



Tulip Times

***The Rotary Club of Bowral-Mittagong
District 9710 - Chartered 26 March 1940***

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**President: David McCosh
Secretary: Tony Glenn**

***Meetings: 6:00 for 6:30
Highlands Golf Club, Old Hume Highway
Mittagong NSW 2575***

Visiting Rotarians	Ken Barnard (RC of Ingleburn)	
Next meetings....	Tuesday 19th September, 2017	Tuesday 26th September, 2017
Location	Highlands Golf Club Old Hume Highway Mittagong	Highlands Golf Club Old Hume Highway Mittagong
Program	CLUB ASSEMBLY	More about Me in 10 Mins
Speaker	David McCosh	Will Eddowes, Trevor Fair
Intro/Vote of Thanks		
Dinner Fees	Vicki Kelley	TBA
Journalist	Ray Williams	
Regalia	Ian Johnson	TBA

If you are unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Trevor Fair by email trevorf@oxleypartners.com.au

Welcome by President David

Invocation –

International Toast – Ian Langford



This coming Friday, the 15th of September is the anniversary of the end of the Federal Republic of Central America when they declared their independence from the Spanish Empire in 1821.

Those federated states became Costa Rica, El Salvador, Honduras, Nicaragua and Guatemala. Mexico, to their North, declared its independence on the following day and they all celebrate their Independence Days this week.

Last Friday an earthquake of magnitude 8.2 struck the area followed by the remains of Hurricane Katia. We heard of the damage to Mexico but little of the effects on Guatemala which also sustained loss of life and severe damage to buildings and towns.

The City of Tecun Uman is on the border with Mexico near the Pacific coast in the north west corner of Guatemala near the epicentre of the earthquake.

The Rotary Club of Guatemala North is located in Tecun Uman and is no doubt playing its part in the recovery from these combined disasters.

The Club was Chartered in District 4250 in 1987 and has 34 Members led by **President Beatriz Arroyave**. In recognition of the Independence Days of the Central American countries and in sympathy with their people affected by the earthquake and hurricane over the past week would you please be upstanding and toast the President and Members of the Rotary Club of Guatemala North.



Announcements

Ian Langford

- Tulip Time Roster, still some slots available
- Food & Wine – still 12 slots available

Trevor Fair As previously announced, the 5th Tuesday of the month is a social night. **On 31st October**, Halloween, a booking has been made at the Scottish Arms Hotel, East Bowral for a casual get together. 6:30 for a steak, or sides, or drink. Watch the children of the neighbourhood celebrate Halloween.

Ray Williams Still needs help with BBQ, mainly bumping in and out – please see what you can do when it comes via email.

Rod A needs help at Challenge House 13/9; **Ian L** says no tulips so free entry; **President David** will discuss 2 Shelterboxes with the Board; and **Jacinta** filled **Veerle's** non-school week with new experiences.

Next came **Trevor** with his Rotary Challenge Quiz based on Tulip Times reports over the last 6 months. **Ian L** won. 20 questions had some stumped, but no Golden Ducks were reported. We're having a Quiz Night next March so be guided by the name of Laurie Stewart's book, _____, _____ and _____, and have a glass from _____ and _____, two of our sources in the Highlands while you read encyclopaedias over the Summer.



NEW - Public Notices
Calendar of upcoming events

9 & 10 Sept – Home & Garden Show, Bong
Bong

12 – 24 Sept – Tulip Time, Corbett Gardens

30 Sept – Bowral Rugby 7's – Eridge Park

30 Sep – 1 Oct – Food & Wine Festival, Corbett
Gdns

13 Oct – SH Bowling Challenge

14 Oct – Opoberfest – Bowral Memorial Hall

15 Oct – Bowral Long Lunch, Centennial

22 Oct – Bowral Cycle Classic

27 Oct – Dream Cricket – Bowral, Bradman

28 May/ 29 May Science & Engineering
Challenge

NEXT WEEK –

Club Assembly – questions or agenda items to **Tony
Glenn** please, in advance

The Challenge is back on – Friday 13th Oct

**If you would like to help our Club return the
trophy to where it belongs, see Jo Chalmers for
training schedule etc.**

