INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OF SCOUTING ROTARIANS

IFSRinRIBI SECTION

UPDATE

Summer 2009

UPDATE Summer 2009 brings you news of IFSR's latest project with SHELTERBOX and other recent events, it does not replace WHEEL & WOGGLE or SCOUTING ROTARIAN which will follow in due course, for which we need your written contributions and photos.

IFSRinRIBI is a section within IFSR WORLDWIDE with around 1000 members in over 30 countries.

Contents of a SHELTERBOX

RODARY CLUBS are encouraged to link with "Scout Groups" which are aged from 6 to 25, to jointly provide more SHELTERBOXES.

"SCOUT GROUPS" are invited to link with Rotary Clubs who may help with funding, explain about SHELTERBOX, visit Scouting and form an ongoing link with our two great organisations.

SHELTERBOX has produced, for both ROTARY & SCOUTING the enclosed leaflet as on the left which has a registration form to be returned to ShelterBox and notify david.a.judge@virgin.net.

At Scouting's Headquarters in The White House at GILWELL PARK on 16th June 2009 IFSR held the 2009 AGM. We welcomed from USA, then current IFSR World President BUD ALLISON and his wife Jeanne and, now 2009-10 IFSR World President BRIAN THIESEN and his wife Rtn Carolyn.

More info in Wheel & Woggle.

SCOUTING's FOUNDER- ROBERT BADEN-POWELL's JAM ROLL Rolls Royce was a major attraction at Birmingham 2009. With IFSR double stand and JAM ROLL to staff, the two locations put greater pressure on the already stretched IFSR team. This included Ken Scott, David Raymer, Christine and David Judge and the two guys pictured with JAMROLL, Colin Jones and Michael Francis who took most of the pressure and did a sterling job. Thanks also to B-P JamRoll Trust, particularly Trustee Steve Hilditch for loan, delivery and collection of JAMROLL. More in Wheel & Woggle.

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GILWELL REUNION 2009
This will take place at Gilwell from Friday 4th to Sunday 6th September and IFSRinRIBI will share part of the large ShelterBox Stand when we will introduce the Project to Scouting Leaders. We hope many of you are attending. We urgently need volunteers to staff the stand on Saturday only, and are suggesting a two shift system either for the morning or afternoon, so you will have free time at Reunion. PLEASE VOLUNTEER NOW to david.a.judge@virgin.net as we have to register ALL volunteers with THE SCOUT ASSN as a p.

IFSR WEBSITE  www.ifsr-net.org
IFSR has a website, which we hope you visit regularly, but particularly NOW because we are aiming to update the RIBI Section and need your input as to what you suggest should be included. If you have comments on other aspects of IFSR overall website please send them to IFSR Webmaster Nathan A Wolfstein IV e-mail NAW1111@aol.com
For the present please visit www.ifsr-net.org  RIBI SECTION, review what is there and suggest what should be there to david.a.judge@virgin.net  PLEASE ACT NOW

RIBI CONFERENCE 2010 BOURNEMOUTH
RIBI will be in Bournemouth over the weekend of 16th -18th April 2010.
We hope many of you will be there and be willing to spend a few hours on the IFSR stand promoting IFSR.
Put the dates in your diary now and let us know when you will be available

IFSR FOUNDER MEMBER BECOMES ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT
We are very proud that IFSR Life Member John Kenny became R I President on 1st July 2009.
John is the first Scot to hold this high office and is a past IFSR Chairman/President.
John and our IFSRinRIBI Chairman David Judge first met when they were both Jaycees (Junior Chamber) officers in the 1960's and have remained good friends ever since.
John regularly acknowledges the value of his early Scouting training and the benefits it has given throughout his life. He is keen to see IFSR grow and challenges every IFSR member to bring in a new IFSR member during this Rotary Year, possibly even as a New Rotarian.
PLEASE RESPOND TO THIS CHALLENGE

CLIFF DOCHTERMAN PERSONALLY PRESENTS C D AWARD TO CHRISTINE JUDGE
At RI Birmingham Convention 2009 Cliff Dochterman and his wife Mary Elena left a luncheon as soon as he had spoken to ensure they arrived (by buggies) at IFSR AGM.
Cliff wanted to personally present a Cliff Dochterman Award to Christine Judge, which was a surprise to her and even David. Christine said she was doubly honoured, firstly to receive a CD Award and secondly to have it personally presented by Cliff.
Cliff, who is a longtime IFSR member, was installed at AGM as an IFSR Honorary Lifetime Member.
He also spoke in his usual entertaining style to the meeting.
It was also announced that RI President John Kenny had appointed David Judge to serve as a member of the RI FELLOWSHIPS COMMITTEE 2009-2012
Other awards & appointments will be detailed in Wheel & Woggle - please tell us of yours and those of others.

IFSR SUBS ARE DUE FOR 2009-10 AND EARLIER - AND WE NEED THEM - PLEASE
If you are not up to date with your subs please send a cheque to IFSR Treasurer Ken Scott, 2a Manland Way, Harpenden, Herts AL5 4QS renewal is £17 (or US$25) per annum Life £175 (US$275) All members, PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT and any incorrect info to francis@heathersett.fsnet.co.uk and david.a.judge@virgin.net .
To families of any IFSR members who've passed on, we offer our sympathy and apologies for mailing - please advise us.

IFSRinRIBI Officers elected for 2009-2010
Chair-David A Judge MBE david.a.judge@virgin.net Secretary-Michael Francis francis@heathersett.fsnet.co.uk Treasurer - Ken Scott kscott4tax@ntlworld.com Vice Chair - Colin Jones colinjonestoastmaster@hotmail.co.uk

FINALLY- EVERY IFSR MEMBER - PLEASE GET ACTIVE WITH SHELTERBOX PROJECT - GET YOUR ROTARY CLUB AND A LOCAL "SCOUT GROUP" INVOLVED. PLEASE SEND A COPY OF SHELTERBOX LEAFLET & UPDATE TO YOUR D.G. ASKING FOR THEIR SUPPORT - if you need more leaflets or information contact IFSRinRIBI Officers listed. but most of all -

ENJOY ROTARY and SCOUTING