



ROTARY CLUB of PAPAIOEA

President: David Everett

Meetings 5.30pm 1st & 3rd Wednesdays

Upstairs at FocalPoint, 223 Cuba St. Palmerston North



Bulletin 20th February 2026

Rev. Dr. Franco Vaccarino gave an insight into the varied work of the City Mission

The Sunshine session raised \$39

Trevor showed us the many objects he makes in his woodworking workshop

Parting thought from Kerry: "the pain of parting is nothing to the joy of meeting again" (Charles Dickens)

Club News: John G is now in care after suffering a stroke and sadly will be unable to return to Rotary

The Terrace End Memorial Trust has made a grant of \$2500 towards 18 year old Walker

attending a Spirit of Adventure course. Awarded distinction and a student leader he intends studying health science at university next year.

Duties	4 th March	18 th March
Host:	David H	John M
3 min talk:	Katrine	Roger
Sunshine:	Don	Dennis
Thanks + Parting Thought:	Bruce M	Bede

Upcoming Club Dinner Meeting at Focal Point

March 4th

Dr. Dori Torres-Rojas

Sustainable Nutrition Initiative, Riddet Institute, Massey University

"A Road to Better Nutrition in Kenya Through Food Systems Scenario Modelling"

Received from Arohanui Hospice:

Thank you for the time and care you gave to this year's Tree of Remembrance. Your support at the stand helped create a welcoming and respectful space for people to pause, reflect, and honour those important to them.

Events like this rely on the steady commitment of our volunteers. By generously giving your time, you helped ensure the Tree of Remembrance was both meaningful for our community and successful in supporting Arohanui Hospice.

Together, the Tree of Remembrance raised **\$48,616.32** this year. More than 436 volunteer hours were contributed across the campaign. That collective effort directly supports our work helping us continue to provide specialist palliative care, bereavement support, and community services across our region.

Your contribution is part of something much bigger than a single shift on the stand. It reflects the strength of our community and the shared commitment to ensuring hospice care remains available to those who need it.

Members: please apologise or add guests website :[Papaioea Web Page Members Area/Record My Attendance/tick if apologising /or +Guests](#) don't forget to then Submit.

Alternatively Txt to Don 027 222 8776

Always before 3pm Monday