1110

- Mar 4 - Zoom Phil Godfrey, RC Solihull – Round Britain Rail Tour – in aid of Antiphospholipid Syndrome
- Mar 18 - Zoom
- Apr 1 - Zoom Business Meeting
- Apr 15 - Zoom
- Apr 29 - Zoom

Forthcoming Events

Jul 18 – Jazz at the Vineyard

Birthdays this Month. Happy Birthday to: -
Chris Milburn & Roger Baker

February 2021 Review

At our first meeting in February, we had a talk from Viv Carter on Honeypot. Viv has a connection to Locks Heath Rotary because her grandfather was Rotarian Derek Thomerson who was Club President in 1980-81 and in 2006-07.

Honeypot is 25 years old in 2021 and caters for children aged from 5 to 12 years old, who are themselves carers. They help the children by providing Respite Breaks at weekends and ‘Social Emotional and Learning Breaks’ from Monday to Thursday. They take groups of 12 children during the week. After Respite breaks, they continue with Outreach support including days out or a day out at Honeypot.

Despite being shut now for nearly a year, they have adapted their services in order to keep in touch with children. They send birthday cards for instance. They are doing ‘Care Calls’ as a lot of children are ‘zoomed out’ with all the zoom school work.

They will continue with Weekend Breaks as soon as possible in a ‘Covid Secure’ environment.

We hope to arrange a visit to their New Forest site in due course.

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Viv did inform us that there is a plaque on a shed in their grounds recognising our earlier donations to Honeypot.



Honeypot need nearly £2m a year to continue to provide support to young carers across the UK and receives no government funding.

Lord Wilson Academy

It is usually around spring that Lord Wilson Academy have their Prize Giving where several shields that we have donated including one for 'Endeavour' are presented to the children. Unfortunately it looks like this year, like last, Prize Giving will be cancelled but a picture has emerged of a Prize Giving from a few years ago where our shield was presented!



Interesting Facts

- McVities produce 3 million chocolate digestives per day
- In the first four weeks of the pandemic, Britons spent £19m on biscuits (all those cups of tea...lots of dunking)
- Collectively, Americans take over 300,000 years to complete their annual tax returns
- Vitamin B6 helps you remember your dreams
- 30,000 napkins per month are stolen from Jamie Oliver's restaurants

Have you joined the Locks Heath Lottery? Do you know friends who would like to join?

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Locks Heath Rotary

A pink lottery wheel with numbers 1-9 and 0-9 on it, surrounded by several floating numbers in colored circles (2, 6, 3, 8, 4, 5, 1, 7, 8, 6).

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