

## Tulip Times Club Bulletin: 13 Jun 2023

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**President:**  
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Trevor Fair

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### Club Meetings:

Weekly on Tuesdays, 6.00pm for 6.30pm at various Southern Highlands venues. (See below)

**Meeting apologies by Sunday for the following Tuesday. Please text Trevor Fair.**

Date	Meeting Venues	Speaker/ Topic	Journalist
20 Jun	Bowral Bowling Club	David Marshal/Ruby's House for Youth	Ian Langford
27 Jun	Annesley	Changeover Dinner	Tim Boland

### International Toast.

The **Great Vancouver Fire** destroyed most of the newly incorporated city of Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, on 13 June, 1886.



It started as two land clearing fires to the west of the city. The first fire was further away from the city and was clearing land for the roundhouse of the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The second fire was clearing land to extend the city to the west.

The fires spread north-east into the city, killing at least 21 people and destroying upwards of 1,000 buildings.

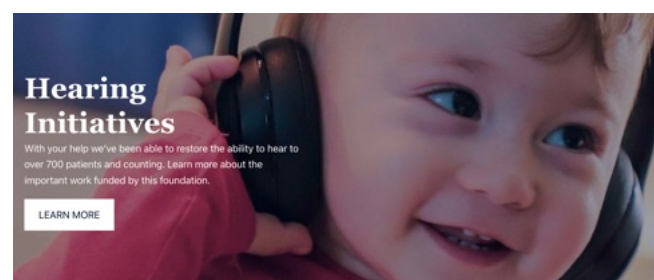
Most residents escaped by fleeing to the Burrard Inlet shore or the False Creek shore. Following the recovery efforts, the city of Vancouver continued to grow. The first police force was set up, the first brick buildings were built, and the first fire engine was brought in.

The Rotary Club of Vancouver was chartered on 1 April 1913 and comprises 96 members and is led by President Kendall Jessiman. The Club sponsors and has a strong presence with Rotaract and Interact. The Club has a most impressive website which certainly tells and sells its easily accessible story without having to "drill down".

[Home - Rotary Club of Vancouver \(rotaryvancouver.org\)](http://rotaryvancouver.org)

For over 40 years, the Rotary Club of Vancouver's Hearing Foundation has provided life-changing care for children and adults with hearing disorders.

The Club's **Ride for Hearing** is an annual fundraising event in support of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing in British Columbia. Since its inception, it has raised over \$3.6 million.



*From the Club website.*

Please be upstanding and toast the **President and Members of the Rotary Club of Vancouver.**

**Venue: Annesley**

**Journalist: Tim Bowland**

Sergeant: **Ian Law** introduce **Pres Leigh**.

**President Leigh** acknowledged the Gundungurra people then introduced guests: Guests & Visitors:

Susan Law, Rosemary Eddowes, Tamoi Sutton, Bev Donges, Stephanie Robinson, Graham Castle, Mary Crammond, Robyn Liberale, Christine Graham, Andrew & Michelle Bulloch.

Apologies: Robbie Allen, Jo Chalmers, Robert de Jongh, Tony Glenn, Rosemary Kelly, Paul Leotta, David McCosh, David Rees, Lynton Kettle

**Don Graham** presented the International Toast to the Rotary Club of Vancouver and said the Invocation.

### Announcements.

#### Firewood Sales.

We have had some good firewood sales lately. Let anyone know who has a wood fire that we have good firewood for sale - delivered.

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#### Uniting Church Food Basket.

Reminded us to bring goods in for the food basket.

#### Changeover Dinner bookings.

Reminded us to book for the changeover dinner.

#### District Governor Elect

Rotarian **Robert Shore** from the RC of Batemans Bay has been elected District Governor Elect, nominee for 25-26.

#### Hunter Valley Bus Crash.

Pres Leigh advised that some of the people on the Bus crash, in the Hunter Valley, were Rotarians. Singleton Rotary are talking to RAWCS about fund raising project to raise money for the families of victims of the crash. Leigh encouraged members to help when the call goes out.

#### Return and Earn project.

**Ian Johnson** gave a report on the progress on the Cash for Cans. You can now select the Rotary Club of BM and the cash goes straight into our cheque account. You can deposit any container that has a 10c sign on it. But no wine bottles. Keep an eye on your old cans and bottles for the 10c sign. There are two machines located in Mittagong where you can deposit. **Ian Law** said Interact are also keen to be involved.

**Pres Leigh** appreciated the efforts of Ian Johnson and Trevor Fair for making the Return and Earn project a reality.

#### Science and Engineering Challenge.

**Rod Aistrope** announced that Crookwell, Yass and others are running a Science and Engineering Challenge on the 4<sup>th</sup> August and they would like volunteers to help out. Please let Rod know if you can help.

#### RAWCS Fiji Trip

There are still places available to go on the FIJI trip. Let Rod know if you would like to join the team.

#### Bulletin Editor Volunteers.

**Tim Bowland** asked the club members if they would like to be trained to produce the Tulip Times. The idea would be to have several members who can share the production of the bulletin during the coming year. Contact Tim if you are interested. **Pres Leigh** spoke highly of the bulletin that has been produced this year by **David McCosh** and appreciates the efforts of the night reporters and bulletin editor.

#### Trivia Contest.

Dinner was taken and **Mary Ramsey** introduced the Trivia contest. There were 40 questions and we had 30 seconds to answer the questions. The winner was **Trevor Fair** and the runner up **Allan Falvey**.

An auction was held, and the Auctioneer was Allan Falvey. Trevor was highest bidder for the (Hers & Mine) gift voucher \$200.

**Eddy from Annesley** then put up 6 bottles of wine, which were auctioned and Ian Langford was the highest bidder with \$220.

Eddy then put up another 6 bottles of wine and the highest bidder was Will Eddowes with \$235.

**Ian Law** then ran the fine session and cross fine session with several amusing stories making up the fines.

**Pres Leigh** thanked everyone for their contribution to the success of the night and said we had raised more than \$800.

Thanks to Eddy and his staff for their contribution to another great evening.

Meeting closed.