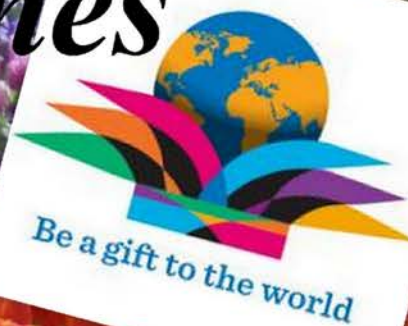


# Tulip Times



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

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**Meetings : 6.00 for 6.30pm  
The Highlands Golf Club, Old Hume Highway  
Mittagong NSW 2575**

Visiting Rotarians	Ian Johnson, RC Kings Cross	
Guests	Cathy Hussey	
Makeups	<a href="#">Please request these at the registration desk or advise Trevor Fair asap.</a>	
Next meeting.....	<b>Apologies to Trevor Fair 4861 6917 or 0403 176 958 before 11am on day of meeting Members not apologizing may be liable for the dinner fee!.</b>	
<b>Location</b> <b>Time</b> <b>President</b> <b>Program</b> <b>Speaker</b> <b>Intro/Vote of thanks</b> <b>Dinner Fees</b> <b>Meeting Host</b> <b>Journalist</b> <b>Sergeant</b> <b>Regalia</b>	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2016	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> July 2016
	Highlands Golf Club	Highlands Golf Club
	6:00 for 6:30 pm	6:00 for 6:30 pm
	Ian Cropper	Ian Cropper
	Fellowship	<b>CHANGEOVER – With Rotaract</b>
	Ian Cropper	Ian Cropper
		Ian Cropper
	Jacinta Sheridan	Jo Chalmers
	Trevor Fair	Trevor Fair
	Lynton Kettle	Lynton Kettle
	Trevor Fair	Trevor Fair
<b>If unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Mark Wallace by email <a href="mailto:wallace9710@iinet.net.au">wallace9710@iinet.net.au</a></b>		

**Journalist: Trevor Fair**

Invocation by Brian Elliott

President Ian welcomed all, especially Cathy Hussey, and visiting Rotarian Ian Johnson, RCKC.

Announcements:

**Changeover** - Joint changeover with Rotaract – The members of Rotaract would like to dress up in International dress. There will be a quick Board meeting after this meeting to finalise proceedings.

**Mark Wallace - Crowd funding** balance up to \$820 mainly from members of the club.

<http://makingadifference.gofundraise.com.au/page/buildaschoolinvanuatu>

**Gerry Kroon - Carpet factory visit** - Minto - July 5th, 19th 20th. Please advise Gerry by next week which day. 10 am visit - Looks like 19th is most suitable day - Need 20 persons to make it worthwhile.

**Rod Aistrope** - BBQ this Saturday Bowral Memorial Hall - at Polling Booth - Funds to Vanuatu Trip - Set up 8 am 8-10, 10-12, 12-2 pm.

Michael Lendrum - Rex Blatch - Bowral Private shortly (thank you Michael L).

Happy Birthday to Ron Sheppard who turned ?? today.

International Toast - Sandra Adams



**The Republic of Djibouti celebrated its Independence Day yesterday**, commemorating the achievement of independence from France in 1977 by a peaceful vote of its citizens.

**Djibouti** is in the north east corner of Africa at the bend between the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aden. It is bordered by Eritrea to the west, Ethiopia to the south and west and Somalia to the east and it is a dry to very dry land.

From the early days of Islam in the 6th Century AD it was a sultanate which became a French colony in the late 19th Century.

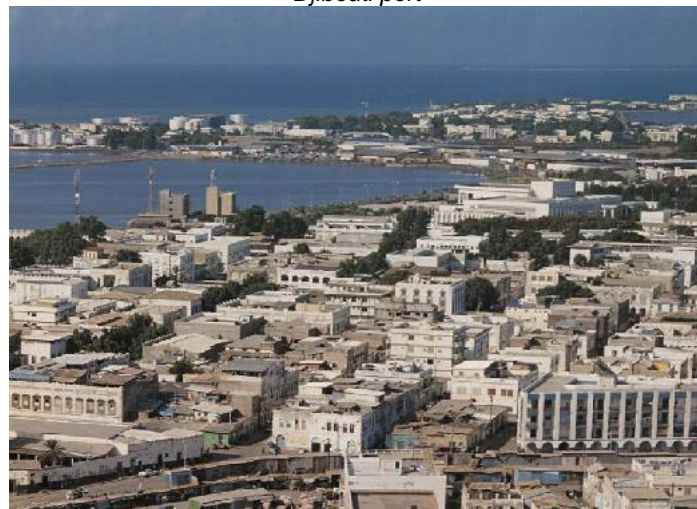
Nowadays its population is about 830 000 but most live in poverty. A significant part of its national income is from the lease of military bases to foreign countries including a large US naval Base, a French Foreign Legion Base, Japan's only overseas base and even the Chinese are building their first foreign base there.

**Rotary District 9220** includes 62 Clubs covering Djibouti and the Indian Ocean Islands as we found when we toasted a Club in the Seychelles two weeks ago.

**Tonight we toast the Rotary Club of Djibouti Mer Rouge - Djibouti Red Sea** -which was Chartered in 2010 and has a growing Membership of 29 led by **President Abdoulsalam Osman Ali**.

The Club ran a breast and cervical cancer screening program in April and is very active in women's and children's health issues and the End Polio Now Program.

*Djibouti port*



Sergeant Session - Lynton

Jacinta learned a few members' names by being responsible for the money collection.

Heads and Tails - Sue Adams won a booty of R&R merchandise.



## Speaker – Melanie Ison



Melanie - After several severe episodes at playgroup decided to only talk to Gardeners.

Permaculture philosophies -  
Care for the earth  
Care for people  
Return to the earth

Philosophy design tool - Eco systems – basically being re-connected with the earth and ensuring actions nurture and nourish the soil.

Permaculture based on 6 zones around the home

Video "Greening the Desert" - 2 km from the Dead Sea - developed a system that would capture all the rainfall using swales which were mulched, then planted with nitrogen fixing shade trees, followed by rows of fruit trees, all this was done on 10 acres, so he believes it is possible to grow in all deserts. Geoff Lawton.

Vote of thanks - Rod Aistrophe

Joker - Alison Lendrum - 4 Clubs - so close but no



## Diary Notes

- 12 July – Club Changeover
- 17 July – Inner Wheel Changeover
- 10 Sept – Clown Dr Ball, Mitt RSL
- 13-25 Sept – Tulip Time, Corbett Gdns

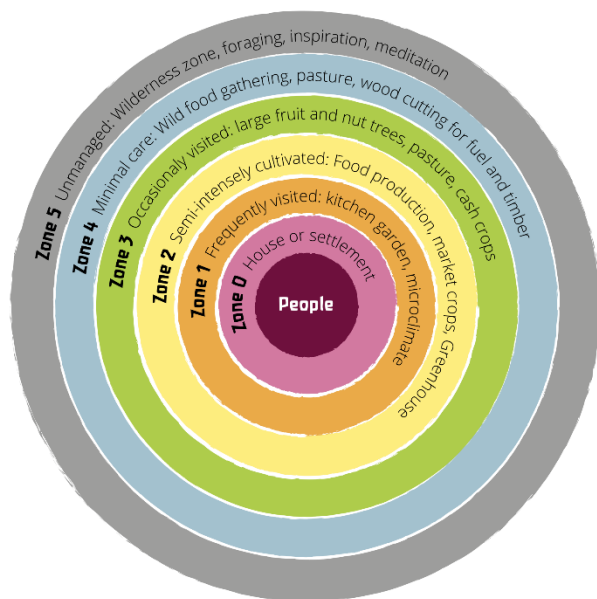


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PRESENTS A VARIETY SHOW  
FUNDRAISER IN SUPPORT OF  
THE **BLACK DOG INSTITUTE**

HELP US TO HELP OTHERS

## GROOVE AWAY THE BLUES!

AND RAISE FUNDS FOR A GREAT CAUSE!

**1 in 5 Australians** will experience a mental illness in their lifetime, less than 50% seek professional help with often tragic consequences.

All money raised will go directly to the **Black Dog Institute** to help them raise awareness and education as well as carry out more research into diagnosis, treatment and early intervention.

THE SHOW WILL FEATURE A RANGE OF LOCAL TALENT PERFORMING BURLESQUE, PROFESSIONAL POLE DANCING, ZUMBA, ACAPELLA SINGING, GYMNASTICS, DANCE & MORE. THE FUNDRAISER WILL BE HOSTED BY AWARD-WINNING SYDNEY BEAT BOXER - BERNIE VAN TIEL. THE NIGHT WILL ALSO INCLUDE A RAFFLE & A LUCKY DOOR PRIZE WITH GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!

**Saturday July 16, 2016**

7:30pm

**Bowral High School**

Cnr Aitken & Park Rd Bowral

### TICKETS

Adults: \$25

Children: \$10

Family (2A; 2C): \$60

Children under 5yr: FREE



**Black Dog  
Institute**

[www.blackdoginstitute.org.au](http://www.blackdoginstitute.org.au)

Tickets can be  
purchased from:  
<http://www.ticketebo.com.au/grooveawaythebluesfundraiser>



## *Annual Raffle*

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| <b>1st Prize</b> | <b>Hyundai i30 Active X Automatic Hatch,</b><br>including all on-road costs, metallic paint<br><i>Value \$28684</i> |
| <b>2nd Prize</b> | <b>Ironstein Wrought Iron Chandelier, hand forged</b><br><i>Value \$3500</i>  |
| <b>3rd Prize</b> | <b>Dean Trailers Garden Tipping Trailer</b><br><i>Value \$1000</i>  |
| <b>4th Prize</b> | <b>Opal from Ackroyd Opals</b><br><i>Value \$500</i>  |
| <b>5th Prize</b> | <b>Sydney Harbour Marriott Accommodation,</b><br>one night including breakfast<br><i>Value \$300</i>                |
| <b>6th Prize</b> | <b>VIP Dinner, including beverages, for 4 at</b><br><b>The Shaggy Cow, Mittagong</b><br><i>Value \$300</i>          |

This raffle is an initiative of The Southern Highlands Support Group, who fundraise for Clown Doctors. The raffle is run in conjunction with the group's Annual Ball. This will be held on Saturday 10th Sept, 2016 at Mittagong RSL, where the raffle will be drawn.

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