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Area Gov Adam de Totth RI Pres Shekhar Mehta **Pres Tony Fondacaro** DG Leo Farrelly Bulletin editors: Yvonne Young and Issa Shalhoub Club's Website and Club's Facebook

November is Rotary's Foundation Month

Wear a mask on the way in, on the way out and when you are not seated.

No proof of double vaccination and or no mask = **no** entry.

Please carry on you your proper double vaccination proof, in case requested by authorities at the DLC.

Let us ALL attend, support our President, President Elect, Club and socialise, this is Rotary; Fun, Friendship, Fellowship, Networking and Service.

Tonight: Rosie Cupitt; wine and cheese making

Future Programs:

16 Nov; AG Adam de Totth, Club Visit

23 Nov: TBA 30 Nov; TBA

December is Rotary's Disease Prevention and **Treatment Month**

5 Dec 2021, SUNDAY, combined Club Changeover and Christmas LUNCHEON. At the Dunn Lewis Centre, 12.00noon For members, family and friends 3 course meal. \$40/person.

7 Dec; No Meeting

14 Dec; AGM

21 Dec; TBA 28 Dec; No meeting

Club's Calendar		
13 Nov	Sat	Bunnings' BBQ
4 Dec	Sat	Community Christmas Party
4 Dec	Sat	Council Election
5 Dec	Sun	Changeover and Christmas Luncheon at DLC
11 or 12 Dec	Sat-Sun	Bunnings' BBQ
Dec		Christmas Trees Sale
18 Dec	Sat	BOF Princess Ball Civic Centre
8-14 Jan		RYLA
8 Mar	Tues	International Women's Day
18-20 Mar		District Conference, Temora
5 Apr	Tues	Area Governor's Visit

Birthdays: 9 Nov; Rhondda Purtell and Sarah Trescowthick, 11 Nov; Michael Mastronardi, 12 Nov; Simon Brown. Anniversaries: None this week.

January is Rotary's Vocational Service Month

4 Jan; No Meeting

11 Jan; Prawn and Pizza Night at Rotary Park, TBC

PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and quests to Ed Zonneveldt on 0407 958 516, edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au by NOON on Monday.

If your attendance is in doubt, please apologise and if you turn up, the caterer will not mind extras.

2 November 2021 meeting;

President Tony Fondacaro welcomed members and guest speaker Dr Mieke Flore from Milton Family Medical Practice and partners Debra Fondacaro, Liz Fondacaro, Annie Brown, Jenny Cantrill and Christine Stein to the meeting.

Treasurer John Goggins Club Figures to be presented at the next Club Assembly, though all accounts are healthy.

President Tony Fondacaro thanked members for participating in the Club's sweep and for attending the sweep draw on Sunday afternoon. President Tony has cleaned the money spinner and the club collected \$250.00 in six weeks.

Community Service the next Bunnings BBQ is Saturday 13th November roster has been emailed to members. There will be another BBQ in December to be confirmed either Saturday 11th or Sunday 12th December date to be confirmed.

International Report Director John Payne informed members of the Board's decision to donate \$200.00 Jessica Thomas for travel costs as recommended by Chris Manahan from R/C of Moruya.

Jessica has been accepted as a volunteer for a Rotary Foundation Grant Project; WASH, (Water, Sanitation & Hygiene) sponsored by the Rotary Club of Columbia Falls, Rotary Action Group, where for 3 months Jessica will be working with Rotarians in Guatemala delivering "tippy taps" hand wash stations & bio-sand filtration units for homes & schools, amongst general hygiene & water sanitisation behavioural training.

Jessica has undertaken similar project experience in the Andes in the past and has been acknowledged as raising funds for 57 wheelchairs for "wheelchairs for kids".

Jessica is undertaking a Masters in Interia Falls, Montana USA, national & Community Development; she speaks Spanish after a year of study at Uni of Madrid.

Guest Speaker Dr Meike Flore – Meike was born in Fritzlar Germany after gaining her degree at University of NSW, prior to Medical Studies Meike gained a grant for a Rotary Scholarship which saw Meike living in Cape Town South Africa for 12 months. Meike moved to Milton and joined the team at Milton Medical practice and joined the team at Milton Ulladulla Hospital in 2008.

Meike's enjoys general medicine though Meike's passion is Obstetrics and in 2016 opened her own practice in Milton naming it

the Milton Family Medical Practice to incorporate Meike's dream of offering services from baby's to aged care, including Skin checks, Allied Health Services including Supporting patients with Parkinson's Disease and their family member, DVA services and looking into providing Cosmetic skin services including skin cancers and skin spots.

The Milton Family Medical Practice has expanded to other building just a few doors down from the original building, renovating the second building in keeping with the heritage style of the Milton Township.

Meike spoke on the change is providing medical service's during COVID, providing vaccination Clinic and a mobile vaccination service for members of the community unable to get to the surgery for vaccination and providing telehealth service so people don't need to attend the surgery just to obtain a script.



Meike has 4 children all girls and a much-loved family dog. Meike in her early days enjoyed running.





The winner of the best fascinator as judged by Dr Flore was **Liz Fondacaro**.

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