

Rotary Club of Rotherham Sitwell District 1220

Club Bulletin

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September 2025

Meetings: Thursday evenings
See Club Meetings for more information.

Officers & Committee Chairs 2025-26

President	Martin Davis
President Elect	Vacant
Vice President	Vacant
Secretary	Steve Burns
Treasurer	Jackie Saunders
Immediate past President	Peter Short

Chairmen of Committees

Admin/Club Service	Steve Burns
Membership/Social	Steve Burns
Publicity/PR	Peter Waudby
Community	Julia Jenkins
International/Rotary Foundation	Chris Croker

Other Officers

Assistant Secretary	Vacant
Assistant Treasurer	Alan Holloway
Archivist	Chris Williams
Attendance Officer	Phil Crutchley
Bulletin Editor	Chris Williams
Environmental Officer	Phil Crutchley
Health & Safety Officer	John Sparrow
Safeguarding Officer	Vacant
Sergeant at Arms	Roger Green
Welfare Officer	Trevor Johnson

Council Members

Martin Davis, Steve Burns, Jackie Saunders, Peter Short,
Alan Holloway, Julia Jenkins, Tom Knight, Chris Croker,
Peter Waudby

Trustees of Benevolent Fund

Alan Holloway, Trevor Johnson, Peter Keary



Club Meetings for September
All 6.30 for 7.00pm at SPGC,
cost £20.00 + £1.50 tip,
unless otherwise stated.

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unless otherwise stated.**

**Sin bins will be applied for
absence with no apology.**

4 September Fellowship meeting

FRATS: John Sparrow

GRACE: Kamal Zaman

11 September Fellowship meeting

FRATS: John Turner

GRACE: Gurnam Basran

18 September Committee meetings

25 September Business meeting

FRATS: Peter Waudby

GRACE: Chris Croker

**Frats & Grace – your responsibility to find
alternates if you cannot attend. Please advise
John Sparrow of any changes you've agreed.**

Council Meeting
Thursday 4th September at
5.30pm
Venue: SPGC
Observers welcome

Club Meetings for October
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2 October Fellowship meeting

FRATS: Ian Saunders

GRACE: Phil Crutchley

9 October Speaker meeting tba

FRATS: Gurnam Basran

GRACE: Paul Daniels

16 October Committee meetings

23 October Meeting with partners
7 for 7.30 pm

FRATS: Chris Croker

GRACE: Tony Eden

30 October Business meeting

FRATS: Phil Crutchley

GRACE: Judith Grant

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Council Meeting
Thursday 2nd October at
5.30pm
Venue: SPGC
Observers welcome

Coast & Castles Newcastle to Edinburgh



Tom Knight and Steve Burns are cycling from Newcastle to Edinburgh to raise vital funds for Shiloh and Rotherham Cancer Care from 9th to 12th September.

Tom is a trustee of Shiloh, a Rotherham charity that offers support to adults who are homeless, or at risk of becoming homeless.

Steve is a trustee of Rotherham Cancer Care Centre which offers support to people living with cancer and their nearest relative or carer.

Together they have decided to cycle 100 miles from Newcastle to Edinburgh to raise funds to support these very worthy causes.

You can donate online at

https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/coastandcastles25?utm_medium=CA&utm_source=EM

Pig Racing

Friday, October 3rd 7pm Sitwell Park Golf Club

Four organisations, Rotary, Round Table, 41 Club and Tangent are getting together to organise a social evening, Pig Racing, to raise money for a project at Rotherham Opportunities College. This will buy equipment and train teachers to enable adults of between 16 and 21 with learning difficulties to produce their own podcasts, blogs and radio shows, giving them life-long skills to help them in the future.

The evening starts at 7pm and there will be seven races. Each race will be sponsored for £30 and each of six pigs will be sponsored for £5. The sponsors will get their names in the

programme, and the race sponsor will receive a bottle of Prosecco, and the winning pig owner will get a bottle of wine. The price of entry will be £15. and the event is open to partners and guests and members of the public.

After the fourth race a meal of loaded fries (loaded with pulled pork, chilli or a veggie topping) will be served.

Betting will be on a tote basis with 50% going to people betting on the winning pig and 50% to ROC. There will also be a raffle.

Our club has been asked to provide one or two race sponsors, nine pig sponsors and a decent raffle prize. We would also need to sell about 30 tickets at £15 each.

Any member who wishes to buy any tickets or sponsor a race or a pig, or has a raffle prize, should contact Secretary Steve Burns by e-mail, text, telephone or personally.

Happy Birthday

September 26th

Roger Green

Next Bulletin

The next bulletin is scheduled to be published in early October. Any contributions will be most welcome, please email to me by 26th September.