



Tulip Times

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

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President: Linda Knight 0418 126 240

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Meetings: 6:00 for 6:30

***Highlands Golf Club, Old Hume Highway
Mittagong NSW 2575***

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| Visiting Rotarians | Craig Ross, RCMV Janet Sinclair, RCCC Graham Jones, RC Kings Cross | |
| Guests | Rens Traets, RYE | |
| Next meetings.... | 9 August, 2016 | 16 August, 2016 |
| Location | Highlands Golf Club | Highlands Golf Club |
| Program | Welby – Challenge Development | DG Visit |
| Speaker | Tony McInternie | DG Steve Hill |
| Intro/Vote of Thanks | Rod Aistrophe | Linda Knight |
| Dinner Fees | | |
| Journalist | Trevor Fair | Trevor Fair |
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| Regalia | | |

If you are unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Melanie Ison by email melanie.ison@hotmail.com

President Linda welcomed all including visiting Rotarian Ross Craig RCMV and guests Chris & Ross Benton, RYE Rens Traets,

Thank you for coming out on this evening.

A toast to Arch Klumf and the workers in Vanuatu was made.

International Toast - Denise Coad

Sumiswald - Switzerland



Yesterday was the Swiss National Day when the people of Switzerland celebrate the Confederation of States into the Swiss nation in 1291.

It was also the birthday for horses in the Southern Hemisphere but they don't have a Rotary Club and there is no Fellowship of Equine Rotarians.

So tonight we will toast the Rotary Club of Emmental which is one of 211 Clubs in Switzerland and is in District 1990.

The club meets in a small town called Sumiswald in the Emmental Valley famous for its cheese. The valley is located in the central west of the country near Berne.

President Daniel Krebsler leads 54 Members who have been active in supporting an eye clinic in India and *End Polio Now*. Tomorrow they meet to organise their monthly Rotary Hike which makes them fit and raises money.

Roz introducing her boss – Don Ross



Don Ross - Irene story car crash etc and music

Irene enjoyed music and seemed to get comfort from the music. Even when she had a hip replacement she wanted to dance with the music even after she moved into the nursing home.

Harbison Care looks after 300 Irene's. None of the patients are means tested, either at Moss Vale or Burradoo.

2 Dementia Units at MV with 34 residents. Looking at music and other methods for managing dementia. Researching the usage of a house type environment, pet therapy, robots, and other technology for assisting dementia patients.

Packaging iPods with tailor made music for each patient. Each kit will contain an iPod, power unit and headphones (X 2) for each resident, Kits will cost \$150 for each kit, or total of \$5100. Dementia unit is currently at MV with plans for a unit at Burradoo 28 planned beds.

Music in Dementia project name. Mark Wallace recommended a Cloud Funding project.

Gerry K has offered to donate 5 units, with also a commitment to source at "Wholesale Prices".

Don Ross – CEO Harison



Rens aka Ketchup

