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# THE BULLY Number 22 : 5 December 2012

December is Family Month

#### Quote of the week:

It is far better to give than receive and it is the thought that counts.



## Dinner Bookings & Makeup's

### **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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## NEW KID ON THE BLOCK

Jim Hill is our newest member to SBRC and tonight he gave a snapshot of his life. Suffice to say, he had prepared for the talk but forgot to bring his glasses. Rotarians were more than happy to lend a helping eye.

Jim hails from New South Wales, moving to Western Sydney in 2009.





He has hit the half century and is married with 2 daughters. He met his wife on a blind date (these days they call that cyberdating!) Over the last 20 years he has travelled extensively, been involved in TV shows like The Block and other home renovations shows. He particularly enjoyed the privilege of employing young blokes (I quote) in apprenticeship roles. He has also been involved in fundraising such

as the Outback Car Trek in the Kimberley region. These days he resides in Dalyellup, works for Overflow Industrial and works out at the gym doing boxing. He enjoys fishing but hasn't had much success in Bunbury so any hints about where the 'big fish' are would be greatly appreciated.

NEXT MEETING: Wed, 12 December 2012

**George Barnes Memorial Award** 



N/A

## CELEBRATIONS

5 - 12 December 2012

PARTNERS' Birthdays	WEDDDING ANNIVERSARIES	
N/A	6/12 Dean & Gail Freeman 34 yrs	
	8/12 Brian & Mickie Castrieau 29 yrs	

10/12 Stephen Hinton 4 yrs

## OUR GUESTS THIS WEEK INCLUDED .....

Jo Wilkin; Rotarian from

Coonabarabran in NSW. Jo is visiting her daughter and new grandchild. She told us a little about her community and rotary club. Coonabarabran is a small rural cattle community, with a population of 6000. Their club has 28 members. Their main fundraising events include a catering trailer, bookshop and community service.



Their main projects include 3 camps per year. One for 50 city kids interested in the cattle industry. One for astronomy community as Coonabarabran is the astronomy capital of Australia and finally a camp for the disadvantaged kids from Sydney. Jo has been a member of Rotary for 10 years. She joined after doing a group study exchange organized by Rotary.

Rolf Stene popped in again and introduced himself.



Morris Johnston and John Sibson enjoying a chat.



Rod Downe chaired the meeting this evening



Murray Harris tells a story as only he can.

## **Committee Reports**

**Ben Andrew, Administration;** Thanks to all those members who have hosted a Sun downer, especially Murray for hosting last week. Out Christmas function will be held on 19 Dec at the World Kitchen, cost is \$55 pp. Ben will announce his board members next week- but still needs a president elect, Vocational chair and editor for the Bully.

**Andy Perrella, Vocational**; Apology but sent through a reminder that next week is the announcement of the George Barnes Award for the apprentice of the year. Representative from Bunning's and SW Institute will be attending. The apprentice will also give a short talk.

**Trevor Wilson, International**; announced International exchange student is Rose Kerr, she will be talking to us on 9 Jan. Reminder about the International dinner on 13 Feb.

**Neil Sinclair, New Generations**; 2 candidates for RYLA. 2 schools were recipients of the Microscopes for Schools project, BCC and Dalyellup College.

Rod Downe, Membership; committee meeting next Wed am.

**Peter Hill,** Children's Fair is going along nicely. This Sat 8 Dec is the Motor Cyclists Charity ride, he needs lots of volunteers to help collect gifts. Also there is a sausage sizzle at the Treendale Fair this Sat at 9.45 am, we need volunteers to cook.

**Roger Veen**; reported that the recent storms destroyed 2 of the Sail Into Life pontoons. He is waiting for insurance to come through to replace then, however the SIL program can still take place. Thanks to everyone who helped with the clean-up.

### WEEKLY COMPETITION



Murray, making up for his absence last week ran a bit of a quiz about who was born and died ON THIS DAY. 75 tickets sold by Neil Sinclair.



Playing for 8 diamonds and \$40. Guest Jo Wilkin, won a bottle of wine as did Glenys McDonald and Peter Hill. The money jackpots next week

#### FINES

Kim was fines master and Dean carried the box for no reason.

#### GUESS WHO....

Was Sth African and went to the WACA to watch Australia lose.

Sent out Christmas cards with a picture of himself dressed only in barrel. Surely not! Got the Sun downer date mixed up.

Has an old girlfriends book!!!

Found how good the Toyota is without petrol Rides to work every day and got hit by a car this week.

Are the only females?



Turk is none of those fined- but it is a good picture!

#### **REMINDERS:**

12 Dec George Barnes Award night

19 Dec Christmas Function at World Kitchen

9 Jan 2013- Exchange student speaker

13 Feb International Dinner

Responsibilities for the next fortnight!		
Duties:	12 Dec	19 Dec
Host & Grace		
Properties		
Properties		
Reception		
Reception		
Introduction		
Thanks		
Ticket Sales		
Fines		
Raffle Spinner		

