

EUROTARY 87 - KORSØR 2006
15th Assembly, 9-11 June 2006.

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting.

Opening of the Assembly by the the EUROTARY 87 President Steen Friis-Olsen from Korsør Nor RC.

The President presented Arne Weldingh from Korsør Nor RC, as chairman of the meeting.

Arne Weldingh announced the rules of the meeting.

Item 1: Welcome by the president of Korsør Nor RC: Poul Erik Nielsen.

The President of Korsør Nor RC: Poul Erik Nielsen, welcomed all the participants from the Rotary Clubs of:
 RC Langenhagen-Wedemark, RC Kinshasa-Kingabwa, RC Wreake Valley, Etwall & Hilton RC, RC Albrighton & District, Thame Witchert RC, RC North Flyde, RC Golfe de Fos, RC Gordes, RC Ferney Voltaire, Göteborg-Säve RK, Kolbäck RK and Korsør Nor RK.

Item 2: Presentation of banners and short speeches by attending Clubs.

The chairman of the meeting called out the attending clubs for exchanging of banners with Korsør Nor RC.
 At the same time some of the clubs handed over gifts and spending to the Korsør Nor RC foundation.

Item 3: Minutes of the last AGM.

Jean Viste from RC Golfe de Fos presented the Minutes of meeting from the AGM in 2005, and handed out copies.
 The Minutes of meeting was adopted without dissent.

Item 4: Matter arising.

Peter Dalton from RC Wreake Valley reported about providing of a minibus for use by HOPE AND HOMES for children in the Oradea Area of Romania.

On the 31st. March 2006 he was able to advise the participating Clubs, that the purchase of a new Volkswagen minibus for Orade area of Romania had been completed. The bus was ordered in Germany and required some conversion work. The cost of the bus was £ 17,500 and was within a few pounds of the amount donated by the contributing Clubs of EUROTARY 87 together with the Matching Grant from Rotary Foundation.

Peter Dalton was grateful for the help and support, that EUROTARY 87 and the participating Clubs have given him in fulfilment of the project.

Peter Dalton request the participants in the annual meeting to pass on to the President and the members of the participants Club his grateful appreciation for the financial support, that they have given the project and the encouragement, they have given him along the way.

Item 5: Surprise presentation !!

Thame Wichert RC handed over at grate picture of an iron mosquito fully armed and ready for attack to Golfe de Fos RC. Maybe it is an other type than those, they have in southern France.

Item 6: Nicaragua-project by Aage Rønn Christensen, Korsør Nor Rotary Klub.

Aage Rønn Christensen from Korsør Nor RC was able to present 2 projects supported by the Korsør Nor RC in Nicaragua. The first projects that was brought to life with assistance from Korsør Nor RC, was to build up a school-library in the slum area of Managua, and the second project was to support another library with books and other material. This project was in Ticuantepe in the outskirts of Managua. The total cost for the two projects was \$ 42.000.

At the same time Aage Rønn Christensen presented the idea to continue supporting the first mentioned project with an new phase and asked the participants in EUROTARY 87 to donate to the next phase of the project.

Some of the meeting participants promised to bring the question for financial support to the Nicaragua project back to the home Clubs.

Item 7: 2007 EUROTARY 87 Assembly.

Thame Wichert RC are hosts for the next assembly, and they gave a CDrom presentation of the EUROTARY 87 in the year 2007 in Oxford in September.

In 2007 EUROTARY 87 will celebrate their 20th Anniversary and Oxfordshire will be celebrating 1000 years of existence in 2007, both events add value to visiting the EUROTARY 87 in Oxford.

The assembly will be from Friday 21st to Sunday 23rd September 2007 in Oxford Spires Four Pillars Hotel.

Brief program:

- Friday 21st:
Golf Tournament at the Whiteleaf Golf Club in Buckinghamshire of the Chiltern Hills.
Registration at the Oxford Spires Four Pillars Hotel.
Buffet supper reception at the Hotel.
- Saturday 22nd:
Tour of Oxford
Lunch at St. Edmund.
Visits to the Ashmolean Museum, the Oxford University Museum.
Shopping or relaxing.
Galla dinner in the fabulous Great Hall of Christ Church.
- Sunday 23rd:
Annual General Meeting.
Partner tour of Thame and surrounding villages.

Thame Wichert RC looks forward to see many members of all the EUROTARY 87 Clubs to the assembly.

Item 8: Hosting the 2008 EUROTARY Assembly.

No decision on this assembly !!!!! (Subsequent decided to RC Langenhagen-Wedemark !)

Item 9: Transferring the Precedence of EUROTARY 87 to the 2007 host club.

President Steen Friis-Olsen of Korsør Nor RC formally handed over the EUROTARY 87 Presidency to the President of Thame Wichert RC, the 2007 Assembly host club.

The 2007 Assemply President then closed the 2006 Assembly.

