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Kilmarnock Rotary Club Rotarians were recently entertained at the Park Hotel by Ayr Fort Players. This local theatre company has been entertaining audiences in Ayrshire and beyond since they were established in 1946. Ella Kerr, of the club, spoke to the rotarians, telling how she joined in 1965 and is the longest-serving member; her knowledge and experience showed in a wonderful series of tales and anecdotes. She has been part of over 100 productions in roles backstage, front of house, producer and as a performer. She has played parts as varied as a maid to Salome (although she did say it was a few years ago!) to Miss Marples. Ayr Fort survived numerous changes of venue with theatres burned down and closures but is still going strong. They are always keen to attract new members and further details can be found on their website.