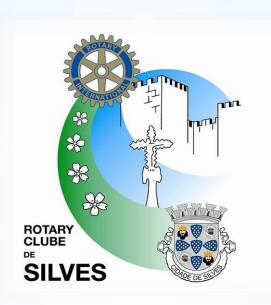
Rotary Clube de Silves



The Year 2014/2015

This Time Last Year....

I committed to continuing to :increase membership by raising the club profile;
support our chosen charities;
and

develop our multi media education programme.

We extended our reach to Friends of Rotary by using all the tools we have developed. Our Email list, Newsletter, Facebook, Twitter and website as well as local newspapers.







Thanks to Sheena Rawcliffe our Press Officer and Pam Winn our Webmaster.

Raising the Profile

Welcoming New Members

This year we welcomed Andre and Sue Winstanley to the Club. They have worked hard on the Fundraising committee to support our many good causes.





Raising the Profile



Pies and Tarts raised €815 for Castelo dos Sonhos. Thanks to David and Sue Butler Cole





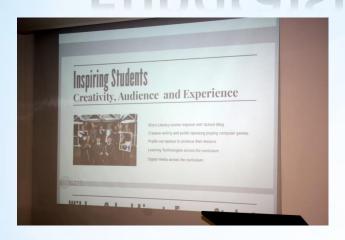
Supporting the Community



Mulled wine, minced tarts and much more raised €835 for Madrugada. Thanks to Andre and Sue for all their efforts



Supporting the Community



Film Night an audience of parents., teachers, students and rotarians enjoyed the 2014 Wildern Oscar nominated films all in aid of the Multimedia Education Project.



Working with the International Rotary Club of Almancil. We have raised funds Castelo de Sonhos.





At Christmas we contributed shoeboxes containing food and gifts to provide some added Christmas cheer to the needy of Silves.

Valentines night in Silves saw romance blossom and raised €1000 for the Education Programme.





The Fundraising Committee triumphed again.

Horse racing at Boa Vista Golf! The tote did not run away with it all to the Education Programmes benefit.

Thanks again to the Fundraising Committee and all those members and friends who supported the events.







Supporting the Community

From an idea by Peter Hinze from IRC Almancil blossomed the Cookery Competition. This years competition featured 14 teams. The final was held at The Conrad Hotel in April. "It was very close but Quarteira school was declared the winner.



The winning team received their trophy at the Gala Dinner with personalised aprons presented to both teams. Looking forward to next year!

Digital Media and Film Project





In July last year the first Silves Sul students submitted their films to the Wildern School Oscars in Southampton and 6 students travelled to the UK for the event. Sara Pina's film won Best International Film. This started the student and teacher exchange part of the project.

Digital Media and Film Project



In March this year 6 students from Wildern School came to the Algarve and joined the students of Escola de Silves Sul on the beach, at school and at the first Silves Sul Oscar ceremony. Their film "Everything Dairy" winning Best International Film.





The smile says it all!



Digital Media and Film Project
This year saw the first Silves Sul Oscars and 400 people
gathered to celebrate the students success!

Thank you to TV Messines for this coverage of the first Escola de Silves Sul Oscars.





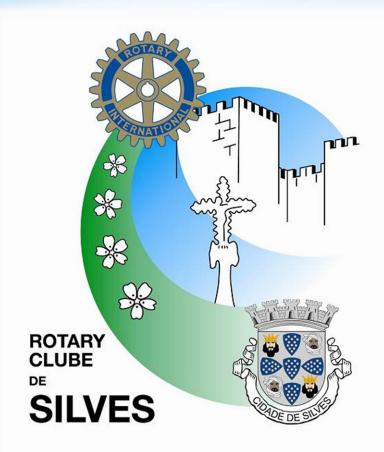
Others supported this year

We donated to the end polio now campaign following Bill Gates offer to triple all funds raised.





We funded two students to enable them to pursue their studies.



Thank you