

Pres Ed Zonneveldt

DG Rob Uhl

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Club's Website and Club's Facebook

August is Rotary's Membership and New Club Development Month

Tonight: Matt Dell; Community Connect

Fellowship: Bernard Jones

Introduction: Phil McDonald

Vote of Thanks: Brian Morrison

Future Programs:

20 Aug; Tim Trescowthick, Europe motorbike trip.

Fellowship: Anne-Maree Kitchener

27 Aug; Cate Morrison; Fat Cat Adventure

Fellowship: Jo Jones

Introduction: John Payne

Vote of Thanks: Guy Porter

Sept is Rotary's Basic Education and Literacy month

3 Sept; DG Rob Uhl; club visit.

Fellowship: Phil McDonald

Introduction: Craig Saunders

Vote of Thanks: Tim Trescowthick

10 Sept; TBA

17 Sept; Cathryn Burns, Library and Library Services

24 Sept; TBA

October is Rotary's Economic and Community Development Month

Club's Calendar

*Club dues \$180 half year and \$360 full year
and 45 lotto club, due now, thanks*

14 Aug	Wed	UHS Youth Presentation, 3pm
29 Aug	Thurs	Bunnings, show what we do, 2 needed
1 Sept	Sun	Bunnings BBQ
5 Sept	Thur	Community Expo
7 Sept	Sat	Bunnings BBQ
16 Oct	Wed	Driver Ed Ulladulla Sport Park
17 Oct	Thurs	Driver Ed Marulan
23 Oct	Wed	Driver Ed Ulladulla Sport Park
24 Oct	Thurs	Driver Ed Marulan
24 Oct	Friday	Charity Golf Day, Family of League
25-27 Oct	Sat-Sun	District Conference, Mittagong
5 Apr	Sat	BOF Princess Ball at DLC

Birthdays - Anniversaries; None.

**PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests to Louise Garrett 0432 091 991 loumgarr@gmail.com
by NOON ON MONDAY.**

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

***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 let the Bulletin editor know.***

Meeting 6 August 2024

President Ed Zonneveldt welcomed the members and our guest Ron Smith.

Members were asked to observe a minute silence for the late Terry Snow.

Treasurer Bernard Jones said that 4 members are still to pay their subs.

Community Director Geoff Johns, Gareth Davies is working on a Fun Run for March 2025, a fundraiser.

The stage trailer has been repaired and registered, and is now stored under the DLC.

Car club needs sponsorship to purchase a defibrillator to take to their outings.

Next Bunnings BBQ is set for Sunday 1 September.

Craig Cameron; 'Eyes For Africa' needs to purchase a Tonometer (eye pressure) to detect glaucoma, our club has agreed to donate one for around \$4,000 in memory of Michael van Ewijk.

Craig and Tim Trescowthick to raise funds, through the Army Band with Stephen Hladio's help and a movie night.

Craig thanked members for bringing their lids to the DLC.

Youth Director Yvonne Young, went with 26 UHS students to UOW for the Science and Engineering Challenge. UHS won the bridge challenge but came last, only 16 points between 1st and last, close result and a great experience for the students.

Yvonne will contact PCYC which was started in 1932 by Rotary and will try to start one locally.

Yvonne will meet with a rep from the Youth Hub.

Next Wednesday will go to UHS to show well-being teachers what Rotary offers youths.

A request arrived to help organise a Rotaract e-club, will be emailed to all members.

UPS requested \$465 to cover with infants' frolic, would rather help in different ways.

Gareth Davies would like all members to have a say on how to spend money raised.

Tony Fondacaro gave the Club Service report and gathered names for the 2024-25 Club Service committees.
A member each week will be on fellowship to welcome all and help if Louise Garrett is away.

Our guest speaker Ron Smith was introduced by Bernard Jones and thanked by Craig Saunders.

Ron is an ex-Rotarian from the RC of Caringbah, and started his life in Bankstown, dealt with swimming pools chemicals, he joined the local group Milton Ulladulla Family History Society Inc. and now he is the Vice President.

Ron attended and did a few courses to help him find related people, he found uncles that his mother didn't know about.

Ron said that young people aren't very interested in family history, Ron wrote a book on the history of retails, he has uncovered lots of secrets and cemeteries, the Shoalhaven City Council gave them a room at the Civic Centre, lower floor, at a low rent, society members are available Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturday with over 40 members.

"If you are planning to become a committed 'family history detective' or just needing a lot of help and or information ... then we thoroughly recommend joining the society as a member", "the aim of our Family History Society is to encourage research and friendship in genealogy. To promote the study and foster the knowledge of family history in the local community", sentences taken from their website.



Raffle winner: Anne-Maree Kitchener.

Lucky door prize: Issa Shalhoub.

President Ed; to encourage attendance, a lucky door prize will be drawn every week, the winner's name will be tabulated, as well as the most attending member for the year, will be announced at the Changeover and both will get a discount on the following year's dues.

End of Report.