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of Bowral-Mittagong

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Rotary International President Shekhar Mehta's theme for 2021-22,

Serve to change lives,

is urging members to become more involved in service projects, saying that caring for and serving other is the best way to live because it changes not only other people's lives, but also our own.

Future Events

January 18 - Kookabar Restaurant Confirmed - @\$30

January 25 - The Hermitage PLUS Guest Speaker

January 26 - Brian Ritson's home - Australia Day Lunch for Members & Partners

February 1 - Highlands Golf Club – Venue to be confirmed

February 8 - The Hermitage – Tina McPherson (Still holds the ODI Bowling Record 1973 at Lords)

February 15 - Club Assembly

Please Note: Apologise by Friday noon, attendance is the default position

Venue: Luciano's house, Mittagong

Journalist: Carolina Torregrosa

President Will wished us all a Happy New Year and thanked Luciano and Robyn for their generous hospitality.

Everyone thanked Luciano with their wine glasses in hand!

Will spoke about the Rotary Men's Health Caravan, the Pop In centre and Australia Day as well as the possibility of new venues, including the Mittagong Golf Club.

Rotary Men's Health Caravan

This will be in Bowral and Mittagong on the 3rd and 4th February. We will need members to provide a 'reception' function, welcoming people and taking details etc. The hours will be 9.30am-4.00pm in two shifts. No medical experience necessary as it is only paperwork and talking we will be doing!!

 3^{rd} Feb – At the Information centre in Mittagong

4th Feb – At the Bowral swimming pool car park.

If you weren't at the meeting and would be available either day or to help putting up some publicity in the 2 areas, please contact Will to add you to the Rosters...the publicity will need to be done in the next 2 weeks to be most effective.

Australia Day

Please refer to the invitation attached and let Denise and Rosemary know what you are able to bring (Nibbles, Salads or Desserts) plus your own drinks of course. Denise and Rosemary will be co-ordinating the offers of food so we have variety.

Dear Fellow Rotarians, Partners and Friends,

Brian Ritson has generously offered to Host this Year's Australia Day Celebration at his home

- 14 Jasmine Street Colo Vale - starting at 12.00 so we can enjoy the Day in his beautiful Garden.

Over the years we have enjoyed some wonderful Australia Day get-togethers with John and Peggy

Leijer, Gerry and Miel Kroon, and our last Celebration with Vicki and Ian Kelley.

The cost will be \$15 a head for our Club supplying Meat, Sausages, Onions on the BBQ. If Members

could bring along either Nibbles, Salads or Desserts, and of course Drinks.

For catering could you please email back to Rosemary or Denise what you will be bringing so we can co-ordinate the catering: frankandrosemary@bigpond.com denisecoad@bigpond.com

Please RSVP by return who will be attending so we can make this a happy Day, and an opportunity for us all to catch up in 2022 as proud Members of our Rotary Club.

Best regards,
Denise Coad
Director of Club Service 2021/2022

Will also thanked several members for helpin out at Pop In centre last Saturday...attached is some WIP, which included some downpipe installation, weeding and clearing of the yard and preparing the boat for a childsafe sandpit.





This is Leigh under that hat!





<u>Mystery Bag</u> – This wine cooler is yet to be claimed, it was left at The Hermitage in November/December – please contact Will



Birthday Lunches – These will start up next month for January and February lunches. Thank you for your patience ©