

TULIP TIMES



Next Meetings	Tuesday 26 th June 2018 6:00 for 7:00 pm	Tuesday 3 July 2018 5:30 for 6:30 pm
Location	BOWRAL GOLF CLUB	Highlands Golf Club
Program	Changeover	TBA
Speaker	David McCosh	
Intro / Vote of Thanks	Lynton Kettle	
Dinner Fee Duty	Ian Langford	
Journalist	Trevor Fair	
Regalia Duty	Trevor Fair	

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

Guest Journalist – Jacinta Sheridan – you can see the quality teacher coming through!

Welcome – President David welcomed:

Christine Crowe

Invocation – Brian Elliott

International Toast – Luxembourg – Rod Aistrope

The official birthday of Grand Duke Henri of Luxembourg is this Saturday, 23rd June and the people of Luxembourg celebrate it as their National Day.

Luxembourg City was a fortress of the Roman Empire. Since then, because of its small size and precarious position surrounded by France, Germany and Belgium the country has been occupied and been part of all of the surrounding countries for most of that time.

As a result the National Motto of the Country is “We want to remain what we are”.

There are 13 Rotary Clubs serving the 560 000 Luxembourgers of a total of 103 Clubs in District 1630 which also covers part of Belgium.

The Rotary Club of Luxembourg was Chartered in 1929 and has 96 Members led by President Dominique Valschaerts. Would you all please be upstanding and in honour of the national day of Luxembourg toast the President and Members of the Rotary Club of Luxembourg.



Announcements

David McCosh – Planned Guest Speaker unwell so unable to attend.

Andrew Forbes will be speaking instead about renewable energy in the highlands

Ian Langford:

Details for next years' subs will be sent out to members.

Subs due 1st July this year.

Trivia night raised \$5560 profit. Well done to Mary Ramsey and her committee.

Mary Ramsay thank you to all who came along to make the Trivia night a success.

Thank you also to Will, Terry, Ray, Jacinta, Gwenda, Vicki and Jo who helped behind the scenes and on the night. Big thanks to Gerry also for his help and for sourcing the silent auction prizes.

Brian Pattinson attended a lunch at Bradman where \$200,000 from the government was recently presented to Bradman Oval.

Ken Adams Thank you for \$2000 to Dream Cricket Australia donated by our club.

Rod Aistrope Challenge House won The MBA Regional Building Award for commercial \$1-2 million category. Some members worked on the landscaping last year.

Lynton Kettle re the changeover next week Tuesday 26th June. Time is 6pm for a 7pm start. Please make sure you RSVP and pay \$40 via direct deposit. Venue is Bowral Golf Club Cnr Kangaloon Rd and David St Bowral

Announced future directors for the board

Please make yourselves available to go onto the various committees to help the club.

President: Lynton Kettle

Past President: David McCosh

President Elect: Robert De Jongh (Sergeant)

Secretary: Tony Glenn

Treasurer: Ian Langford

International: Ian Johnson supported by Rod Aistrope

Community Projects and Services: Jacinta Sheridan

Vocational: Will Eddowes

Youth: Don Graham

Publicity/Social: Rosemary Kelly

Fundraising/Events: Mary Ramsey

Foundation/Programs: Trevor Fair

Membership/Club Development: Vicki Kelly

The Presidents annual report will be sent out via email this year. There will be some printed copies at changeover if you would like a hard copy.





Guest Speaker

Andrew Forbes: SCORE - Southern Highlands Community Renewable Energy

Renewable energy in the highlands. Website scoreproject.org links to online information and an online survey.

Andrew has lived in highlands for 20 years. Is an osteopath by profession. Works in Bowral.

Believes strongly in community and the background for that is that he has seen both sides of the coin. Life experience has given him the desire to give back.

There have been groups in the past that have tried to get renewable energy up and going in the highlands. Andrew has tried to learn about what's happened in the past and why things haven't been achieved. Andrew is trying to pull together a small group of people who have the skill sets required to make it work this time.

Andrew is interested in bringing people into the highlands who have achieved community renewable energy in other areas. Hepburn wind is Australia's first community owned wind farm located in the Shire of Hepburn Victoria. Two wind turbines were built in 2012 and is proving to be successful, returning 13 % over past six years to investors.

Andrew wants a project owned and run by highlanders. Maintained by locals and to benefit highlanders financially. Has spoken to schools in the highlands and several have agreed to come on board to help with survey - do highlanders want a renewable energy project in the highlands? 95% of 200 responses support the idea of renewable energy, with solar being the preferred option. For further information, visit scoreproject.org



Raffle

Won by Louie

Drew 7 hearts and won bottle of wine



President David Closed the meeting 8.15pm

Rotary

Club of Bowral-Mittagong Inc.

ANNUAL CHANGEOVER DINNER

TUESDAY 26 JUNE 2018

President David McCosh

and the Members of the Rotary Club of Bowral-Mittagong

invite you and your partner and friends

To join us for our Annual Changeover Dinner and the introduction of the Board of Directors for 2018/19

Venue: Bowral Golf Club, Cnr Kangaloon Road and David Street, Bowral

Time: 6:00pm for 7:00pm

Cost: \$40.00 per person. Payment please by direct credit to:

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or on arrival

RSVP: 19 JUNE 2018

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