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#### Dinner Bookings <u>& Makeup's</u>

#### South Bunbury:

Rose Hotel Wednesday 6.15 for 6.45pm start, 0413 743 601 before 10 am

#### **Bunbury:**

Parade Hotel Monday 6.00 for 6.30pm start 97212933

#### **Bunbury Leschenault:**

Parade Hotel Wednesday 12.00 for 12.30pm start 97212933

## **APOLOGIES: TO**

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Or Sgt-at-arms Dean, by 10am by phone or email on 9727 0236 or 0428 915 571 deanandgail@hotmail.com

#### <u>Send Contributions &</u> <u>Information for the Bully</u> <u>to:</u>

dawn.naylor@ecu.edu.au



Stewart Binnie 29<sup>th</sup> Don Spriggins 29th THE BULLY Number 13 :26 Sept 2012 September is New Generations Month

#### Quote of the week:

Happiness is not the absence of problems, but the ability to deal with them.



## YOUTH PILGRIMAGE TO INDIA

President Stephen introduced Sabrina from Bunbury Multi-cultural Group. Sabrina was originally from Calcutta and as a baby was blessed by Mother Teresa. Later in life, she had the opportunity to work with Mother Teresa's nuns in their orphanages. She then moved to Australia, where she now resides with her family and feels blessed again. Her vision, similar to meaning Rotarians, was to give something back to her home place.



The orphans of India were/are still an on-going concern and as such this seemed like a logical place to start. In her position at BMCC, she was inspired by the strong spirit that young people generated towards social justice issues and so she somehow wanted to harness this energy in order to make a difference.



This year will see this vision come to fruition in the inaugural Bunbury Catholic Diocese's Immersion in India Project.

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NEXT MEETING: Wed, 3 Oct 2012

## Next week's guest speaker is

## Brad Scott Para Olympian Runner

CELEBRATIONS
26 Sept – 2 Oct 2012

PARTNERS' Birthdays	WEDDDING ANNIVERSARIES	INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES
N/A	N/A	N/A

## **BONANZA GUEST LIST THIS WEEK**

A record number of guests popped in this week. Whilst we might like to think it is our following- it was RYLA's Youth Leadership drive that must take the credit. We welcome Samantha French, a passionate advocate for RYLA, who spoke later in our meeting.



Other guests included.....

We are the 'Three Amigos from Harvey", Charlie Baggett, Tony Parton and Don Watts (ED's sense of humour)



Heather Reid, BRC, caught up with PP Glenys and Jim Hill, multiple visitor chatted to Simon Knight, from way out yonder, NSW (I'll risk getting the spelling wrong; Bowrol Mittogona





Olivia Nolan, a student in the BCD, Journey to Inida, who also spoke to the meeting with Sabrina



And welcome to John Sinclair; father of Neil, who is visiting from the UK- sorry no picture- Neil's fault for not alerting me!

We welcome back, Dr Naru Pal, after an extended visit in India, to visit his terminally ill mother. We extend our sincere condolences to Naru and his family on the passing of his mother. Our prayers and thoughts are with you.

## COMMITTEE QUICKIES

**Trevor Wilson, International**; International Dinner for this year will be held on 13 Feb , 2013. Venue to be confirmed.

Andy Perrella, Vocational; next vocational visit will be on 7 Nov at GeOgraphe Enterprises- a flyer will come out shortly. 4 Helpers needed on the night –thanks **John Gray, GSE** visits to Brazil confirmed a local police officer and Melody Birrell have been nominated .

**Kevin Eagles, Public relations**; reminder about Dr Fiona Wood, see flyer below. He reported there are already 150 attendees, so be quick if you want a seat. It is a Friday night meeting- so no Wednesday meeting that week.

Also Sunday 28 Oct ; Walk to Health have invited us to do a sausage sizzle, any volunteers.

**Ben Andrew, Administration**: via President Stephen, reminder of Sundowner on 28 Sept at David Sutherland's; 5 Jargoon Approach, Dalyellup.

Thanks for supporting Dr Oakeley night. It was a big success, with over 95 attendees and raffle tickets raised over \$385. Thanks to Kevin for donations contributing to the baskets. Next week's speaker is Para Olympic runner, Brad Scott.

#### Other members reported:

**Murray Harris**; reported the new mobile BBQ- transformer style is now completeyet to be christened but, has work on the books.

**RayJ**; played havoc in Esperance, where he attended their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. RayJ offered his 2 of his wood and coin keyrings for auction and raised \$200 each ! ERC have produced a book of their history. Ray produced an interest excerpt from the book about the dinner meetings in the early days ;

Meetings were held in the Masonic Hall at Windich St, where Mrs Anne Hadden catered for the meal at a cost of 7/6 pp. Members supplied their own cutlery and crockery'.



## RYLA'S BIG DAY OUT !

With the RYLA big day out making presentations to Bunbury schools today, Samantha French took the opportunity to drop in and advocate for RYLA, sharing some of the exciting developments involved in the up and coming 8 day youth leadership camp at Busselton. A dvd was shown that showcased how participants engage in tasks that looked more like fun that education, but involved the development of

goals setting skills, time management, motivation, self awareness, public speaking and being challenged. Clubs can sponsor any potential leaders aged between 18-28 (Sam and Ben are looking for sponsors) to the tune of \$680, with participants paying \$150. Sam's committee is responsible for the selection of participants.

One of the group's challenges is to prepare a '**secret dinner** to which local club members are invited, this includes both fine dining and entertainment for the evening. This year it will be on the Sat- details will follow.

## WEEKLY COMPETITION

Len; On this in 1988, someone said' *anyone that doesn't give their employees the day off is a bum*". Yes! it was the day We won the CUP! And tonight's winners were also Jim Hill, Jamie Challis and Eric Hodgson.

### **MORE FROM THE FRONT PAGE**

Sabrina's original idea was to take a study group to India to raise awareness and volunteer time to the orphanage's issues, but also to develop cultural appreciation s. However, she was cautious, so she took her children on a test run and it proved to be a rewarding experience for them. Hence the idea grew and with the blessing of BCD, she approached Bunbury Catholic Grammar , who embraced the idea with open arms and the Immersion Program was launched. The program targeted Yr 12 students and offered incentives to give



up their Leaver's weekend for a week helping in India. 19 students were selected to go on the inaugural journey to India, early in the new year Sabrina read out some of the other students' profound testimonials about their hopes and aspirations from the journey.

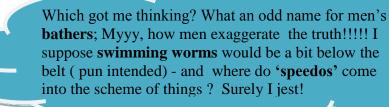


Olivia Nolan, one of these inaugural students spoke about her personal testimonial and suggested some ways that Rotary might like to help. These include provision of donations, books, stationery. In return the students, on their return. will share their experiences. It is also hoped that an additional outcome the will development of a leadership group to support future friend s and groups that also take the journey.

Wally gave a vote of thanks to Sabrina and Olivia, for their inspiration to others and what sounds like a win-win situation for all. Best of luck ladies!

#### FINES

Not sure if Kevin was or was not on roster for fines but either way he was way too keen to take on the task and armed with an A4 note book. Fines included; the sending of romantic messages to wife and pressing the wrong recipient button ( some one thought all their Christmas' had come at once); turning up for the swimming club without your 'swimming trunks'; Needless to say Neil Sinclair carried the box!



Some other fines ( for creativity and originality ratings) were:

For not ordering a meal- we can see why not?

Being boatless and jealous

Retiring out of retirement

Having an authentic Australian Indian accent

People who feed possums

Compromising building materials with DIY recipies

Any one that goes to a GOODIES meetings

Welcoming visitors with a fine. Finally Kevin was fined for sacrificing his many friendships for fines.

### **REMINDERS:**

- 02 Oct Brad Scott- Para Olympian runner
- 09 Oct will be held on the Friday 12 Oct **Keynote Address by:** Dr Fiona Wood @ Lord Forest Hotel 7.pm- public welcome.

18 Oct Rotary Charity Golf Day @ Sanctuary GR- flyer/rego- next week

- 07 Nov Vocational visit- GeOgraphe enterprises- dinner at Air Force Cadet's Training Unit
- 21 Nov DG Bob Cooper visits

Responsibilities for the next fortnight!			
Duties:	3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct	12 Oct At Lord Forest Hotel- TBA	
Host & Grace	Gordon Golby		
Properties	Steven Cluning		
Properties	Morris Johnston		
Reception	Jamie Challis		
Reception	Glen Fraser		
Introduction	Mike Presser		
Thanks	Wally Jones		
Ticket Sales	Boyd Brown		
Fines	Kevin Coote		
Raffle Spinner	Len Andel		



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# DR FIONA WOOD

FRCS, FRACS, AM, Winthrop Professor School of Surgery, UWA *Dedicated to research and education into burns, trauma and scarless healing* 



Career highlights 1993: Co-founded Clinical Cell Culture 1999: Co-founded the McComb Foundation 2003: Member of the Order of Australia 2003: Australian Medical Association Contribution to Medicine Award 2004: National Living Treasure 2005: Australian of the Year 2005-2009: Reader's Digest poll most-trusted Australian

*On the 10th Anniversary of the Bali Bombing Tragedy* 



WHEN:Friday 12 October 2012<br/>7.00pm for 7.30pmWHERE:The Quality Lord Forest HotelCOST:\$60 per person (2 course meal served)<br/>(includes \$10 donation to The Fiona Wood Foundation)RSVP:8 October 2012 to rod.downe@bigpond.com or ph: 9791 9775