



Rotary Club of Sedgley and Wombourne District 1210



ROUND AND ABOUT

February 4, 2009

We hope you enjoy reading this newsletter, which I has been sent to you as a member or friend of our Club,

Editor: [Roy Cleaver](#)

If you have any comments or questions, email the Club Secretary.

Future Speakers

Feb 26 2009

[Felicity](#) Corcoran
"Medical Student gap year Project" This will now take place at a later date.

Speakers being Arranged

"Wheels on Wheels"
BD Baker – "The Black Country"
"Russia" – Possible International Evening
"Dudley Disaster Management"
"Dudley Community Safety Strategy"

Upcoming Events

Last Night at the Proms – planning in progress

Feb 27 2009

President's Ladies Evening

Please confirm whether you will be attending

Mar 2 2009

District Council

Quality Hotel, Penkridge, 6.30 for 7.15

Mar 5 2009

St David's Evening

Hosted by Tipton Club. This was great fellowship last year so don't miss it.

Club 40th Anniversary

We will be visiting the [National Memorial Arboretum](#) at Alrewas on 29 April, **were** we hope to attend a service in the chanel at 11am followed

Volume 1, Issue 3

Meeting on February 5th

GSE Team visit on 5 February. Wives, friends and fellow Rotarians from the Tipton Club will be joining us.

Announcements

Attendance

Club attendance for January was 71.48%. That must be good for the coldest January in many years. A little more effort and we can get wine from the President!

Membership Services Committee

The next meeting will be at 6.30 on 10th February at the Kingfisher.

International and Foundation Committee

The next meeting will be at 12.30 on 10th February at the Kingfisher.

Burns Supper

Birthdays

Rotarian Ken Parkes will be celebrating his birthday on 7 February. Many Happy Returns Ken.

That's Funny

NINE WORDS WOMEN USE

(1)Fine: This is the word women use to end an argument when they are right and you need to shut up.

(2)Five Minutes: If she is getting dressed, this means a half an hour. Five minutes is only five minutes if you have just been given five more minutes to watch the game before helping around the house.

(3)Nothing: This is the calm before the storm. This means something, and you should be on your toes. Arguments that begin with nothing usually end in fine.

(4)Go Ahead: This is a dare, not permission. Don't Do It!!!!

by a dedication of the tree and plaque by a former member the Rev Stuart Huyton.

On April 30 we will be celebrating the Club's 40th Anniversary with a meal at the Kingfisher Hotel, followed by entertainment by Dandy. Friends and family are welcome.

News

(5)Loud Sigh: This is actually a word, but is a non-verbal statement often misunderstood by men. A loud sigh means she thinks you are an idiot and wonders why she is wasting her time standing here and arguing with you about nothing. (Refer back to # 3 for the meaning of nothing.)

(6)That's Okay: This is one of the most dangerous statements a woman can make to a man. That's okay means she wants to think long and hard before deciding how and when you will pay for your mistake.

(7)Thanks: A woman is thanking you, do not question, or faint. Just say you're welcome. (I want to add in a clause here - This is true, unless she says 'Thanks a lot' - that is PURE sarcasm and she is not thanking you at all. DO NOT say 'you're welcome'. That will bring on a 'whatever').

(8)Whatever: Is a woman's way of saying you are in the spare room tonight!

(9)Don't worry about it, I got it: Another dangerous statement, meaning this is something that a woman has told a man to do several times, but is now doing it herself. This will later result in a man asking 'What's wrong?' For the woman's response, refer to # 3.