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Rotary club of Locks Heath / District 1110

<u>Mtg Date</u>	<u>Duty Rotarian</u>	<u>Venue & Activity</u>
Aug 15		BBQ
Aug 29		Rising Sun
Sept 5	Colin Baker	Council & Business Meeting, Victory Hall
Sept 19		Strawberry Field Tavern

Forthcoming Events

August 15th – BBQ at President Chris’ house. Partners are welcome.

August 29th – 5th Tuesday of month. Rising Sun, Warsash. Partners are again welcome.

September 5th – Council & Business Meeting.

Happy Birthday to: -
Stephen Kirby, John Murray.

July Review

July 4th was our handover meeting at the Victory Hall. Thanks were expressed to David Creal for a successful year as outgoing President and Chris Milburn took up the role.

We were delighted that Nick Young became the newest addition to our membership and he immediately agreed to take on the role of Marketing lead.

The Council had its first Council Meeting of the new Rotary year followed by a Business Meeting.

We held a short quiz just for fun as it was US Independence Day, and the opportunity was just too good to miss:

It’s July 4th – US Independence Day so here is a quick quiz just for fun. Good luck.

Declaration of Independence

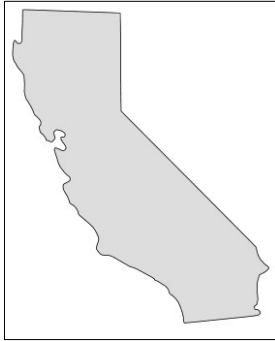
1. Did George Washington sign the Declaration?
2. When was it signed?
3. How many colonies which became the first states were there at that time?
4. When did the UK government recognise the independence of the USA?

Commerce

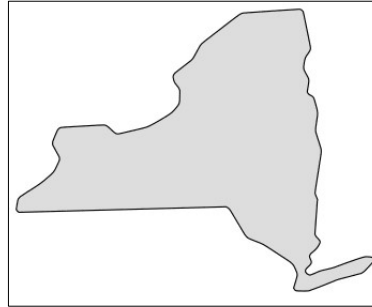
1. When did Amazon open its doors?

2. McDonalds started as a business in 1940 but in what year did it open its first UK restaurant?
3. The Ford Model T can be called the first mass-produced car. It was produced from 1908. When did it cease production?
4. In which years did BA scheduled Concorde flights begin and end?

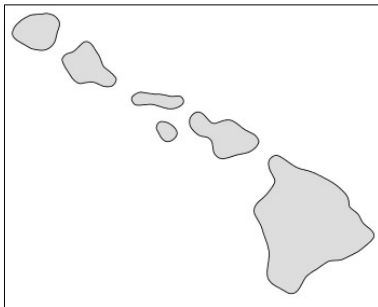
Picture Round – can you identify these US states?



A.



B.



C.



D.

Our next meeting was a social evening at The Hook in Warsash, continuing our practice of having social evenings at different places around our area. Not only can this be good fun but it also raises our profile locally. Please do feel free to bring your partner to our social meetings if you would like to do so.

Meetings in September and October 2023

Tuesday 5th September – Council and Business Meeting at the Victory Hall

Tuesday 19th September – Strawberry Field Tavern, Locks Heath

Tuesday 3rd October – Victory Hall

Tuesday 17th October – The Bugle, Titchfield

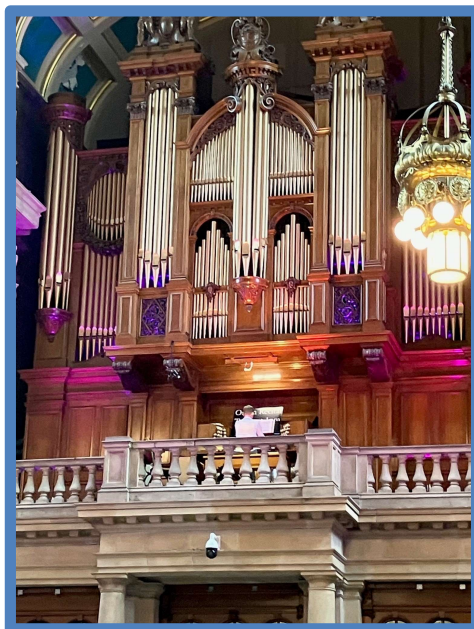
Tuesday 31st October – Charter Night, Victory Hall

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

And finally..

On Saturday 8th July 2023 I attended the Meadowside Music Festival in Whiteley and bought a raffle ticket from our Rotary Club of Whiteley colleagues. Sadly, but not surprisingly, I did not win but did have a nice chat with them.

Treasurer John Selby recently had a marathon journey to Glasgow. There were train cancellations, train delays, and as usual he triggered the alarm at the airport, but it seems the journey was well worth it. It was gloriously warm in Glasgow and he was able to attend a Bach organ recital at the wonderful Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum. President Chris, this photo is especially for you...



Please do stay safe and keep well.

This is my first Bulletin as I take over from Stephen. I am always grateful for any interesting articles for the Bulletin. Your September Bulletin will be short if no one gives me any articles.