



JERUSALEM ROTARY CLUB (District 2490)

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OUR PROGRAM TODAY

Business Meeting and Candidate for District Governor P/P Ran Lin of the Hod Hacarmel Club

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

December 15 David Horvitz, Editor-in-Chief, Jerusalem Post

Topic "**The Jerusalem Post -- Present and Future.**"

Dec 22 – H.E. Moises Russ, Ambassador of Guatemala.

Topic: Guatemala Today

December 29 -To be announced

January 7 - Mid-Year District Conference, to be held in Herzliya



Rotary 4-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?"

You cannot do a kindness too soon, for you never know how soon it will be too late. -Ralph Waldo Emerson {1803-1882 American Poet & Essayist}

SEEKING GUEST SPEAKERS

Suggestions Welcome for Upcoming Programs

Contact Club Programme Chairman Art Braunstein with your ideas for upcoming guest speakers at

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting Presided over by P/ Rafi Aldor

P/P RIZEK ABUSHARR TO RECEIVE AWARD AT DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Six "Jury of the Tolerance Shields" will be awarded at the District Conference on Inter-Communal Understanding, to be held at Beit Hageffen in Haifa on Friday, December 17. The District has decided to award one of the six Shields to P/P Rizek Abusharr. The awardees have been selected for their contribution to interfaith coexistence within their Rotary activities. We believe that many of our Club members will want to honor Rizek and participate in the Conference. Another highlight in the program: a guided visit to the Arab neighborhood of Wadi Nisnas, which has recently become a center of cultural and artistic activity. Register with Club Secretary David Seligman.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE TO SELECT DISTRICT GOVERNOR

The Business Meeting agenda includes election of the Club's choice for District Governor 2006/7, after having listened to the three contestants.

The election by all the District's clubs will be held at the Mid-Year District Conference, to be held in Herzliya on January 7. Our Club has two votes.

OUR CLUB WEBSITE

Make a point to visit our Rotary Club Website at

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INVOCATION

P/P Amram Miller quoting Ibn Ezra

"He who walks on a paved way will evade difficulties"

SPECIAL BIRTHDAY EVENT

Rev. Canon Bill Broughton's 75th Birthday Celebration on Monday, 6 December at 10.00 - 17.00. Conference title: "Archaeology and Early Christianity" at the Jerusalem University College/ Institute of Holy Land Studies, Mount Zion; from 18.00 - 19.00, 'Bach for Bill' organ concert at the Redeemer Church, Old City; from 19.30 - 21.00, Reception at the Redeemer Church, Old City.

INTERNATIONAL TOAST

P/P Georges Baum offered the International Toast. To the Dunarea de Jos Galati Rotary Club in Galati, Romania (District 2241). Galati is at the mouth of the Danube River on the Black Sea. The Club members meet on Monday at 7 PM at the Master Club.

WEEK # 20- DECEMBER 1, 2004

MY JOB TALK BY NEW CLUB MEMBER – YARON AMITAI

Yaron Amitai described his work as a 'Natural Resources Consultant' working mainly in South America. Most projects are with international agencies like the World Bank but he also works directly with governments. He described the restrictions on Israeli consultants resulting from attitudes that emerge from the ongoing conflict.

CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT GOVERNOR ADDRESSES CLUB

P/P Avraham Amitai attended our Club meeting and offered the reasons why he would be the right choice for District Governor in 2006-07.

ROTARY MOMENT

William B. Boyd named Rotary International President for 2006-07

William B. Boyd, of the Rotary Club of Pakuranga, Auckland, New Zealand, is the official nominee for president of Rotary International in 2006-07. Boyd's formal election will take place at the 2005 RI Convention in Chicago this June.

A former member and past president of the Rotary Club of Wellington South, New Zealand, Boyd has served RI as district governor, director, treasurer, member and chair of regional and international committees, group discussion leader and moderator at the International Assembly, and RI presidential representative to local and international conferences. As a Rotary leader, he has conducted training seminars in New Zealand, as well as Cook Islands, Fiji, and Western Samoa.

Devoting much of his time to supporting Rotary's PolioPlus program, Boyd has served as a member of the PolioPlus Task Force Coordinator in the PolioPlus Partners program, and consultant to the International PolioPlus Committee. He also chairs the management committee of *Rotary Down Under*, a Rotary regional magazine. He is a recipient of The Rotary Foundation's Citation for Meritorious Service and Distinguished Service Award.

Before his retirement in 1995, Boyd was general manager of Gordon & Gotch (NZ), Ltd., New Zealand's largest magazine distributor. He is a trustee of New Zealand's Trees for Survival Trust. He was a RI representative to the National Kidney Foundation and Intellectually Handicapped Society and is a former elder and youth leader in the Presbyterian Church and a warranted Scout master. He was also a rugby referee for 31 years.

ROTARY CLUB ATTENDANCE

October: 59.4% and November: 59.2%

JERUSALEM ROTARY CLUB ATTENDANCE 2004

October and November
7 Meetings

	Attended	%
ABUSHARR, RIZEK	3	42.9%
ACIMAN, NESIM (MIMI)	4	57.1%
ALDOR, RAFI	7	100.0%
AMITAI, YARON	2	28.6%
AVITAL, BENAD	4	57.1%
BAUM, GEORGES	2	28.6%
BEARE-ROSENBERG, BERNICE	0	0.0%
BRAUNSTEIN, ART	3	42.9%
BROUGHTON, WILLIAM	2	28.6%
CASSUTO, YOSSI	0	0.0%
CATS, FRED	7	100.0%
DARMON, ALEXANDRA	6	85.7%
DORON, SHALOM P.	6	85.7%
EDELSTEIN, DON	5	71.4%
EISENBERG, YOSSI	5	71.4%
ENGELSMAN, SIMON (BOB)	7	100.0%
FAIN, RICHARD	4	57.1%
FARBER, MARILYN	6	85.7%
FISHER, SAM	2	28.6%
HARRIS, RUTH	7	100.0%
JAFFE, FELIX	7	100.0%
KELMAN, MOSHE	6	85.7%
KHAYAT, SHLOMO	3	42.9%
LANDAU, BENJAMIN	1	14.3%
LEE, AVIVA	5	71.4%
LEWITT, IRENE	6	85.7%
LINDEMANN, BENEDIKT	0	0.0%
LOVAL, WERNER	5	71.4%
MARGULIES, WILLIAM	4	57.1%
METZGER, JOSE	3	42.9%
PRAIS, ARNOLD	2	28.6%
RAZ, MOSHE	6	85.7%
RODED, PERRY	3	42.9%
RYKNER, JEAN MICHEL	3	42.9%
SELIGMAN, DAVID	7	100.0%
SHRENSKY, DON	5	71.4%
SHUSTER, TOBY	4	57.1%
SPIGELMAN, AURI	5	71.4%
STUART, HELENE	6	85.7%
TAUBENHOUSE, ABRAHAM	3	42.9%
UNGAR, JACQUES	5	71.4%
WILSON, LEONARD (LEN)	4	57.1%
WISMAN, KERN	3	42.9%
ZOBER, MARK	6	85.7%
ZVIELLI, ALEXANDER	4	57.1%