

Pres Geoff Johns

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January is Rotary's Vocational Month

Tonight; NYSF students, Olivia Tonkin, Emily Coffey and Sarang O'Neil

Introduction: Yvonne Young Vote of Thanks: Kylie Ferguson

Rotary 5-minuter; Ed Zonneveldt or a Rotary video.

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

February is Rotary's Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention Month

3 Feb; TBA

10 Feb; Jindelara Visit, Graham Sweet; the Jindelara Project Facilitator will be our guest speaker.

6:15 meet at Narrawallee Street, then at the DLC for a meal.

17 Feb; DGE Judy Ford, combined Districts 9705 and 9675 Conference

24 Feb; TBA

March is Rotary's Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene Month

3 Mar; Trivia Night, Rotary, Lions, Apex, Surf Clubs Presented by Jo Jones.

10 Mar, TBA` 17 Mar, TBA

24 Mar, TBA 31 Mar; TBA

April is Rotary's Environmental Month

7 Apr; TBA

14 Apr NO MEETING

Wed 15 Apr; Pickle ball competition, Rotary – Lions - Apex – Surf Club.

CLUB CALENDAR

HALF YEARLY DUES ARE DUE

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| 1 Feb | Sun | Bunnings BBQ |
| 14 Feb | Sat | Stage set up |
| 14-15 Feb | Sat, Sun | Fun Run, 5 and 10kms run |
| 18-19 Feb | Wed-Thu | MHERV |
| 27 Feb | Yumara | Stage set up |
| 3 Mar | Tues | Stage set up, Milton Show |
| 3 Mar | Tues | TRIVIA NIGHT |
| 7 Mar | Sat | Bunnings BBQ |
| 7 Mar | Sat | Milton Show, Steak Bar? |
| 21-22 Mar | Sat-Sun | PETS and District Assembly Canberra for PE and board members |
| 10 Apr | | Our club's anniversary |
| 30 May | Sat | RMC Band concert |
| 2 May | Sat | Stage set up Entertainers |
| 8-16 May | | Entertainers' Bar |
| 17 May | Sun | Stage pulldown, Entertainers |
| 21-26 June | Sun-Fri | RYLA, Murrumbateman |
| 30 June | Tues | Club Changeover Dinner |
| 21-23 Aug | Fri-Sun | MUNA |
| 5-7 Mar 2027 | Fri-Sun | 9705 and 9675 Combined Districts Conference at DLC |

Birthdays; 1 Feb; Phil Brown. **Anniversaries;** 1 Feb; Sarah and Tim Trescowthick.

PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests till further notice to

ISSA SHALHOUB 0414 553 574 drissa@bigpond.com by NOON ON MONDAY.

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

13 January 2026 report

President Geoff Johns welcomed all the members, club guest Don Buscall (Pres Geoff's friend) and Leonie Smith.

Secretary Issa Shalhoub; Rotary magazine distributed, club received a request from the Rotary club of Nowra to help at Nowra show, Yvonne Young might help. Circulated Caroline Boland membership citing circulated. Australia Day roster -MHERV roster. -Splash & Dash roster. -Two events are appearing on the council digital board, mherv and splash & dash. -These two events are on the clubs Facebook page, please share them to your contacts, friends or whatever group that you belong to. We need to spread the word. Can you please send me your partner's email address and mobile number, because I know members do not share the bulletin and the rosters with them. Apologies; absolute nightmare, some turn up every second week, some turn up but advise of their attendance and some do not apologise at all!! Thank you to president Geoff Johns and Glenn Rowen for giving Bill Harris transport this week, Craig Saunders will do it next week, thank you.

PE Tim Trescowthick gave the Club Service report.

Treasurer **Bernard Jones**, our club will be using the Surf Club cool room at the Splash & Dash. Club and members to decide what to donate to the Jindelara project.

Youth director **Yvonne Young** said that **RYLA nomination** are now open, please nominate.

Craig Cameron thanked **Phil Brown** and **John Hozack** for their work on the Jindelara project, which is in need of financial support.

Almoner Bill Harris; **Ed Zonneveldt** is home recovering, best wishes.

President Geoff Johns; **Craig Saunders** will pick up the supplies from Coles for the splash & dash, which have been ordered by Pres Geoff. **Louise Garrett** offered to buy and slice 25kgs of onion, **thank you Geoff, Craig and Louise.**

➔ **Beer and wine from our storage shed will be auctioned next week.**

Louise Garrett spoke on **Faulty Towers** the dining experience; **Issa** will email it to all members and friends.

VP Wayne Fry spoke on **Men's Health Education Rural Van**; roster needs to be filled in.

Dale Wilford showed a video on Robotic Milking machine, Whispering Pines: A South Australian Dairy Farming Partnership the future of milking.



Lucky Door Prize; John Payne.

Raffle winner; Ross Wade, club owes you a prize.

End of report.

The RI President for 2026-27 is **Olayinka Hakeem Babalola** from Nigeria. Babalola an engineer and leader in the oil and gas industry, and his theme is "Create Lasting Impact".

Babalola began his Rotary journey in 1984 as a Rotaractor.

Babalola's focus for his term includes making clubs more welcoming and fostering lasting impact through personal transformation and community projects, building on his extensive Rotary leadership.

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