

PRES. DAVE'S REPORT

Hi Rotarians,
I'm not sure about you, but my week has been hectic.

Friday night was my AFSM investiture in Darwin at Government House. I must admit it was a very humbling experience as myself and 8 other Territorians received their Australia Day awards. Cheryl was by my side and I would have loved to have had my boys there as well. Work always gets in the way and my boys were unable to attend due to commitments in Alice.



21 at our Wednesday meeting was an outstanding turn up, considering a number of regulars were away.

We were treated to our Guest speaker, Trevor Shields and he gave a thought provoking speech about missed opportunities in the Red Centre. Trevor spoke "off the cuff" and I really enjoyed his input.

Visiting International Rotarian Preston and his wife Donna from Vancouver, Washington State were delightful guests and I wish I could have had more time to talk with them. I dropped them off after the meeting and they really enjoyed our hospitality and our meeting – well done everyone for making them feel so welcome! It makes our club what it is - very social and friendly.

Bangtail Muster on Monday was a success – Eli has done an amazing job pulling this together once again, aided by Neil R with traffic management.

On the 16th May, we will be hosting some visiting Rotary Exchange Students with a BBQ at the Telegraph Station – more details on Wednesday night, this will be in place of our meeting.

26th May is the Rotary Training Day – Leading Rotary Now. This is a really good day and enhances our Rotary Knowledge. If you are available.....

Finally, we need to formalise our Board for next year – please contact either Michael P or myself if you can contribute.

Kind Regards, Dave Letheby

Reminders

Please advise Suellen (by email) if you hold a current Ochre Card. Please include in your email, the card number and expiry date. Many thanks.

'Rotary Downunder' magazines to Steve Peers, please.

Please give permission, via email to Suellen, to receive the Arunta through the website.

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Pres. Dave with the
NT Administrator



Pres. Dave and PP Neil



And then it was back to work

From the Bangtail Muster Parade.....





HIGHLIGHTS FROM LAST MEETING.....

Visitors

Trish van Dijk
—Honorary Member

Trevor Shield
—Guest Speaker

Preston Seu and Donna
Shaver—Vancouver,
Washington, USA

Sgt. 's Session with Mike P

Raffle drawn by
Trevor,
won by Virginia

Heads and Tails tossed
by Mike,
won by Neil



ROSTER

9
May

16
May

23
May

Corporal

**Virginia
Loy**

SOCIAL

**Roger
Selleck**

Greeter

**Eli
Melky**

EVENT

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Introductions

**Nicole
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STATION

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Ahwah**

The Roster and what it means

For whatever reason, sometimes it is not possible to attend a meeting so here are the Roster guidelines:

Please Be Responsible - It is the responsibility of each of us to check the bulletin to see when we are on the Roster.

Please Find a Replacement - If you are rostered on for a duty and cannot attend on that night, then it is your responsibility to find a replacement.

Please Tell Secretary Nick or President Dave – You, or your replacement, need to let someone who is going to the meeting know.

Can't make it to a meeting?

PLEASE send an apology to Bruce at:
rbruceclo@bigpond.com or via our website:
www.alicespringsrotary.org before 9am day of meeting.



May Birthdays and Anniversaries

10 Judy and Roger Selleck

Coming Events - Woo hoo



When	What	What do I need to do?
Every Week	Fines Session	Bring a cross fine. That means - rat out your friends
9 May	Club Meeting	
16 May	Visiting Exchange Students, social evening at the Old Telegraph Station	Watch this space
26 May	Leading Rotary—Day Course	
2019	Australian Golfing Fellowship of Rotarians, here in Alice Springs	Put your hand up to help



Rotary 4 Way Test

Of the things we think,
say or do:

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

*Will it build goodwill and better friend-
ships?*

Will it be beneficial to all?

Rotary Grace

*For good food,
good fellowship,
and the opportunity to serve
through Rotary,
We give thanks.*



Eli had a good time,
managing the
traffic....thank you

Many thanks to Dave and Virginia for their contributions this week.....Ed

Surrounding Clubs - Websites/ Meetings

Mbantua - Alice Springs: Meets Monday mornings 7:00am, Oasis Hotel, Gap Road
<http://www.rotarymbantua.org>

Stuart: Meets Tuesday evening 6:15pm onwards, Todd Tavern, 1 Todd Street
<http://www.stuartrotary.org.au/home>

Tennant Creek: eClub, Contact - (08) 89622 322

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