



Report for Oct 19, 2021; Volume 83, No: 14 Rotary Club

of Bowral-Mittagong

District 9705 Charter Date 26 March 1940

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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

- Oct 26 At the Hermitage with Don Graham - Blazeaid
- Nov 2 Melbourne Cup Day – Details to be confirmed
- Nov 8 Board Meeting
- Nov 9 Club Assembly
- Nov 16 Tony Glenn - Caravan Trip - Mackay and Pinnacle @ Hermitage 6.00pm
- Nov 23 Sharelle Quinn - Last Qantas 747 Kangaroo Flight @ Hermitage 6pm
- Nov 30 Dr Subhasis Talapatra - Skin Cancer & Prevention @ Hermitage 6PM
- Dec 7 AGM
- Dec 14 Rotary Christmas Party – Partners Night

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

Venue: The Hermitage - first face to face meeting after NSW state-wide Lockdown

Journalist: Trevor Fair

Welcome Sergeant:

Rod's guest is Paul Leotta who is a transferring Rotarian.

President Will welcomed all to the special meeting.

Raffle tickets for Australian Rotary Health are on sale tonight.

Hamper was prepared by Gwenda Webb

Wine donated by David Rees

Benedictine donated by Leigh Robinson

Roses donated by Brian Ritson

Invocation - Leigh Robinson

International Toast - Rosemary Kelly

Most people here would know that the exceptional booming voice of Adele has been missing from new music releases for the last 3 years.

Many Members would remember her rendition of *Skyfall* as the title song which she co-wrote from our premiere screening of the James Bond film in 2012 - how can it be 9 years ago? She won the Academy, Golden Globe and Brit Awards for that song.

Well Adele is back with a stunning new single, *Easy on Me* released this week from her new album 30.

She has won 15 Grammy and 9 Brit Awards.

Adele Adkins was born in Tottenham in north London in 1988 but there is no Rotary Club in Tottenham.



So to celebrate her long awaited new work tonight we will look to the **Rotary Club of Edmonton** based in the adjoining suburb.

The Club was Chartered in District 1130 in 1928 and has 24 Members led by **President Muzahid Choudhury**.

They continue to work away in support of their local community and End Polio Now.

In recognition of one of the world's best popular singer/songwriters and her origins in Tottenham would you please raise your glasses and make our International Toast to the President and Members of the Rotary Club of Edmonton.



Announcements

First Responder Catering is scheduled for the weekend of 5-7th November & 12-14 November.

The purpose of the event is to allow First Responders to debrief. Is being held at Sylvan Glen. We are catering for the following periods

Friday evening

Saturday

Sunday to Lunch

Bowral Cycle Classic is still proceeding, however this year over 2 days - 11-12 December. Rotary is required for Marshalling & BBQ. Please contact Brian Ritson if you are able to assist.

Program Update – Denise Coad

Oct 26 - Member Talk – Don Graham - BlazeAid

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Dec 14 - Christmas Party – Hermitage

Recommence 11 January 2022

Pop In - Rod Aistrop

Art Room has been installed

Drainage to be installed as well as sand pit etc.

Looking for some assistance this Saturday morning.

Best Hat Prize

The 3 finalist were Tony Glenn, Rosemary Kelly and Dom Williams. By popular vote Rosemary Kelly won first prize.



Dinner Badge Presentation to Leigh, Dom, as well as transferring member Paul Leotta.



Paul was a member of the Rotary Club of Dural. In Feb 2021 moved to Renwick, where he saw Rotary helping with the Community Centre. Made contact and the rest is history.

Fay Christie also received her dinner badge - Dom introduced Fay. Fay grew up in CW NSW and went to Sydney to train as a nurse. Husband was a District Court Judge, passed away 6 years ago.



BlazeAid – Don Graham

Don provided a brief update on BlazeAid progress. An appetizer for next week's full presentation.

All skills are welcome. There is a job for everyone.

Last camp for the South Coast.

Need to go for 7 days to get the best out of it.

Editor Carolina Added:

“ If I can do it, anybody can. You get trained up and your confident grows and every day is a new adventure and there is also lots of fun like the Trivia night and the pub live bands – Don't miss this wonderful experience” Carolina



Raffle Draw

First Prize - Paul Leotta

Second Prize - Rose Conley

Third Prize - Des Rudolph

Forth Prize - Dom Williams

Fifth Prize - Leigh Robinson

Sixth Prize - Trevor Fair

PHOTO GALLERY OF OUR FUNNY HAT DAY

\$500++ RECEIVED FOR MENTAL HEALTH MONTH

THANK YOU BOWRAL MITTAGONG ROTARY!

