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45 years helping the local community

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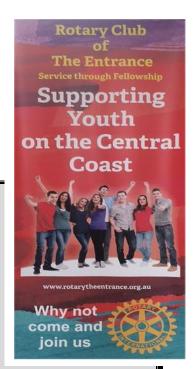
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FEBRUARY IS PEACE and CONFLICT/ RESOLUTION MONTH

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CATERING

To assist with seating could you make your apology or book in any guests to **PE Robin Hearder** by telephone call or SMS by noon on Monday on 4333 8087 or 0404 160 548

Child Protection – apply at <u>WWW.check.ccyp.nsw.gov.au/Application/Applicants</u>

Use the name on your driver's licence. Receive a number APPxxxxxx. Attend RMS office with number & proof of ID. A WWC number ending with V will follow by E-mail eg. QQC1234567V

FEBRUARY 23RD THE BIRTHDAY OF

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



Members present: David and Anthes Adermann, Robin Hearder, David Waterhouse, Gordon Crawford (President), Con Bartsos (Secretary), Stephen Hammond -Parker, Martin and Barbara Davies.

Meeting commenced at 1830 with Presidents' Report.

Advised Michael Sawziak had resigned from club.

membership campaign to be redirected to Stephen Hammond-Parker, also publicity.

Targets for cash grants through Dick Smith discussed.

Also theatre night and District grants.

Board meeting for both existing and incoming Directors to be held on Thursday evening at the Crawford household.

Treasurers report on figures received and disbursed for February, being 27726 received and 29583 disbursed. Over 40K to be given out this year.

Secretary Report – Alan away for approx. 3 weeks, including board meeting. Photos from last week requested. Dropbox for club discussed.

International – David Waterhouse – discussion on polio eradication campaign and RAM anti-malarial campaign, vaccine being developed with Rotary. Over 200 million cases worldwide with 438K deaths. Vaccine trials in New Guinea and Solomon Islands.

PE Robin discussed tracheoma campaign in Australia.

Stephen Hammond-Parker discussed BBQ details re dates.

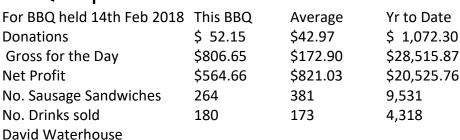
Dinner taken at 1900.

After dinner members were treated to a profile from David and Anthea, which was greatly appreciated.

Meeting closed at 2030.

Thanks to Martin for these notes

BBQ Report





You are invited

Monday the 19th March, 6;30 for 7pm At the Burwood RSL, 96 Shaftsbury Road, Burwood \$40

Bookings: W. Bock

wbock@optusnet.com.au - 9630 7440

Len, our keynote speaker at the 2018 RAWCS Tribute Address, at the Burwood RSL on the 19th March 2018, with his long-time friend Dame Marie Bashir

We will get the benefit of his decades of Australian and overseas insight.



BUNNINGS BBQ ROSTER

FEBRUARY as at 21t Jan

First Shift - Morning

Times: Day Manager 7.30 am to 1pm Others 8am to 1pm

DateDay Manager2ICHelperHelper 2Reserve 1Wed 21/2/18Martin DaviesGordon CrawfordSue KempStephen H-P

Wed 28/2/18 Stephen H-P PCYC

Second Shift - Afternoon

Time: 12 Noon to 4pm

Date Day Manager 2IC Helper Helper 2 Reserve 1

Wed 21/2/18 Robin Hearder Torben Nielsen Alan Palmer Stephen H-P

Wed 28/2/18 David Adermann PCYC Stephen H-P

Invitation to a Comedy Night Gosford RSL Club

Saturday March 10



Support Cystic Fibrosis

(click on the pdf link)



eNewsletter February 2018

ShelterBox is proud to be a Project Partner of Rotary International



Have you been thinking about signing up for our amazing Nepal Trek? Now is the time to put your hand up!

Join Peter Pearce OAM on the ShelterBox Nepal Trek 2018 and help ensure no family goes without shelter following disaster. Peter has deployed with ShelterBox 20 times, including the 2015 Nepal earthquakes.

Trek the majestic Annapurna region and raise funds for ShelterBox. Every step you take you helps us rebuild communities after disaster strikes.

ShelterBox Australia has partnered with Inspired Adventures to bring you an enlightening and engaging experience. For details see: https://inspiredadventures.com.au/events/ShelterBox-Nepal-Trek-2018/



Philippines - Tropical Storms Kai Tak & Tembin

Just before Christmas, Mindanao Island in the Philippines was stuck by **Tropical Storms Kai Tak** and **Tembin**. The storms triggered mudslides and flooding, initially displacing over 140,000 people and killing hundreds.
Our response to these Tropical Storms is the first of its kind through the new ShelterBox Operations Philippines model, making use of incountry networks and local pre-positioning.
Collaborating closely with the **Rotary Club of Biliran** and other local Rotary contacts, our response was both swift and effective, assisting



964 families with a mix of ShelterBoxes, ShelterKits and essential items like solar lights and mosquito nets.

Nobody will win the battle of the sexes. There's too much fraternising with the enemy. Henry Kissinger





Date: 14th February, 2018

Location: B1

Time Meeting Opened: 2:20pm

Number in attendance: 7 students

Minutes taken by: Mrs Stacey Carpenter-Salmon

Time Meeting Closed: 3:05pm

Agenda Item	Notes	To be Actioned	By Who?
Permission Notes	All students in attendance have now provided Mrs Carpenter with a permission note to attend after school meeting – thank you.	Print 2018 permission notes for new members.	Mrs Carpenter
Funds raised over the Christmas break	Mr Crawford presented the club with 2 cheques for fundraising activities that took place over the Christmas break (raffle tickets sold and Bunnings BBQs). They totalled \$404.87.	To be put into new school holding account set up by Shannon Spain titled the 'Charity Fundraising Account'.	Mrs Carpenter
Election of members	Rather than wait for more members, Mr Crawford encouraged us to decide upon club positions at this meeting. The results are: Interact Club President: Anne Hammond Interact Club Vice President: Zac Cobham Interact Club Treasurer: Yoong Tran Interact Club Secretary: Still open	Secretary position t be filled by Mrs Carpenter at this point – it is suggested that Maddy Sloey in Year 8 would like this role and Mrs Carpenter will talk to her before the next meeting.	
Agenda Item	Notes	To be Actioned	By Who?
Fundraising for Jasmine Bannister in Year 10 – World's Greatest Shave	Jasmine has asked that the Interact Club assist her in fundraising for the World's Greatest Shave and she will be shaving her head in March (at home). The club has agreed to help in running some fundraising activities over the next month.	Plan activities and carry them out before March 17 th .	All club members.
Wheelchairs for Kids	The club had a visit from Mr Derek Andrews and Richard (need last name) from the Mosman Rotary Club, who provided us with information and visuals about running a Wheelchairs for Kids Event. The students had robust discussion regarding options and a proposal will be drawn up and put forward to Mrs Player in the next fortnight, before the next meeting.	Complete proposal and forward to Mrs Player	Anne Hammond and Mrs Carpenter



President Gordon presenting two cheques to Anne Hammond at the Interact Meeting



SPIN & WIN ROSTER

Please note: Spin & Wins times are now 10.00am to 12.30pm

Saturday March 17 Michael Sawczak

Robin Hearder

Easter Eggs Stephen Hammond-Parker

Con Bartsos Torben Nielsen

Saturday March 24 Clive Denmark

Gordon Crawford

Easter Eggs Anthea Dean

David Adermann Torben Nielsen

CLUB PROGRAM FOR 2018 PE Robin Hearder

Day	Date	Activity	Time	Venue			
February							
Thurs	22 nd	Board Meeting	7.00pm	Gordon Crawford's home			
Tues	27 th	Julie Stevens – Max Potential	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara			
Wed	28th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah			
March	March						
Sat	3 rd	Wyong Race Club with RC Toukley @ 11am for lunch (Martin)		Wyong RC			
Tues	6 th	No Meeting					
Wed	7 th	PRIP John Germ (combined meeting)		Breakers (Wamberal)			
Sat	10 th -11 th	District Conference		Leura, Blue Myns			
Tues	13 th	Business Meeting	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara			
Wed	14 th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah			
Sat	17 th	Spin & Win	10.00am – 12.30	Bateau Bay			
Sun	18 th	Supply BBQ for Wyong RC (PAH)	11am-2pm	Picnic Point			
Tues	20 th	Visit by DG Peter Ward	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara			
Wed	21 st	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah			
Thurs	22 nd	Board Meeting	7.00pm				
Sat	24 th	Spin & Win	10.00am – 12.30	Bateau Bay			
Tues	27 th	Sarah Fraser RYLA	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara			
Wed	28 th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah			
Fri	30 th	Good Friday – Public Holiday					

Other Important dates

April		•				
Tues	3 rd	Business Meeting	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara		
Wed	4 th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah		
Sat	7 th	PETS (Robin)				
Tues	10 th	Pride of Workmanship – partners	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara		
Wed	11 th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah		
Sat	14 th	Spin & Win	10.00am – 12.30	Bateau Bay		
Tues	17 th	Social Breakfast for Entrancers	9.00am	Barbara & Martin Davies		
Wed	18 th	Bunnings BBQ	8.00-4.00	Tuggerah		
Sat	21 st	Spin & Win	10.00am – 12.30	Bateau Bay		
Tues	24 th	Hugh Gynot – Conversation M.O.D.E.	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara		
Wed	25 th	ANZAC Day Public Holiday				
Sun	29 th	District Assembly All incoming Officers and Directors	8.30 – 4pm	King's School		
June						
Tues	19 th	Club Changeover	6.00 for 6.30	Mingara		
July						
Sat	7 th	District Changeover		Hornsby RSL		

ROTARY INFORMATION



RC Currumbin-Coolangatta-Tweed: Story dogs The Story Dogs not-forprofit organisation was formed in 2009 in Murwillumbah by Leah Sheldon and Janine Sigley, both parents of primary and high school children. Story Dogs is based on the successful American literacy program: Reading Education Assistance Dogs (R.E.A.D.) which was launched in 1999 in Utah USA, as the first comprehensive literacy program built around the appealing idea of children and young adolescents reading to dogs. Owners with docile and trained dogs help children to learn to read and to concentrate.

Underpinning the objectives of the program is the knowledge that "students with reading difficulties find themselves in a cycle of almost unrelenting failure that ensures an ever – widening gap between them and fluent readers".

During 2009, there was a trial at Murwillumbah East Public School, with three dog teams. This trial was very successful with positive feedback from students, teachers, the principal and parents.

From that trial the program has continued to expand across Australia. Subsequently representatives of the Rotary Club of Currumbin-Coolangatta-Tweed met with the Principal of the Coolangatta State **School, and** it was decided that the Club would sponsor funding a story dog at the school. The children are usually Year 2 students generally between the ages 7- 8 years old who are chosen by the school. Story Dogs does not assess the children in any way as the sessions are designed to be as fun and non-threatening as possible.

Reading sessions take place in a quiet area of the school grounds, such as the library or outside the classroom. A reading session is approximately 20 minutes long, where each child is one-on-one with the dog team. Books are chosen to suit the student's reading level. During the session, the handler often speaks through the dog, such as; "Sam doesn't understand what is happening on this page, could you help him out?" The child becomes the teacher; and their confidence soars!

Volunteers come with fun, interesting books, specifically chosen for beginner readers. The students also have input into what they read. The students are encouraged to write letters to the dogs at home, thereby encouraging literacy skills.

Fred's wife found out that her dog (a Schnauzer) could hardly hear, so she took it to the veterinarian. The vet found that the problem was hair in the dog's ears. He cleaned both ears, and the dog could then hear fine..

The vet then proceeded to tell Andrea that, if she wanted to keep this from recurring, she should go to the store and get some "Nair" hair remover and rub it in the dog's ears once a month.

Andrea went to the store and bought some "Nair" hair remover. At the register Con, the pharmacist, told her, "If you're going to use this under your arms, don't use deodorant for a few days."

Andrea said, "I'm not using it under my arms."

Con said, "If you're using it on your legs, don't use body lotion for a couple of days."

Andrea replied, "I'm not using it on my legs either. If you must know, I'm using it on my Schnauzer."

Con says, "Well, stay off your bicycle for about a week."

CHILDHOOD QUOTES

When I was borne I was so surprised I didn't speak for a year and a half. Gracie Allen

The hardest job kids have these days is learning good manners without seeing any.

Fred Astaire

The trouble with children is that they're not returnable.

Quentin Crisp

A child of five would understand this. Send someone to fetch a child of five. Groucho Marx

If you want to see what children can do, you must stop giving them things. Norman Douglas

Children are not things to be moulded, but are people to be unfolded. Jess Lair

There are three terrible ages of childhood - 1 to 10, 10 to 20, and 20 to 30.

Cleverland Amory

The young do not know enough to be prudent, and therefore they attempt the impossible - and achieve it, generation after generation.

Pearl S Busk

Children need love, especially when they do not deserve it. Harold 5 Hulbert

We cannot always build the future for our children, but we can build our children for the future.

Franklin D. Roosevelt



I was having a good day until this thing landed on me

THE FOUR WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:
Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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