

Pres Tony Fondacaro

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October is Rotary's Community Economic Development Month

Tuesday 28 September 2021; NO MEETING

Tuesday 5 October 2021; Zoom meeting; Guest Speaker TBA

6:20 fellowship for 6:30pm start

Zoom invitation will be sent in the morning of Tuesday 5 October 2021.

Future Programs:

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**Guest Speakers' list to be reviewed.
Regional NSW restrictions are in force till
further notice.**

Club's Calendar

Rotary Subs are due.

10 Oct		Hat Day
20 Oct	Wed	Dream Cricket, Milton PS, Ulladulla PS, Budawang SS
23 Oct	Sat	Bunnings' BBQ
Nov	Sat	Bunnings' BBQ
13 Nov	Sat	BOF Princess Ball

Birthdays (till 19 Oct): 11 Oct; Denise Fors, 13 Oct; Grant Schultz, 14 Oct; Anne Brown.

Anniversaries (till 19 Oct): 6 Oct; Kim and Rob Powell, 8 Oct; Clare and Doug Nyholm, 15 Oct; Deb and Tony Fondacaro.

A President-Elect is required, please be assured that you will get as much support and help as possible by all the members.

21 Sept 2021 Zoom meeting;

President Tony Fondacaro welcomed members and guests DG Leo Farrelly and AG Adam de Totth.

PP Clive Cross gave the International Toast on Independence Day for Malta.

Peter Hodge is the 45 Club winner

President Tony welcomed Robin Cantrill to the meeting after a length absent from meetings. President Tony then updated members on the Calcutta for this year, and due to COVID restrictions that it is with great sadness that the Calcutta isn't able to go ahead this year, though a suggestion of a sweep for club members could be a possibility, more details to follow.

Another idea for a fundraiser is a trailer full of goodies to be raffled at Christmas time.

Rosemary Castle from Operation Cleft has requested to speak at a club meeting to be organised.

Vocational Director Bernie Jones stated on the planning for workplace visit for when COVID restrictions lifted.

Community Service Assistant Director Simon Brown thanked members who assisted in the moving of items from Lynn's removals to the shipping container in Ulladulla. Members were Phil, Dale, Dom, Jonathan, Ian and Simon. A working bee is to be organised at a later date to organise items in the shipping container.

President Tony gave the Youth Report on behalf on Director Avril Pryor, President Tony informed members that there is one applicant for NSYF.

International Director Christine Bell held a Zoom meeting for the International committee members, President Tony congratulated Christine on doing and encourage other Directors to do the same.

Christine informed members that the committee agreed on the donation of the shelter box to Hatti.

The International committee discussed future fundraising ideas; the committee also agreed on giving an International toast at meetings. The International committee sharing the responsibility of giving the toast at club meetings.

Almoner Bill Harris; Bill is encouraging members to contact **Keith Bennett** as Keith would love to hear from members, Keith has had to stop his Chemo treatment due to his other medical issues and good news **PP Tim Gregory** is home and going well and so is **Maisie Bennett**.

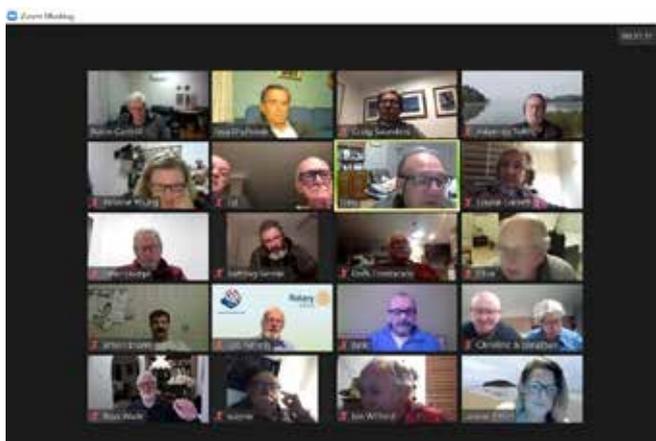
PP Ross Wade on the Community Chest and the importance of the continuing of the Community Chest at the Community Resources Centre.

PP Leonie Corrin-Smith spoke on idea from Secretary Rebecca Cameron with liaising with the local Landcare group on tree planting, Peter Hodge is to follow up with this idea.

PP Leonie also spoke on current situation with the Blessing of the Fleet Princess Ball, the committee are still working towards a Ball in early December.

District Governor Leo Farrelly, member of the Rotary Club of Belconnen, gave a brief of his working career and life after leaving the Navy in 1987. DG Leo is still active in the SCOUTS movement. DG Leo spoke his focus for his year 2021/22 and beyond. DG Leo gave a presentation on Vision and uniting people towards lasting change. Strategic Priorities and objectives expanding our reach and ability to adapt. DG Leo stated that the main focus is Fellowship in particular at the current moment and on-line courses which can be found on the District website, also encouraging members to join a Rotary action group, promoting collaboration and networking amongst Rotary Clubs. Adapt to the changing demographic of the community that we live in. DG Leo gave a rundown of the District Fees, and how the money from the Fees are utilised throughout the District, informed members of how many clubs are in District 9705, there are 81 clubs in the District including 3 Rotaract Clubs and 6 Area Governors.

Development focus is on our areas and for each area to develop its own identity and personality through collaboration and mutual support. Initiatives the communication team are working on workshop for membership development and Retention. DG Leo then gave a brief summary of Foundation and spoke on the new avenue of service being Environment, gave an update with the changes to Rotaract guidelines, an overview of the Interact and Early Interact programs. DG Leo praised our club for its communication to the community and District, encouraging our club to contribute articles to the district website. DG Leo gave the overall stats for our club including age, years of service etc. Encouraging our club to investigate starting a Rotaract Club or a Passport Club.



22 attended the Zoom meeting, including our guest speaker DG Leo Farrelly and AG Adam de Totth.

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

End of Report



The International Committee members along with Pres Tony on the 14 September 2021 met via Zoom under the leadership of the International Service Director Christine Bell.

A very productive meeting, well done Christine.

If any other Director would like a Zoom meeting with their committee members, please contact Issa.