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SEPTEMBER IS ROTARY'S BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH

*Tonight: DG Margaret Hassall - Club Visit
Fellowship: PDG Glenn Wran and George Chittick*

Future Programs:

11 Sept: MEETING CANCELLED: to encourage members to attend and help at the Business Award Night, Friday 7 September

18 Sept: TBA

Fellowship: Peter Culham and Dick Crouch

25 Sept: TBA

Fellowship: Dom Fondacaro and Tony Fondacaro

OCTOBER IS ROTARY'S ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

2 Oct: TBA

Fellowship: Jeff Franklin and Wayne Fry

Club's Calendar

7 Sep	Fri	Business Awards Night Dunn Lewis Centre
8 Sept	Sat	Tidying and cleaning up after the Award Night, 9:30am
11 Sep	Tues	No Meeting
14-16 Sep	Fri-Sun	RYPEN at Mogo
5 to 7 Oct	Fri-Sun	District Conference, Cooma
10 Oct		Hat Day
17 Nov	Sat 9 to 9	Relay For Life -12hours Civic Centre

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 or let the Bulletin editor know.

PLEASE NOTIFY apologies and guests to Ed Zonneveldt on 0407 958 516, edzonneveldt1@optusnet.com.au by no later than 12 noon on Tuesday.

BIRTHDAYS: 4 Sept; Craig Cameron, 7 Sept; Jan Shalhoub.

ANNIVERSARIES: 7 Sept; Deborah and Ian Tibbles.

Meeting's Report; 21 August 2018

President Craig Saunders welcomed members and guests Jenny Cantrill, Christine Steain, Annie Brown, Shelagh Atkinson, Liz Fondacaro, Linda Eadwards, Irene Smith, Kim Powell, Kerry Hozack and Rodney Tucker.

President Craig requested members to nominate an Emergency Service worker for the Shoalhaven Emergency Service Award. Award is conducted by the Rotary Club of Nowra.

International Toast to all the Rotary Clubs in Spain.

Youth Director Andrea Tucker gave a report on Business Community Network luncheon, over **\$9,000** was raised from the day and over **\$2,000** was raised from Rotarians posting signs in their front yards and businesses.

Vocational Report was given by Wayne Fry Business Awards assistance required to set the stage on Friday morning, bar staff required and pack up on Saturday morning. \$60.00 per person, judging is underway.

Membership Night PP John Hozack thanked to all members for their assistance with their support on the night, in particular Ian Tibbles for staying at the front desk to welcome members and guests.

Almoner Bill Harris everyone is well.

Original the El Camino de Santiago de Compostela, the Way of St James



John Payne and Christine Steain's Camino walk started at St-Jean-Pied-de Port and finished at the Cathedral in Santiago de Compostela walking an average 15km a day. The Way follows an ancient Roman trade route; 40 AD St James himself walked "to the end of the earth" preaching along the way.

Modern Pilgrims enjoy the camaraderie, escallops shells. Use the following aids to assist their journey on the pilgrim walk arrows, boots and staff or walking poles, backpack and technical clothes. John spoke on how different the walk for pilgrims has evolved over the years with the advancement of the human race. Modern pilgrims use trolleys, push bikes, mules and horse back to walk the pilgrim walk, where as thousands of years ago there were no such aids.

The daily routine was Wake, pack, drink, walk, eat along the way, find a bed, do laundry, shower, catch up with fellows, pilgrims and then sleep.

Accommodation was Monasteries, Pensiones, Refugio's, Albergues and hotels not all accommodation was 5 stars.

Highlights of the walk were meeting many people during the pilgrim walk. John and Christine where both overwhelmed by the history of the pilgrim. One fellow pilgrim traveller was doing the walk for the eight's time.

John and Christine where required to have their passport stamp when they have reached a point, to prove that they had walked that part of the pilgrim walk.

Meeting's Report by Yvonne Young, thank you Yvonne.

End of Report.

Members who prefer a fish meal please notify Ed Zonneveldt before 12noon on Tuesdays so he can relay your request when he gives the chef the numbers of attendees.

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Or contact Yvonne if Ed is away: **0418 866 482**, evie072@bigpond.com

Please notify Ed or Yvonne if you are an apology or you might be charged the cost of a meal. Thank you.

BUSINESS COMMUNITY NETWORK

Successful Day - All Proceeds to go our Club's Youth Projects.

Not-For-Profit Charity Event – Friday 24 August 2018 - was held at Cupitts Winery.

The Event has raised close to **\$9,000**, and **\$2,000** for signs' posting – a super effort by all involved and particularly to **Andrea Tucker**.

Over 100 people attended to listen to incredibly inspiring speakers, Chelsea Pottenger - Mindfulness Coach, Steve Sammartino – Business Strategist and our local inspiration, Eleanor Drury – Founder of the Everybody's Perfect Movement and Justine Cox, local Business Coach from Leaders Change Room, also contributed to the day.



Rule of 85, FYI, as per our CONSTITUTION - Section 3 — 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.

The "Rule of 85" does not exempt a member from payment of dues. Rule of 85 members are still considered active members and are highly encouraged to continue in attendance at regular meetings and community service events.

The excused member is exempt from attendance, but if he wishes to attend it is preferable for that member to advise the Attendance Officer for catering reasons.

Club Toast: "Good food, good fellowship and the privilege to serve."