

### WEEKLY BULLETIN 20 August 2019 Volume 60 - Issue 8





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### AUGUST IS ROTARY'S MEMBERSHIP AND NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH

Tonight: DIDJI GROUP, Hamish Richardson

Introduction: Jo Jones Vote of Thanks: Clare Nyholm

Fellowship: George Chittick and Murry Conran

#### **Future Programs:**

**27 Aug**: THANK YOU TO THE GOLF CLUB, presentation to Golf Club representatives; Amelia McAlister and Ebony Buckland.

Dutch Theme <u>Partners' Night</u>, No Guest Speaker

Fellowship: Clive Cross and Dick Crouch

# SEPTEMBER IS ROTARY'S BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH

# 3 Sept; DG PETER FORD'S CLUB VISIT and Inductions

Fellowship: Gareth Davies and Dom Fondacaro

10 Sept; YE Student Helena Zuil's; This is my life

Partners' Night

Fellowship: Tony Fondacaro and Jeff Franklin

17 Sept; Club Assembly

Fellowship: Wayne Fry and John Hozack

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Club's Calendar		
July		Rotary dues are DUE
3 Sept	Tues	DG Club Visit
19 Sept	Thurs	Rotary tables 'The Entertainers'
13, 14. 15, 1	9, 20, 21	The Entertainers
Sep		at the Civic Centre
18 Oct	Fri	Business Community Network, Luncheon, Beachside Golf Club
30 Oct	Wed	Dream Cricket at Milton PS Students from MPS, UPS, Budawang, helpers from UHS
23 Nov		Relay for Life
6-7-8-9 Mar 2020		District Conference At Dunn Lewis Centre 'Roaring 20s'

#### **BIRTHDAYS:**

20 Aug; Karen Bulbert, 22 Aug; Doug Nyholm, 23 Aug; Joe Puglisi, 24 Aug; Stephanie Goggins, 26 Aug; Reg Sawyer. ANNIVERSARIES: 23 Aug; Denise and Brian Morrison, 25 Aug; Jean and Dick Crouch.

## Report on meeting of 13 August 2019

**Sergeant At Arms Ian Tibbles** opened the meeting welcoming members and guests; Ankie Kitsz, Helena Zuil, Karri, Lucy, Oscar Conran, Denise Fors, Kirra Dowling, Beck Cameron, Shelagh Atkinson, Deb Fondacaro and Elaine Matthews.





Welcome back Wayne Fry and Jeff Franklin, it was great to see you.

**President Steve Hladio** gave report on upcoming events, Peter Cousens and Jane Rutter performing at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre for details please see email that has been circularised to members.

President Stephen Hladio introduced **Helena Zuil** our exchange student for 2019-20, President Stephen thanked the **Conran family** for being the first family to host Helena.

Helena spoke shortly on her experience so far and what is on her wish list for her year in Australia the list included surfing and horse riding.



Thank you, Yvonne Young for the meeting's report.

End of report

## '2021-22 RI PRESIDENT SELECTED'

From Rotary Weekly, 9 August 2019

Shekhar Mehta, of the Rotary Club of Calcutta-Mahanagar, West Bengal, India, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2021-22. He will be declared the president-nominee on 1 October if no challenging candidates have been suggested.

Mehta acknowledges that current membership trends are a challenge and says that membership development should be Rotary's highest priority. He believes that focusing on regional plans, successfully transitioning Rotaractors into Rotary clubs and increasing diversity and female members could yield a 5 percent net growth in membership each year.

"A major brainstorming is needed to find effective solutions suited to different areas of the world," says Mehta. He adds that regional ethos and culture have to be taken into account to find localized solutions, as "one size does not fit all." He believes Rotary can extend to new geographical areas and countries.

Members, partners and any person over 18yo hosting our Youth Exchange student, regardless of how long they intend to host the student for, even just an even overnight stay, will need to have a WWCC and fill-in Form 3 and their names and forms submitted to District. Please ask Issa for the form.

THREE members haven't as yet provided their WWCC number.

We all need to have a WWCC, we have a Youth Exchange Student amongst us.

I will remind members by email when they need to renew theirs and how to renew online.

Club Toast: "Good food, good fellowship and the privilege to serve."