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**May is Rotary's Youth Service Month****Tonight: TBA****Future Programs:****17 May; Monica Mudge** - Treading Lightly – 'Providing Active Hope To Young People'.

Introduction: Louise Garrett

Vote of Thanks: Peter Hodge

**24 May; Ilona Gray, NYSF**

Introduction: John Hozack

Vote of Thanks: Emile Jansen

**31 May; Adam Gowan** - Country University Centre Ulladulla - centre update**June is Rotary's Rotary Fellowships Month****7 June; Fay Kastelein**, from Ulladulla Uniting Church, The New Reflection Garden**Club's Calendar**

28 May Sat Berry Celtic Festival

4 June Sat Bunnings BBQ

4-8 June RI Convention, Houston, Texas

18 June Sat BOF Princess Ball

23 July Sat Club Changeover, Lunch, at the DLC

27-31 June 2023 RI Convention, Melbourne

**PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests to Ed Zonneveldt on 0407 958 516, [edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au](mailto:edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au) by NOON on Monday.****Birthdays: 15 May; Ted Wild.****Anniversaries: None this week.****3 May 2022 meeting's report**

President Tony Fondacaro welcomed all including our guests; Kate Sullivan, Deb Fondacaro, Nathaniel Woodcock, Rose Brown, Anne Brown, Liz Fondacaro, Jenny Cantrill and Julie Porter.

Pres Tony announced that the Club Changeover will be a Lunch on Sat 23 July 2022 at the DLC.

All Directors reports are needed by early June 2022 for the Changeover Bulletin. **Please send to Issa when possible.**

Nominations are open for the Max Bayliss Award, please see Pres Tony with your nomination.

Nominations are open for the PHF recognition, please see Pres Tony with your nomination.

👉 **Please apologise to Ed Zonneveldt if you won't be attending a meeting.** 📢**Secretary Beck Cameron:**

BBQ request Sat 14 May 2022, cooking only, volunteers needed.

Sunday 29 May 2022; RSPCA, 2 volunteers to cook at the Lions Park, Million Paws Walk.

4 June 2022 Princess Judging.

18 June 2022, Princesses Ball, bar helpers are needed.

25 June 2022, bar helpers at the DLC; Mamma Mia.

**Please see Beck if you can help 😊****Simon Brown;** helpers are needed for the stage transport and set-up, Sat 7 May 2022.**Almoner Bill Harris;** Clive Cross and Ken Matthews are in hospital.

A few Club Rotarians and PDG Rob Wylie, PP Lurline Wylie, (travelled from Qld for the funeral), past member PP Geoff Muir, attended PDG Bill Doherty's Funeral, Margaret Doherty thanked those who attended.

**Raffle winner;** Ed Zonneveldt.**Guest Speaker Kate Sullivan** talked about her work journey in Ulladulla, Sydney and now in Saudi Arabia.

Kate was involved with Rotary by attending RYLA and 2010 RYLA International in Montreal as well as the Rotary Convention.

Kate worked at Tuckerbag in Ulladulla, Times newspaper, worked for Rural Press, News Limited and Fairfax, State Government where Kate worked with various ministers and in 2013 was consulting for government departments.

In 2014 while attending the G20 in Brisbane, Kate was approached by delegates from Saudi Arabia to work in the desert Kingdom as a media consultant - journalist. Kate lives in Riyadh, where westerners and locals live in same building, suburbs. Kate spoke on streets and malls which are amazing, women allowed to drive, women have to dress modestly and how in general Saudis are very proud and passionate about their country.

In 2018 tourist visas were granted in Saudi Arabia, to show the world their history, want a Global Presence in Mena (middle east countries) and in 2020 the G20, with 3,000 international media personnel, was to take place in Riyadh but thanks to COVID it turned into a virtual G20 summit. Saudis have a long-term vision from 2020 to 2030, includes tourism, resorts, hospitalities, Saudi Cup a two-day event with the world biggest prize money, future Kate's involvement; Indonesian G20 in 2022 and Indian in 2023.

Simon Brown thanked Kate for her interesting presentation.



*End of Report, by Issa*

# Berry Celtic Festival

**Sat 28 May**  
**from 9.30am**

The Grand Street Parade of Pipe Bands commences the day. Entertainment at the Showground then includes medieval mercenaries battling each other, jousting knights on horseback, pipe band performances, Celtic fiddlers, highland dancing, enchanted singing, and Celtic merchandise stalls.

**ENTRY: \$10 PER PERSON**  
under 15 years free

**BERRY SHOWGROUND**

Another community fundraising project of the Rotary Club of Berry with thanks to Shoalhaven City Council and Sponsors.

