

ROTARY CLUB of SOUTH BUNBURY(INC)



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THE BULLY

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September is Youth Service Month



Quote of the week:

“Friendship is a natural and willing servant....There is no reason...why the great power of friendship should not be harnessed to do its part in the world’s work.” Paul P Harris, Founder of Rotary, 1912 Rotary Convention



Dinner Bookings & Makeup's

South Bunbury:

Rose Hotel
Wednesday
6.15 for 6.45pm start,
0413 743 601 before 10 am

Bunbury:

Parade Hotel
Monday
6.00 for 6.30pm start
97212933

Bunbury Leschenault:

Lighthouse Beach Resort
Wednesday
12.00 for 12.30pm start
0427 192828

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**Send Contributions &
Information for the Bully**

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We welcome **Will Delaport** as a new member to our club, proposed by **John Gillingham**, and inducted by PDG **Zaki Dorham**. Will's membership category is Legal Services. He will join the Youth Services Committee, and his mentor will be **David Keyser**. Welcome Will!



Keynote speaker **Major Duncan Anderson**, Managing Director of the South West Institute of Technology (SWIT) spoke to us about the challenges that SWIT faces, including:

- Funding
- Changing what is produced, to meet demands, especially in view of the ageing population, but acknowledging the South West is not a one-trick economy.
- Community obligation: to also reach that 10% of the population which have been hard to engage
- The pace of society
- Ways to maintain smaller campuses in the South West

After an initial strategic review addressing the questions 'Why does SWIT exist?' and 'Who are its customers?', the next phase is a structural review so that the 'form follows function' principle will be instantiated.

A key focus of Duncan's work is for SWIT to be on the ground and talking with industry about their particular needs. His military experience—including mission with the British Army in Germany, two deployments to Iraq (the latter of which included humanitarian aid, building bridges and opening kindergartens), active service in Afghanistan among other roles—means that SWIT is in competent and safe hands. Thank you Duncan.



Two-Minute Talk

David Keyser recounted an episode from an Avon Descent he competed in back in the 80's. A fellow competitor (who David had once paddled with) was stuck against a pylon, in a broken kayak, with huge volumes of water rushing down the river, unable to escape. David went to his rescue and himself got into difficulties. David's father, Vic (who was in attendance at the meeting as David's guest) grabbed a rope, pulled David in, and the rope could then be used to bring the other paddler back to land. Whew! Glad you all made it David!

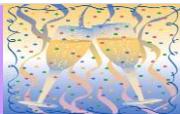
John Gray thanked those who helped transfer two truckloads (thanks Sandro) of furniture to storage for the Men's Shed. This Wednesday at 2pm at the Charles St property, there will be the final disassembling, loading and storing of furniture. Contact John for further details.

Trevor Wilson once more reminded members that exchange student Mami would appreciate going places/ doing things as part of her cultural experience while here in Australia.

Responsibilities for the next fortnight!



Duties:	Sep 25th	Oct 2nd
Host & Grace	Rod Downe	Rod Downe
Properties	Kevin Eagles	Kevin Eagles
Properties	Glen Fraser	Glen Fraser
Reception	Gordon Golby	Gordon Golby
Reception	David Miles	David Miles
Introduction	Mike Presser	Mike Presser
Thanks	Neil Sinclair	Neil Sinclair
Ticket Sales	Andy Perrella	Andy Perrella
Fines	Neil Hamilton	Neil Hamilton
Raffle Spinner	Stewart Binnie	Stewart Binnie



CELEBRATIONS

September, 2013

BIRTHDAYS	PARTNERS' Birthdays	WEDDDING ANNIVERSARIES	INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES
John Gillingham 25th			Murray Connop, 22 nd , 6 yrs
Stewart Binnie 29th			
Don Spriggins 29th			

What's coming up in the social calendar?

Event	Mnth	Date	Day	Type of Event	Host	Location
# 2	Oct	13	Sun	BBQ at Winery	Don & Karen Williams	Ferguson Valley
	Oct	25	Fri	Sundowner	Peter and Nancy Hill	

15 things we can learn from dogs

1. Never pass up the opportunity to go for a joy ride.
2. Allow the experience of fresh air and the wind in your face to be pure ecstasy.
3. When loved ones come home, always run to greet them.
4. Let others know when they've invaded your territory.
5. Take naps and stretch before rising.
6. Run, romp, and play daily.
7. Eat with gusto and enthusiasm.
8. Be loyal.
9. If what you want lies buried, dig until you find it.
10. When someone is having a bad day, be silent. Sit close by and nuzzle them gently.
11. Thrive on attention and let people touch you.
12. Avoid biting when a simple growl will do.
13. When you're happy, dance around and wag your entire body.
14. No matter how often you're scolded, don't buy into the guilt thing and pout.... run right back and make friends
15. Delight in the simple joys of a long walk