

TULIP TIMES



Next Meetings	26 th January, 2018	30 th January, 2018
Location	5 Martha St, Bowral (Kroon's)	Highlands Golf Club, Old Hume Hwy, Mittagong
Program	Australia Day BBQ	TBA
Speaker		
Intro / Vote of Thanks	David McCosh	
Dinner Fee Duty	Ian Langford	
Journalist	Ray Williams	
Regalia Duty		

If you are unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Ray Williams by email: rayjenw@bigpond.com

Journo: Jacinta

Welcome:

David McCosh

Guests:

Jenny Shroff from Broken Hill Club, who presented a banner



Announcements:

Will Eddowes is planning a vocational visit to Frensham / Sturt in early February.

Further details to follow.

Vocational Team also planning Vocational Awards Presentation night to recognise the work of Carers on the 8th May 2018.

David – Reminder about District Conference 23-25 March. Members will be asked to help out that weekend at Mittagong RSL

Presentation:

Robert De Jongh recently learned of a local worthy project being run in the Southern Highlands by a local retired teacher, Trish Reinberger. Robert gave an informative and interesting presentation of Trish's work.

Trish has been volunteering in Vanuatu for the past six years and was recently asked by a school principal for help with school uniforms for the students. A team of women from the Southern Highlands have made hundreds of uniforms and donated them to schools in Vanuatu. Trish has also begun training local women in Vanuatu to sew, and they are now making the uniforms and being supported to set up cottage industry businesses.

Trish is hoping to raise \$3000 to purchase 10 new machines and 2 overlockers to donate the program in Vanuatu. Trish would also like support to renovate the building they use in Vanuatu and help to build a library for the local High School on Espirito Santo.

Anyone able to support this cause, please contact Robert who can put you in touch with Trish Reinberger.

Club Assembly

President David discussed a document (attached) that he had prepared with upcoming events and planning for the remainder of the Rotary year ahead.

Calendar of upcoming events

26 January – Australia Day – Kroon's 5 Martha St

22 February – Film Premier Fund Raiser "The Leisure Seeker" Empire Cinema

24-25 Feb – PETS - Belconnen

23-25 March – District Conference – Mittagong RSL

5-6 May Dist Assembly – Batemans Bay HS

27-29 May Science & Eng Challenge

2 June – TRIVIA Night – start arranging tables

26 June – Club Changeover

1 July – District Changeover