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OCTOBER IS ROTARY'S ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

Tonight's Guest Speakers: - RYPEN STUDENTS

And

NEW MEMBER TALK:- Micky Scott

Introduction: Yvonne Young; **Vote of Thanks:** John Goggins **Fellowship:** Emile Jansen, Brian Johnson, and Ken Matthews

Future Programs:

November is Rotary's Foundation Month

2 Nov: Monday: Golf Club, Rotary Melbourne Cup
Calcutta, all members to help, please.

3 Nov: No Meeting.

à **ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE BAND** β
Civic Centre, 6.30pm to 8.30pm

10 Nov: CLUB ASSEMBLY

17 Nov: THE WEDDING, Video & Partners' Night

24 Nov: MARINE RESCUE, Meeting – Dinner, Partners' Night

1 Dec: Can Assist – Shoalhaven Branch – David Boyle
NYSF UK Tour – David Robertson
New member Talk Julia Robertson

Introduction: Glenn Wran **Vote of Thanks:** Yvonne Young
Hospitality: Brian Morrison, Robert Richards, Rhondda Purtell

BBQs' cleaning Roster:

	Wed	Sat	Mon
Brian Wilkins	21/10	24/10	26/10
Jeni Wilkins	28/10	31/10	2/11
Cliff Workman	4/11	7/11	9/11
Glenn Wran	11/11	14/11	16/11
Yvonne Young	18/11	21/11	23/11

Club's Calendar

2 Nov	Mon	Calcutta, Golf Club
3 Nov	Tues	Royal Military College Band
7-8 Nov	Sat-Sun	SAS Jumping Castle, ALL to help please.
14 Nov	Sat	Driver Ed dinner
24 Nov	Tues	Marine Rescue dinner
27- Nov	Fri	HarbourFeast - Locavore Dinner
28 Nov	Sat	HarbourFeast - Food and Wine Festival
29 Nov	Sun	HarbourFeast – Water Slide
8 Dec	Tues	AGM
16 Dec	Wed	Stage Hire
22 Dec	Tues	Club Christmas Dinner

Please notify apologies and guests to Peter Culham, by [email](#) or on 4455 2229 or 0417 294 938, by no later than 12 noon on Tuesday.

BIRTHDAYS: 27 Oct – Bill Harris; 5 Nov – Jeiji Abbott, 9 Nov - Rhondda Purtell, 11 Nov – Michael Mastronardi; 12 Nov – Simon Brown

ANNIVERSARIES: 27 Oct - Dale & Margaret; Wilford;

Report on 20 OCTOBER 2015:

President Clive Cross opened the meeting, introducing guests, **Jeff Wilkie, Barrie Wilford and Fay Lewis.**

International Toast by Cliff Workman was to District 9910, the Rotary Club of Norfolk Island, founded 17 May 1973 and happily using our moneyboxes.

Reports

Secretary John Hozack displayed an impressive new style turned wooden bowl made by the Men's Shed as a potential gifts for our guest speakers and also a large crystal bowl, originally presented to Patty Yates that she had asked be returned to our club. John spoke about the potential for Patty's bowl to become a perpetual award, perhaps for the Rotarian of the Year. John informed us that in future dealings with the re-organised Milton Ulladulla Times, Katrina Condie is the best contact person to receive editorial material from Rotarians needing articles published in the MUT.

Vocational: Terry Marchello advised that he had received \$5300 from ExServos and that the wash-up of the Business Awards was shaping up well and that Rhondda Purtell had joined his committee.

Almoner:- Simon and Annie Brown were in an accident in Sydney, Annie was in hospital but walking around, members all expressed their well wishes for speedy recoveries to the Browns.

Community Services: Pres Clive, on behalf of Trevor Schofield, reminded us of the One Track For All working bees coming up soon.





Youth Service – John Goggins asked us to ensure that we had completed our Working with Children clearances also that next week was the RYPEN student night and that NYSF forum candidate, David Robertson will tell us of his experiences on December 1st.

Club Service – Issa Shalhoub reminded us to help with the Calcutta on December 2nd and of the RMC band performance of December 3rd and that the Club Christmas Party has been booked on December 22nd at Hilltop

Rob Powell also reminded us to get out & about selling our Calcutta Tickets and also **make sure to return all unsold booklets before Monday 2nd** to avoid all sorts of complications and recalculations.....

Wayne Fry updated members that Relay for Life resulted in raising over \$6,100 including Jumping castle \$419, \$500 from the Board and \$1542 from our 13 walkers who achieved 732 laps. Wayne complimented Jan Shalhoub and Jane McCrossin for their spectacular effort of walking throughout the night. Wayne thanked all who were involved in the RFL walk, jumping castle and extra effort of setting up the stage.

Guest Speakers:

Harbour to Harbour Walk



Dale Wilford introduced his brother **Barrie Wilford** who shared his experiences of walking from Sydney harbour to Ulladulla harbour to raise money for the Ulladulla Men's Shed based in Narrawallee. Barrie walked in excess of 230 Kilometres, averaging 6-7 hours walking each day, and lost 2 Kilograms. He walked between 18 August and 28 September and was joined by family, friends and members of the Coniston Men's Shed along the way, for two days Barrie walked by himself. The walk was planned to fit around accommodation, trains, and ferries, where they existed. Barrie particularly enjoyed the wild flowers in the National Park and the scenic walk between Kiama and Gerringong. Barrie raised almost \$9000 and really appreciated Rotary's support.

Say No to Domestic Violence - Pres Clive introduced **Fay Lewis** from the **Nowra Domestic Violence Committee**. Fay informed members that her Committee was one of four target areas within NSW to focus on getting the "SAY NO TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE" message out to communities. Fay's Committee has received approval from Council to place banners and notices as part of a public awareness program, bumper stickers are available.



A website has been created by WebX ; www.saynotodesticviolenceshoalhaven.com , a

Facebook group <https://www.facebook.com/Say-No-To-Domestic-Violence-Shoalhaven-1000162683338134/timeline/> as community resources for families and friends in need.

Fay's Committee has also created a Crowd Funding URL <http://www.pozible.com/project/201010> with a target to raise funds, ie \$9200 for an ongoing campaign and to support victims of domestic violence. Fay invited Rotarians to consider pledging funds to this program, which concludes on November 1st.

Attendance: 85%

Raffle winner: Bill Harris drawing the Jack of Hearts.

End of report.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE BAND:

- Tuesday 3 November; 6.30 to 8.30pm at the Civic Centre, Club fundraiser,
- \$25 per person, \$60 for family, \$20 concession and \$15 for students,
- **Please attend and spread the word around; family members and friends.**