

October is Rotary Vocational Month

**Tonight: Senior Constable Gina Hamilton,
 Shoalhaven Area Command's Youth Liaison Officer**
Introduction: Phil Brown
Vote of Thanks: Simon Brown
Two Minuter: Bernie Cowley / Melissa Perry (RYPEN)
Fellowship: Brian Johnson and Bill Harris

Future Program: 13 Oct 09 Peter Campbell "The Ashes"
 Two Minuter: Clive Cross
 Fellowship: Michael Mastronardi and Ken Matthews

Future Program: 20 Oct 09 Claire Wilson and Rieke Mertel
 "Aunties and Uncles"
 Introduction: Jeni Wilkins
 Vote of Thanks: Brian Wilkins
 Two Minuter: Dick Crouch
 Fellowship: Brian Morrison and Werner Pohl

Future Programs and Dates:
Tuesday 27 Oct 09 TAFE (Green Street) \$30 a head
Monday 2 Nov 09 Calcutta Night at the Golf Club
Tuesday 3 Nov 09 NO MEETING
Sunday 8 Nov 09 Meeting / Lunch Golf Club, \$30, 1.30-2.00pm
Tuesday 10 Nov 09 NO MEETING

Birthdays: 9 Oct Graham Fisher, 11 Oct Denise Fors
Anniversaries: 6 Oct Kim and Rob Powell,
 10 Oct Jan and Ted Wild



BBQ Roster:

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| Ross Wade | Wed 07/10 Sat 10/10 and Mon 12/10 |
| Kevin Walsh | Wed 14/10 Sat 17/10 and Mon 19/10 |
| Bob White | Wed 21/10 Sat 24/10 and Mon 26/10 |
| Dale Wilford | Wed 28/10 Sat 31/10 and Mon 02/11 |

Report on last week's meeting:

President Trevor Schofield welcomed all, specially Keith Greenwood, Dave White and Aaron Bennett. Club received a Thank You note re our donation for the ShelterBox. Collette Dinnigan sent the Club a \$30 donation, we will get to meet Collette at the Gregory's BBQ on the 5th of January 2010. Clive Cross had some medical tests and will be back very soon. **Peter Culham**; attendance **84.1%**

Club Secretary Joe Puglisi informed the Club: Order of Australia Lunch, ARH Newsletter; Golf Balls/Wine, Lewis Dunn Foundation and Bionic Ear Institute.

International Service Director Carolyn Campbell needs more billetters for the Chinese GSE team members.

PP Dick Crouch said that the BOF Princess Ball will be on the 27 March 2010 and asked: should our Club sponsor a princess?

Almoner Dom Fondacaro; Graham Fisher is having a hip replacement, Jeni Wilkins has pneumonia, Brian Wilkins was using a wheelchair, Phil Bennett is OK, same with Sid Turnbull, but Zilma Turnbull has leg trouble, Geoff Muir will be seeing the specialist soon, Clive Johnston misses our meeting and Monica is not very well. John Ruggiero will soon be back.

Thank you Keith Bennett and Dale Wilford for providing transport for the RYPEN students.



Two Minuter John Coburn spoke on his trip to Weipa, bauxite mining, vegetation, soil stockpiling and reusing it with new similar vegetation, the running of the bores, no birth nor burial happens in Weipa, an interesting / intriguing town.

Max Atkins requires help; 24 Oct with security and parking at the Kendall Dale Garden Party raising funds for the Church pipe organ's restoration.

Bob White was the Sergeant and was helped by Wayne Fry.

Card raffle winner was Issa Shalhoub 6♥.

Dale Wilford Award went to Michael Mastronardi.

Dave White was our Guest Speaker, was the Jail Governor at Bathurst, Goulburn and Broken Hill, now he is the General Manager of the 600 bed South Coast Correctional Centre in Nowra; currently under construction, 180 workers involved, and expected to be fully operational early 2011.

The centre will offer 200 new permanent jobs, 60% local recruitment and is expected to inject 10 million dollars into the local community. Dave spoke on the Community Consultative Committee which provides a forum for local interests and concerns and the Community Offenders Services in Nowra which deals with case management placement, resettlement and reintegration program for offenders.

End of report.

Club Calendar

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| 22 Oct | Thur | Club Board Meeting |
| 23-25 Oct | Fri-Sun | District's Conference – Cooma |
| 27 Oct | Tues | TAFE \$30 a head |
| 2 Nov | Mon | Melbourne Cup Calcutta, Golf Club; HELP needed |
| 3 Nov | Tues | No Meeting |
| 7 Nov | Sat | GSE Team arrives in Ulladulla BBQ Rotary Park, 5.00pm |
| 8 Nov | Sun | Morning Trip to Budawang Ranges Golf Club Meeting / Lunch with GSE Team 1.30 for 2.00pm \$30 a head |
| 9 Nov | Mon | GSE Team departs Ulladulla |
| 10 Nov | Tues | No Meeting |
| 19 Nov | Thur | Club Board Meeting |
| 11 Dec | Fri | SAS Christmas Carols |
| 13 Apr 2010 | Tues | Rotary Club Meeting at CWA |
| 24 Apr 10 | Sat | 50 th Anniversary Dinner |
| 27 Apr 10 | Tues | No Meeting |
| 4 July 10 | Sun | District Changeover |

Club History;

1978-79 President Brian Johnson

RI Theme: Reach Out

The Work Experience Programme which commenced three years ago in co-operation with the local high school continued. This project aimed at reaching the school leavers who sought first hand knowledge about a trade or profession and sets out to bring students and tradesmen or professional persons together so that all questions can be quickly and satisfactorily answered.

Job talks were reintroduced; talks of about 3 minutes duration gave the fellows the opportunity to further explain their vocation to Club members.

The International Service committee was successful this year in raising sufficient funds through its own activities to completely support itself. Two lamington drives were arranged throughout the year and the very active support of our Rotary Ladies was greatly appreciated. Funds from these drives were used to support the following projects; Naran Centre, Rhodesia \$90.00, Macau Orphanage \$80.00 and the Child Education Centre in Tonga for the continuing education of 2 children \$75.00 and \$200.00 to the Rotary Foundation.

Main fund-raising activities included running the Calcutta Sweep in connection with the Melbourne Cup, a Ladies Night and Family BBQ night at Ringland's Farm which attracted a large contingent of visitors, Greig Ringland supplying hayrides and cow milking contests.

A Ladies Night and fun night at Claude Brown's. We assisted with some arrangements at the District 971 Conference in Nowra.

We sponsored Miss Katherina Eaton for the Milton A and H Show, a Rotary float and princess was entered for the Blessing of the Fleet

Labour was supplied to assist operating the Steak Bar at the Easter celebration as well as at the Milton Show including the Liquor Bar.

We arranged Transport for disabled diggers on ANZAC Day.

Life line lights were installed.

We maintained the lawns and surrounds, providing labour and material for fences at the Legacy homes in Milton.

For the first time Mollmook had a cup meeting, we were involved with providing labour for the Steak Bar, supported Meals on Wheels and sponsored 2 RYLA Students, Miss Anne Scharkie and Miss Janet Nicholls.

Rotaract became a reality; the first interest meeting attracted 21 prospective members.

Our Exchange Student Ross Davis was off to Japan for 12 months and we entertained the GSE Team from Sweden.



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