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MAY IS ROTARY'S YOUTH SERVICE MONTH

*Tonight: Special General Meeting: Rules and Constitution; John Hozack
Club Assembly, if time allows, speaker: Club members.
Come along, have your say and join in the discussion.
Fellowship: Glenn Rowen and Trevor Schofield*

Future Programs:

8 May; TBA

Five Minuter: Leonie Smith
Introduction: John Goggins
Vote of Thanks: Tim Gregory
Fellowship: Issa Shalhoub and Leonie Smith

15 May; Journey of Hope - BIKE RIDE AROUND

AUSTRALIA FOR CANCER, Dr Michael Davey,
Partners' Night and open to the public

Yvonne and Ali's Cakes Auction
Introduction: John Hozack
Vote Thanks: Bernard Jones
Fellowship: Mikael Smith and Ian Tibbles

22 May; Jarrod Flynn and Stephanie Lake; CANCER COUNCIL

29 May; Gareth Ward, Israel Trip

Club's Calendar

5-6 May	Sat-Sun	District Assembly Batemans Bay High School
5 May	Sat	Stage set-up, Entertainers, Civic Centre
11-19 May	Fri-Sat	Entertainers
18-20 May	Fri-Sun	RYPEN Camp, Mogo
20 May	Sun	Stage pull-down, Entertainers, Civic Centre
27 May	Sun	Swap Meet
2 Jun	Sat	Army band – Dinner Show
24 June		BowelCare concludes
26 June	Tues	Club Changeover
1 July	Sun	District Changeover

If a member nominated for a duty is unable to fulfil this function, or DOES NOT WISH TO DO IT, PLEASE arrange a replacement and or let the Bulletin editor know.

PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests to Ed Zonneveldt on 0407 958 516, edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au by no later than 12 noon on Tuesday.

**BIRTHDAYS: None.
ANNIVERSARIES:
2 May; Jeni and Brian Wilkins.**

Meeting's Report; 24 April 2018

President Phil Brown welcomed members and guests Eleanor Drury and Lachlan Page guest speakers, Gillian Drury, Jason Russell, Jenny Cantrill, Elvin Duboje, Elaine Matthews, Deb Fondacaro, Liz Fondacaro and Irene Travers.

- President Phil; reminder to Rotarians on the upcoming Entertainers' night for suicide prevention on Thursday 17th May, monies raised on the night will be used by the Rotary club towards the suicide prevention projects in the local area.
- District Assembly on Saturday 5th and Sunday 6th May at Batemans Bay High School.
- Request for assistance for Stage set up for the Entertainers Saturday 5th May at Civic Centre 10am start.
- Reminder of combined board meeting 6pm on Wednesday 2nd May at Tucker Real Estate, Woolworths' complex.

Toast to the ANZACs.

Craig Saunders presented a genuine local aboriginal painting donated by the Ulladulla Local Aboriginal Land Council, which we will auction, with a reserve price, on 15th May to raise money for cancer.



Pres Phil displaying the painting.



Eleanor Drury, Jason Russell, Gillian Drury, Yvonne Young, Lachlan Page and Dale Wilford.

Kokoda Trek: Lachlan spoke on how Eleanor, Skye Pyemont (not present) and himself were selected to attend the Kokoda trek after writing a number of essay, then interviewed by a panel at Ulladulla High School. Lachlan and Eleanor spoke on the challenges of trekking the trail of Kokoda including training, Lachlan spoke on wondering what he had gotten himself into once arriving in PNG.

Understanding more of the ANZAC spirit when they reached a battlefield of Brigade Hill where 100 Australians were killed and 110 wounded. The 4 pillars reading mateship, endurance, courage and sacrifice. How special the Fuzzy Wuzzy Angels were to the Allied forces in WW2.

Eleanor spoke on the connection for her with family members with the Kokoda trail and WW2 where her great grandfather was a soldier and served in PNG and wearing his medals at Kokoda.

Lachlan, Skye and Eleanor had prepared physically and learnt as much as they could about Kokoda though both Lachlan and Eleanor stated that they both had been emotionally affected by Kokoda and that they couldn't have prepared for that.

Eleanor and Lachlan have taken away from Kokoda that has changed their lives forever, including meeting the village people and comparing our way of life to the villagers. Some of the members of their group didn't want the trek to end. Though both Lachlan and Eleanor stated that they were welcomed to return to PNG at any time.

Eleanor spoke on the emotions of reading the ANZAC poem at the Port Moresby war cemetery and how it was very moving. It was a 10-day trek, 20 people started and 17 people finished. Started with 26 porters ended up with 20 porters. During the trek they assisted other members who were finding it difficult to complete the trek. The Kokoda trek was undertaken as a Youth RSL Scholarship all participants were from NSW and under 25 years old.

Meeting Report by Yvonne Young, thank you Yvonne.

End of Report.

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Afghanistan	Pakistan	Nigeria
07	01	00
Reported Cases	Reported Cases	Reported Cases
2015: 20	2015: 54	2015: 00
2016: 13	2016: 20	2016: 04
2017: 14	2017: 08	2017: 00

Grace: "For good food, good fellowship, and the privilege to serve through Rotary we give thanks."