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February is Rotary's Peace Building and Conflict Prevention Month

Tonight; a get together

FUTURE PROGRAMS:

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

→ **PARTNERS' NIGHT - PARTNERS' NIGHT**

6:15 meet at Nurrawallee Street, then at the DLC for a meal. AND new member Induction.

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

24 Feb; Louisa Middleton, Anytime Fitness Trainer, Louisa is riding 500kms (over 5 days) in Thailand to raise money for three charities.

Rotary 5-minuter; Ed Zonneveldt

Introduction: Guy Porter

Vote of Thanks: Craig Cameron

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

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

NUMBERS are needed, please.

For members, partners, family and friends

Tables of 6 or just come along and join others.

10 Mar; LCDR (Ret) Tanzi Lea, 1998 Sydney Hobart Yacht race rescue.

Introduction: John Payne Vote of Thanks: Clive Cross

Rotary 5-minuter/video: Issa Shalhoub

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

13 Feb	Sat	Stage set up, Surf Club
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; None. **Anniversaries;** None.

PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests till further notice to

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

27 January 2026 meeting's report

President Geoff Johns welcomed all the members, guests; Sarang O'Neil, Jinmi and Jason O'Neil and Olivia Tonkin.

Secretary Issa Shalhoub; Marianne Cool from ORRCA was our guest speaker September 2025 and she believes that there were a few members who were interested in her talk and wanted to help her to purchase a drone.

If you're interested, please let me know and I can send you her details and will present her request to the board. I will email Marianne's request to all members and board directors.

-Please share events with your family friends and whichever organisation you follow.

-Thank you to Geoff Johns for taking photos of Australia Day event.

-The TRIVIA NIGHT is on 3 March, please ask family and friends, organise a table of six and if you can't just come along and share a table.

-I have invited to come along to the Trivia Night, Apex, Lions and the Surf Club, but unfortunately, I don't get much response from the Surf Club so if you have any influence, please let them know to reply.

-Apologies; please remember to apologise, PLEASE make it easier for me to give Gayle the correct attendance number.

-I am compiling a list of our partner's mobile and email address, because last year when Diane was organising her partner's luncheon, most members did not share that event with their partner, so it would be good to have their mobile numbers so we can ring them. Only six members to go, thank you to the members who have replied.

Tony Fondacaro gave the Club Service report.

Community director Phil Brown thanked all the helpers on Australia Day; Geoff Johns, Carig Cameron, Yvonne Young, Jo Jones, Simon Brown, Tim Trescowthick, Bev Nicholas, Phil Brown, Louise Garrett, John Hozack and Dale Wilford.

Installing the binoculars is getting closer. Fun Run roster, stage setup and pulldown dates, traffic control helpers needed.

Pres Geoff Johns thanked all the volunteers, Geoff thanked Lizzie and Rex Russell for their help, a box of bread rolls will be stored in Gayle's freezer. BBQ cleaning; Glenn Rowen, Geoff Johns, Phil Brown, Bill Martin and Guy Porter volunteered.

Almoner Yvonne Young; Ed Zonneveldt was taken to Nowra hospital, best wishes.

Treasurer Bernard Jones, profit from Australia Day BBQ well over \$2,383.00 takings; \$5,687.00.

Vocational director Craig Saunders is getting sponsors for the Slash and Dash, on board so far; SPONSORS: First National Ulladulla, Southern Men/Rip Curl Ulladulla, Raine and Horne, Saunders Mensland/Ulladulla workwear and uniform, Hozack and Clisdell, Milton Ulladulla Nursing. DONORS; Pipi's Boutique. Raine and Horne Ulladulla, Offline Ulladulla, McGrath Real Estate, Ascend Engineering and fabrication, Your Tech Hub, Ocean Vibe, Raine and Horne Milton, Chris Halls painting, Salt Boutique, Threads Ulladulla, Priceline Ulladulla, Sea Juiced, Fifth Green, Issa Shalhoub.

VP Wayne Fry spoke on Men's Health Education Rural Van, Corporate Membership to be added to the club's By-Laws, all attendees agreed, Moved by Wayne Fry and Seconded by John Hozack.

Wayne also gave his 5-minutes on the role of Sergeant at Arms.

Youth Service director Yvonne Young introduced the NSYF (National Science Youth Forum) students, Sarang O'Neil and Olivia Tonkin, and were thanked by Kylie Ferguson. Sarang attended numerous lectures on various subjects; STEM, engineering, science, health care, medicine and would like after graduation to work in our local area and give back locally.

Olivia also on the lectures on offer at the forum, which helped her decide on which university to attend and what subject to study. Sarah and Olivia thanked our club for giving them the opportunity to attend a nine days forum, they made lots of new friends and gained confidence which will serve them while studying and in their careers. Best wishes from our club to both.



Lucky Door Prize; Kylie Ferguson.

Raffle winner; Phil Brown.

End of report.