

## Next big events

**Bowral Cycle Classic – 21<sup>st</sup> October**

**Bong Bong 22<sup>nd</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov**

**Relay For Life – 20-21 Oct – MV Show Ground**

**Christmas Celebration – 18<sup>th</sup> Dec**

Next Meetings	Tuesday 16th October 2018 5:30 for 6:30 pm	Tuesday 23rd October 2018 5:30 for 6:30 pm
Location	Highlands Golf Club	Highlands Golf Club
Program	DG Margaret Hassall	Member Talks
Speaker	DG Margaret Hassall	Watch this space
Intro / Vote of Thanks	President Lynton Kettle	Trevor Fair
Dinner Fee Duty	John Elder	Trevor Fair
Journalist	Trevor Fair	Denise Coad
Regalia Duty	Brian Elliott	Jim Gasson
If you are unable to do duty, please find a replacement and advise Trevor Fair by email: <a href="mailto:trevorf@oxleypartners.com.au">trevorf@oxleypartners.com.au</a>		



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### DG Visit – 16<sup>th</sup> Oct – Joint Meeting – SH Clubs

DG Margaret will be upbeat after her District Conference so please come along and hear her pearls of wisdom. Also an opportunity to catch up with other Rotarians from Berrima.

### 23<sup>rd</sup> October – Member talks

Those members that missed out in the September round, this is your new opportunity.

### 30<sup>th</sup> October – Mt Eymard Village

Gwenda will be our host and will show us through the Mt Eymard facilities.

For those members who thought it was a winery, I have been reassured that there will be a tippie or two.

## **Happy Hour**

"Happy Hour" from 5:30pm – 6:30pm. Members are encouraged to bring additions to the nibbles. A challenge has been set by David Rees to see who can better his savory treats.

## **Journalist: Denise Coad**

### **Welcome**

President Lynton opened the Meeting and welcomed Members and Guests. It is great to see 4 full tables for our Meeting.

### **Guests:**

Jo Chalmers  
Bob Rheinberger  
Michael Woodhouse

### **Honorary Member:**

Ian Cropper  
Lynton welcomed back Darryl Flegg.

## **Invocation: Brian Elliott**

## **International Toast: Rosemary Kelly**

Uganda was administered with Kenya and Tanganyika by the British East Africa Company from 1888.

The Republic of Uganda became independent from the United Kingdom on 9th October, 1962 and to honour its Independence Day today our International Toast this evening is to the Rotary Club of Kabale.

Current Ugandan President Museveni was elected in 1986. The country has been stable during his leadership but has been involved in a number of conflicts particularly with its neighbour to the west, the Democratic Republic of the Congo in that time.

Its other neighbours are South Sudan to the north, Kenya to the east, Rwanda and Tanzania in the south with Lake Victoria to the south east. Kabale is a city close to the Rwanda border. It has a population of 50 000.

The Rotary Club of Kabale in District 9211 was Chartered in 1984.

While next week we will host our District Governor Margaret Hassall, two weeks ago Kabala hosted SEVEN District Governors!

To prove that bravery they also undertook gorilla tracking and a boat ride on Uganda's deepest lake as fund raisers last month and held a Cancer Run in August.

The Club's 20 members are led by President John Agaba.



## **Toast Reponse from RC Kabale, Uganda**

Dear Rotarian Rod and President Kettle.

Receive sincere greetings from District 9211, Uganda and The Rotary Club of Kabale in particular.

Thank you very much for honouring Uganda and recognising it at its 56th independence anniversary.

Many thanks for toasting to The Rotary Club of Kabale. We gladly toast back in appreciation to The Rotary Club of Bowral Mitagong.

I look forward to working more with you during this rotary year and beyond. Can we have a joint project?

Cheers.

## **Announcements**

Ian Johnson presented Certificates for RAWCS Fiji Project 2018 to:

Lynton Kettle  
Rob Uhl  
Jacinta Sheridan  
Mary Ramsay  
Vicki Kelley  
Don Graham  
Will Eddowes  
Rod Aistrophe  
Ray Coulton (Absentia)

Ian thanked Members who attended the RAWCS Project Meeting, which went for 55 minutes.

Agenda items discussed:

Logistics  
Worthiness  
Costs  
Grants  
Countries – Pacific or other

Vicki Kelley to draft a Spreadsheet. Members to contact Ian by email their thoughts and future involvement.

### **Director and Member Reports:**

**Will Eddowes** Pride of Workmanship Awards in May 2019.

Visit next year to the Southern Highlands Police Station.

Waiting list for Mouse House visit.

**Mary Ramsay** Bowral Classic 21<sup>st</sup> October. Need one more person 9.30 – 12.30. Ian Johnson volunteered.

**Vicki Kelley** Zac Hulm being inducted at next week's meeting being the District Governor's visit. Zac is sponsored by Brian Ritson.

**Gwenda Webb** Golf Club Membership is \$15 a year otherwise we have to register each visit. If we could please support the Golf Club. Gwenda has forms to complete.

**Trevor Fair** Bong Bong Races Friday November 23. Our "Bong Bong Races Club Meeting" on Thursday November 22. Seeking suggestions for fun activities and fund raising.

**Don Graham** will be planning the set-up for Bong Bong Races. A job Ray Coulton has done so well for many years.

Also next week the RYPEN Mogo attendees will be giving a short presentation to Members. They will be introduced by Robbie Allan.

David Rees will not be doing the Breakfast Club Roster next year. Any volunteers?

**Ian Langford** attended the District Conference with Sue. Only other Member attending was Rod Aistrope. We should look at a better attendance in 2020, which is the last Conference for District 9710.

It was a very inspirational Conference.

The next International Conference is in Hamburg, Germany.

**Ken Adams** Dream Cricket Day Friday October 26 at Bradman Oval. Gwenda is assisting with registrations. Brian Pattinson will not be attending this year as he will be looking after Liz who had an accident and cracked vertebrae.

Our best wishes to Liz on her recovery.

Dream Cricket Australia AGM is October 26 at 2.30pm

### **Guest Speaker**

Garry Ponder – White Ribbon



Introduced to Members by Rod Aistrope. Referred to Rod by Claudia from Science and Engineering Challenge.

Garry is an Ambassador for White Ribbon. He has lived in The Highlands for 9 years. Previously in the Police Force for 20 years. His wife has worked in Women's Refuges.

White Ribbon Day will be November 25.

The vision of White Ribbon Day is for Men to respect Women and to engage with Men to keep Women safe.



To promote School Programs. Currently two good advertisements on television for Boys to respect Girls.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics 2016:

1 in 3 Women suffer physical violence  
1 in 5 Women harassed at work  
Women killed by current or former partner  
Women killed at home or children abused

6 Women have been killed in last 7 days

Women suffer Financial abuse by not being on House Deeds.

No Bank Accounts or Credit Cards.

From April 2017 to March 2018 ninety- three cases of domestic abuse have been reported in our local area.

In our Area we have available for Domestic Violence victims:

YWCA

Barnados Moss Vale

A Safe House in Station Street

St Vincents de Paul – Homelessness

Highlands Community Centre

Stafford Cottage

NIL Loans

There will be a Charity Golf Day on November 25 with all funds donated to Local School Programs

The will be a White Ribbon Walk on November 21 7.30am at Bradman Oval. Wear a white shirt.

Lynton reminded Members the September and October Birthday Lunch will be this Friday at the Pizza Bar Imperial Hotel. Pre lunch drinks from 12:30. Lunch from 1 – 1.30 pm.

## Joker Draw



We are doing Jo proud. The Joker is still up the sleeve. Well done.

## Rotary Joke of the Week.

A doctor, a scientist and an anti-vaxxer walk into a bar.

The doctor says "I'll have a shot."

The scientist says "I'll have a shot, too".

The anti-vaxxer says "No shots for me!".

He then dies of polio.

## Photo of the Week



Bowral already has a big tulip.

## Berrima District Rotary Movie Night

1<sup>st</sup> November, 2018

### MOVIE NIGHT

**THURSDAY  
1<sup>ST</sup>  
NOVEMBER**  
EMPIRE CINEMA,  
BOWRAL  
6PM FOR A 6:30PM  
START

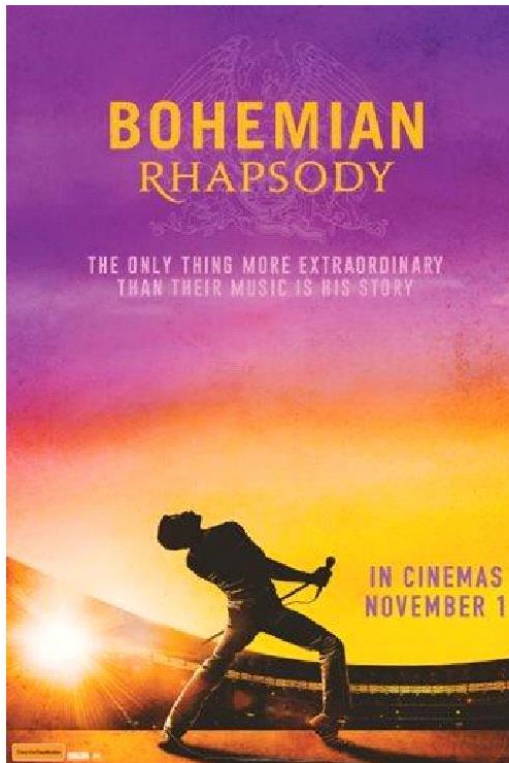
**TICKETS \$25**  
Glass of wine or  
drink on arrival.  
Snack box provided.

Proceeds to support  
the local projects of  
the Berrima District  
Rotary Club.

Prize for the best  
'fancy' dressed  
attendee.

Berrima District  
**Rotary**  
Club

**BRAY  
& ASSOCIATES**  
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS



**SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE  
FORUM**

**WHITE  
RIBBON  
WALK**



Wednesday 21st November 7:30am-8:30am  
Bradman Oval, Bowral  
Wear a white tshirt and march to show that you stand  
against domestic violence.  
Join fellow community members for a sausage sizzle  
provided by the Lions after the event (gold coin)  
Free Event: Just come along or register at Eventbrite or to  
LeanneK@ywca.org.au

## Southern Highlands Domestic Violence Forum



### EXPECT RESPECT

## Keeping Relationships on Par Community Challenge Golf Day

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2018**

Highlands Golf Club, Mittagong

Tee off at 8am (shotgun start) 4 Ball Ambrose

18 holes - \$40.00 Includes lunch

Cart hire available at additional cost through Highlands Pro Shop

Form a team and show your support in saying NO to  
Domestic Violence in our local community

Bookings to be finalised by Wed 21st November

Contact S/Con Simone HOUGHTON Southern Highlands Police

[houg1sim@police.nsw.gov.au](mailto:houg1sim@police.nsw.gov.au) 02 48697899

Or Garry PONDER White Ribbon Ambassador

[garry.ponder@completewealth.com.au](mailto:garry.ponder@completewealth.com.au) 0423 622 328

## JOIN US IN CELEBRATING GRANDPARENTS DAY

THURSDAY 25 OCTOBER 2018

10AM-1PM

CIVIC CENTRE, MOSS VALE

FREE

Petting Zoo

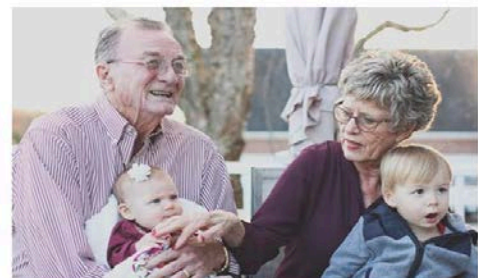
Photo Booth

Magic Jester

Tech Time

Reading Corner

Plus much more...



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