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## May is Rotary's Youth Service Month

Tonight: Ilona Gray, NYSF (National Youth Science Forum) Introduction: Louise Garrett Vote of Thanks: John Hozack

	Club's Calendar		
Future Programs:	28 May	Sat	Berry Celtic Festival
31 May; Adam Gowan - Country University Centre	4 June	Sat	Bunnings BBQ
Ulladulla - centre update	4-8 June		RI Convention, Houston, Texas
Introduction: Emile Jansen	18 June	Sat	BOF Princess Ball
Vote of Thanks: Geoff Johns	23 July	Sat	Club Changeover, Lunch, at the DLC
June is Rotary's Rotary Fellowships Month 7 June; Fay Kastelein, from Ulladulla Uniting Church,	27-31 June 2023		RI Convention, Melbourne
The New Reflection Garden Introduction: Bernard Jones Vote of Thanks: Jo Jones	PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests to Ed Zonneveldt on 0407 958 516, edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au		
14 June; TBA	by NOON on Monday.		

Birthdays: 25 May; Karri Conran.

Anniversaries: None this week.

## 17 May 2022 meeting's report

Secretary-President Elect Beck Cameron opened the meeting welcoming members and guest Nathaniel Woodcock, Guest speaker Monica Mudge.

**Secretary Report**; Beck spoke to members regarding a request via email for a donation, from a company that puts bags together for people escaping from Domestic Violence, leaving the bags in safe places.

PE Beck updated members on an upcoming event to be held at the Dunn Lewis Centre – Mamma Mia movie night, the Club is operating the bar.

Also, PE Beck informed members that Shelley Hancock MP advised via email that the Community Grants applications have opened, contact PE Beck if you have a project in mind that fits the build.

Update on the Blessing of the Fleet Ball PE Beck informed members that dance practices are underway. Judging of the Princesses is on 4<sup>th</sup> June, everything is going well.

Lighthouse Foundation informed the members that the Lighthouse project is underway and a completion date of early September 2022.

**PP Phil Brown**, a Huge thanks to members Bev Nicholls, Louise Garrett and Peter Hodge for cooking the BBQ for the Landcare group after the group planted 500 trees in a few hours.

Almoner Bill Harris informed members that Maisie Bennett is home and doing well, PP Clive Cross is still is in Hospital in Wollongong and is going for rehab in a couple of weeks, PP Ken Mathews is home and sounded well on the phone.

Both Ed and Bill visited PP Tim Gregory, PP Tim is in great spirits and is up for visitors.

Bill informed members of the matinee performance of the Vicar of Dibley on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June if members are interested in going, please contact Louise Garrett.

**PP Ross Wade** updated members of the progress of the Community Chest at the Community Resources Centre. It has been distributed in the community when required.

**Guest Speaker Monica Mudge** from Treating Lightly. Monica spoke to members on Treating Lightly. Treating Lightly is a grass roots Organisation to assist community. Treating Lightly is launching a Youth Project, Funding has become available, to assist with the launch of the project.

The Project is focusing on the needs of the Youth covering from small projects including picking up three bits of rubbish to larger issues such as climate change. Invite the Youth to form a committee to focus on the issues that affect them today. The idea is

for the Youth to develop projects from the ground up, giving committee members governance training, leadership skills to assist with undertaking an event, using social media to assist with getting the word out regarding different topics and working with other organisations to assist with mentoring of the Youth committee, working with other committee and older people to past on knowledge to the younger generation.

Monica then spoke on the plan to have events in the near future will focus on what is troubling our young people at this time. Having a panel of people so the young people have more than one prospective on the issue that is the focus. Giving them a road map for the future. Young people really want to make a change and are passionate about change.

Monica then explained to members on how some of the young people in our town went about how to make a difference in our area and the different projects young people had worked on recently.

Monica is passionate about giving the young people in our area an opportunity to have a voice. Monica then went on to give the members an outline of the projects the young members of the community could be involved in, including a permaculture program. Monica then when on to explain to the members of the vision for the area with a permaculture garden in Milton and the benefits it would bring to the area.

Building on resources in the area and the creation of jobs. Monica is hoping to return to the club once the program is up and operating to show members how it is working.



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

Sunday 15 May 2022, Landcare Tree Planting BBQ at Porter's Creek dam.
Thank you, Louise Garrett for the pics and Thank You to the helpers:
Bev Nicholas, Louise Garrett, Phil Brown and Peter Hodge.



## FYI: the 85 rule, from our Club's Constitution:

Section3: Excused Absences. A member's absence shall be excused if

(b) the aggregate of the member's years of age and years of membership in one or more Clubs is 85 years or more, the member has been a member of one or more Clubs for at least 20 years, and the member has notified the Club secretary in writing of the member's desire to be excused from attendance and the board has approved.