

# Rotary Club of Sussex Inc.

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Club # 6355 / District # 7810

## Cowbell

Date: May 14, 2012

**Attendance:** Rhoda, Robert L., Jason, Rick, Bob B., Donna & Robert Jr.

**Regrets:** Lou, Stewart, Bruce, Andrew, Wendy, Barb, Peter, Bob T., Harley, Murray & Bob Sr.

**GUEST SPEAKER:** Christy Clarke – Earth Spirit Horse Rescue

**Guests:** None

50/50: Andrew

Rotary Grace

Toast to the Queen

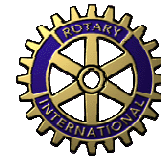
**Rotary Minute:** Noted below is the schedule of who is doing the Rotary Minute during each meeting. Please be sure to mark you calendar. You can also find material on our web site [www.sussexrotary.org](http://www.sussexrotary.org) or on RI's [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org) or the Rotary magazine. If you are not able to attend on the meeting of your minute, please find a substitution for your slot.

\*\*\*Note; emails and contact phone #'s may be on this list for the purpose of getting information for the introduction.

### Minute, Chair, Intro & Thanker for:

#### Rest of 2012 Rotary Year

Date	Rotary Minute	Chair	Intro	Thanker	
30-Apr-12	Lou McNamara	Barb Crowe			
7-May-12	Bruce Northrup	Lou McNamara	Rick Fazari	Andrew Palmer	
14-May-12	Wendy Osborne	Bruce Northrup	Kim Pearson	Kim Pearson	
28-May-12	Andrew Palmer	Barb Crowe			Business Meeting
4-Jun-12	Kim Pearson	Robert Lockhart	Jeremy Erickson	Jason Sturgeon	
11-Jun-12	Jason Sturgeon	Jason Sturgeon	Jason Sturgeon	Bob Tremblett	
18-Jun-12	Bob Tremblett	Bob Tremblett	Donna Gilchrist		
25-Jun-12	Rhoda Wilson	Barb Crowe			Business Meeting



Noted below is the updated list of future guest speaker.

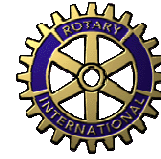
May 14, 12 Christy Clarke – Earth Spirit Horse Rescue  
 June 04, 12 Greg Keith – Relay for Life  
 June 11, 12 Robin Doull – Sussex Health Centre

## THE NEXT FEW MONTHS!!!!

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>START PLANNING</u>
MAY	- Pets & Sets	- District Conference
	- Camp Rotary Clean-Up	- Coats for Kids
	- District Youth Merit Awards	- Committee Chairs & Members (New Year)
JUNE	- District Conference	- NONE
	- International Conference	- Purple Pinkie @ Balloon Fiesta
	- Grad Bursaries	
	- GSE	
	- Flower Wheel	
	- Budget	
	- By-Laws	
	- Vote in Honorary Members	

**Minute:** Robert jr. did the minute on the bike racks we will have at the FCC and passed around the photo taken when the bikes were delivered.

**Guest – Christy Clarke** – Earth Spirit Horse Rescue is like an SPCA for Horses and combined with a pairing with youth. It started when she was a young girl and she never grew out of the “horse crazy” love for the animals. When she was young she always got details about what people did for a living, not just their title but what they actually do. She quickly realized that no one actually does what she has always wanted to do so she decided that she needs to become an entrepreneur. She is currently pursuing her PHD.



The results between animals and children are phenomenal. Most children will come for 3-4 days at a time and are mainly from the city so they don't get a chance like this too often. Their goal is youth empowerment and suicide prevention and they inspire positive change by using the horses as camp councilors. Sussex will be their home. She grew up in Rothesay SJ area but always wanted to move to Sussex. They are not fully operational yet and are actively looking for help with fundraising.

The youth age range is 8 years old and up but she personally helps adults with programs as well.

**Next Meeting** - No Meeting on Monday as a result of the holiday.

**Auction Item Contacts** – Robert Jr. passed around a list of contacts that have not had continued success so members can note if they want to keep, want to pass on or want the club to stop approaching all together and this list was then given to Robert Lockhart to update and record.

**DGE Allan Maclellan** – Allan will be coming to Sussex for his club visit on the 25<sup>th</sup> of June. This will be a social on Monday evening and the host will be Melissa and Robert Jr. at the venue of Theresa & Robert Sr.'s home.

**Relay** - Greg Keith will be here on the 4<sup>th</sup> with the relay for life.

**Highway Clean** - Up will be this weekend, May 19<sup>th</sup> at Tim's 8:00.

**Prospective member meeting** – Club was in favor of another prospective member guest meeting some time in the next few weeks.

**Membership Invoices** – Invoices are done and will be emailed. We will be paying dues in early July on every member's behalf so please contact Robert L. or Bob B. or Robert Jr. asap if you will not be renewing. Thank you.

**Dinner & Auction tickets** – If you sold dinner tickets to individuals needing a tax receipt, please see Robert Lockhart as he will be doing up the receipts for the next little while.

**Meeting Adjourned.**

**\*\*\* Please note that I have included our Rotary Club Calendar with this Cowbell. \*\*\***

**Stay tuned for the Next Cowbell!!!**