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## Happy Handover

Rotary Club of Silves celebrated its Presidential Handover at The Holiday Inn, Armação de Pêra on the 30 June. Outgoing President Bart van Linden passed on the Rotary chain of office to David Trubshaw, the new President of RC Silves. David is a well-known local artist and presented Bart with a copy of his book "Haiku for you". The book contains Haikus and paintings by David. Proceeds from the sale of the book have been donated to Castelo dos Sonhos, a charity which RC Silves is proud to support. District Governor Abílio Lopes presented David with a tie and David gave him a gift of his Haiku books to sell with monies donated to the DG's chosen charities.



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## Garden Party raised €1100

On Sunday 19 June friends gathered at the home of Stewart and Linda for a garden party in aid of the Education Fund. Temperatures were just right in the beautiful garden of their home near Nora. We all enjoyed a wide range of delicious food provided by friends and members of the club. Incoming President David Trubshaw organised most of the games and winners were able to take home some fabulous prizes. A big thank you goes to Stewart and Linda for hosting the event and to all those who contributed to make such a successful day.



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## Gifts for Castelo dos Sonhos

Stewart & Linda of Silves Rotary Club hand over gifts of toys, baby clothes and toiletries to David Mossman of Castelo dos Sonhos.



These were collected and donated by Stewart's friends in Rotary Club of Burnham Beeches in UK

## Events

### An afternoon Fun

**25 August 16.00**

A quiz, a speaker and a traditional meal at Isabel Flores home in Silves.

### Car Treasure Hunt

**11 Sept 10.30**

The hunt begins and ends at the Holiday Inn, Armação de Pêra. A donation of €10 per car secures your place. The morning of fun is followed by lunch also at the Holiday Inn.

### Eigelstein Brass Concert in Silves Castle, 18 Sept

An evening of vibrant music in the magical surroundings of Silves Castle. Eigelstein Brass is a young, brass quintet based in Cologne, Germany. The evening will start at 18.00 with drinks before settling down to listen to a lively programme of music ranging from Gustav Mahler to Irving Berlin.

Tickets will be available shortly from RC Silves Rotarians. Keep the date in your diary.

## "Fellowship, Fundraising and Fun"

### Green Thoughts

Following the launch of RC Silves Global Warming Project, we offer a few tips to help you combat global warming.

Somebody's birthday, plant them a tree.

Light bulb broken, replace with an LED.

What is more important than the future of the planet?

### Dates for your diary

14 July 12.00, meeting at David Trubshaw's home, followed by lunch at Amadeus Garden, Alcalar

28 July 12:00, meeting at Colin Grundon's Home, followed by lunch at a local restaurant

11 August 12.00, meeting at David Trubshaw's home, followed by lunch at a local restaurant

25 August 16.00 Quiz, Speaker and a meal in Silves at Isabel Flores home.

11 Sept, 10.30, Treasure Hunt followed by Lunch, Holiday Inn, Armação de Pêra

18 Sept 18.00, Eigelstein Brass Concert, Silves Castle

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