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**Wollundry Rotary Weekly eBulletin**

Rotary Club of  
**WOLLUNDRY**  
WAGGA WAGGA

RI Pres: Ron Burton      DG: Geoff Tancred      Club Pres: Phil McIntosh

Tue Oct 08, 2013

[Home](#)**Meeting 15 October**

Guest Speaker: **Trevor Urhart**  
& **Peter Quarmby**.

Fellowship: Greg Conkey  
Reception: Ken Cook  
Furniture: Peter Crozier  
Bulletin Editor: Doug Sutton  
Sergeant: Mark Sayer  
Saturday Farmers  
Markets: 12/10/2013. OIC:  
Doug Conkey. Team: Col Duff,  
Graham Barrow, Peter  
Crozier, Michael Eldridge, Jim  
Gibson, John Gray, David  
Hodge, Wayne Jenkins, Neil  
Pinto, Brian Roberts.

Sunday Markets: 13/10/2013  
OIC: Rob Pearson. Team:  
Greg Conkey, John Mason,  
Michael Merrylees, Chris  
Metcalf, Kerry Pascoe.

**Club Events**

**Sydney Sailing weekend**  
Oct 11, 2013 - Oct 13, 2013

**Poets Day**  
Nov 19, 2013

**Speakers**

Oct 15, 2013  
**Trevor Urhart and Peter  
Quarmby**

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**Tuesday's Wollundry Meeting****Presidents Report**

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

**President Phil McIntosh** returned to the chair today after a two week break. After the traditional Rotary Grace he welcomed our guest speaker **Sara Morley** who came to speak on one of our favourite topics: Food.



**Phil** thanked **PP Andy Irvine** for chairing the meetings while he was away. He also thanked the Bulletin Editors for their splendid job in providing a Bulletin which he enjoyed by email while traveling.

There were not a lot of Presidential announcements this week due to the absence of our President for two weeks but **Phil** did alert us to the possibility of twilight markets in the near future. This matter to be discussed at a **Board Meeting on the 17th Oct**.

**James Hamilton** informed members that twilight markets are happening in Albury Wodonga and are apparently very successful

**Our Meeting**

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

**Hat Day**

Members came in a variety hats and were given the rules by Secretary **Paul Milde**. He reminded us that the purpose of Hat day is to raise funds for Rotary Health and specifically for research into Mental Health. He said that the Board would match our collection today dollar for dollar.

A prize would go to the three best hats.

Members donated over \$280 dollars which would become a donation to Rotary Health of **Approx. \$560**.

Best Hat was won by **James Ross**, 2nd prize went to **Wal Paton** and 3rd prize went to **David Byfield**.



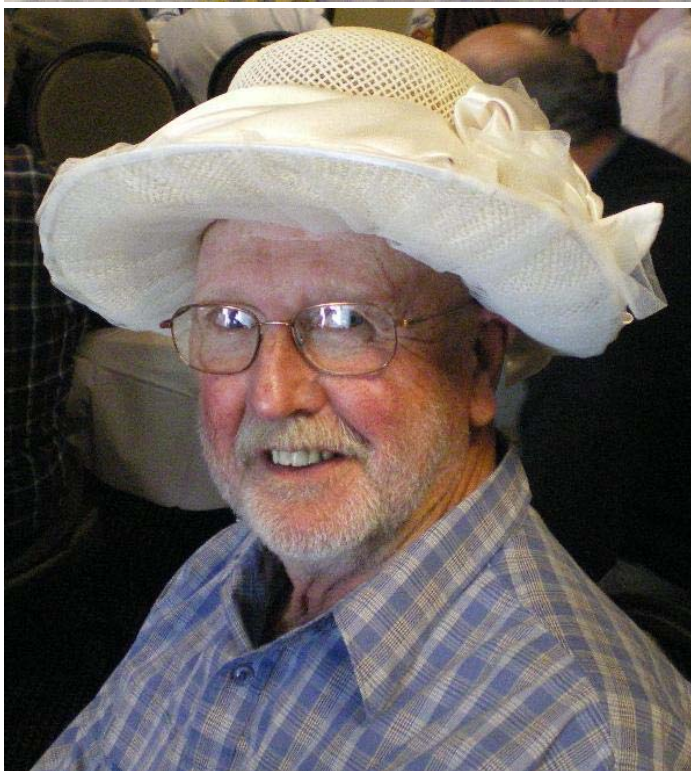
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Executive Secretary  
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## Club Events

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**Poets Day**  
Nov 19, 2013

## Bulletin Editor

*Editor Paul Murray*  
*If you have any comments or questions, please contact the editor.*



Our **Rotary Exchange student Nelson Alvarado** told us what he has been up to in the school holidays. He visited Broken Hill to see the Sculptures at Sunset, went down a mine, went to Silverton where the film Mad Max was made and visited Mundi Mundi. He then travelled to Brisbane where he went to the Zoo and the Beach before coming down to Sydney where he witnessed the celebration of 100 years of the Australian Navy. Well done Nelson. You sure are absorbing a lot of Aussie Culture. Your accent of G'day mate was spot on!



Our **Sergeant Session** was conducted by **Richard Braid** who fortunately left early so that yours truly was able to win the wine!

With the assistance of **Peter Clucas**, Richard was able to extract a lot of loot from the members for Hats, Football allegiances etc. **Peter Clucas** crossfined **Paul Milde** for the fact that his details were wrong on Clubrunner, but will undoubtedly face a future fine for failing to take responsibility for his personal details in the Clubrunner program.

**Rick Priest** cross fined **Michael Gerogiou** in a most unfair fashion although members thought it was amusing. Michael took it in good spirit. Michael told us that his Cypriot Rotarians were impressed by the amount of dollars we raised.

The sailing weekend organised by **Mark Hillis** is on this weekend. We wish them happy sailing and good weather on their maxi yacht and look forward to seafaring tales next week.



**Peter McKinnon** reported on the Picnic Races at the weekend. He organised the supply of our tents and raised \$1,300 for their hire. There were 2,800 patrons through the turnstiles and about \$30,000 was raised for **Country Hope**. A great result Peter.

**Michael Knight** reported a very successful Little Big Day Out and thanked helpers **Mark Hillis, Wayne Jenkins and Michael Merrylees** for their assistance in putting up the tents for the day.

### CREATING HOPE IN CAMBODIA

*BLUE ILLUSION INVITES YOU TO A SPECIAL CHARITY EVENT ON*

*Thursday the 7th of November from 5 - 8 p.m.*

*175A Baylis St. Wagga Wagga*

*Join us to see the new collection and enjoy drinks and nibbles. 20% of the proceeds will be given to support the Creating Hope in Cambodia medical centre project.*

*RSVP (to help with catering) Text Cathy on 0411 453016 or call Jodie on 02 69216463 or email at [wagga@blueillusion.com](mailto:wagga@blueillusion.com) or [kathy@pcresources.com.au](mailto:kathy@pcresources.com.au)*

**Club Guests: Sara Morley (Guest speaker) Nelson Alvarado (Exchange Student)**

**Makeups: Jim Gibson, Denis Shean, Wayne Jenkins, Michael Knight.**

**Apologies: Greg Conkey, Michael Eldridge, Frank Fuller, Geoff Hamilton, John Hawkins, Neil Pinto,**

**Kevin Roben, George Thomas.**

The members draw was won by **Doug Sutton**





### Guest Speaker

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

Our guest speaker today was **Sara Morley**. She was introduced by **Hugh Campbell** who told us that Sara works for the Riverina Institute of TAFE and administers several departments including their food section which is the topic of her talk today. She also presents on ABC radio.





Sara who was a lively and competent presenter told us that the most important thing she does is eat. She is a qualified chef and was at our first Farmers Market representing her then business 3 Chefs.



Sara recently went on a trip to Fiji and her talk today centred on comparing food in that Country and in Australia.

Food security she said, is so important. It means the availability of food and access to it. Australia has high food security whereas Fiji has low food security. Australians can expect to have a high quality of food supply despite droughts, floods, crop failure etc. Fiji, on the other hand has poor cropping, poverty, insecure political system and issues with nutrition.

Sara spoke mainly about her experience on the Fijian Island of Taveuni which is known as the garden island of Fiji. It is the third largest Island in the Fijian group and has a population of about 15,000 mainly indigenous Fijians with the minority being of Indian descent. The latter are more enterprising.

The Island has delicious fruit, Pineapple, Coconuts, Mango Paw Paw etc. And the locals are being assisted to develop their agricultural methods and increase nutrition by **Ausaid**. This Australian overseas aid initiative is manned by **Jo and Geoff Dean** and the Taveuni Rotary Club which has a budget of \$10 million. A lot of this money is spent in the medical area.

Jo and Geoff, who have two primary school age children, are teaching locals how to farm in a sustainable way. They have mentored 40 groups of five people who in turn will teach others.

Jo meets with the women and talks about food safety and nutrition. They have a good supply of fish but lack knowledge on how best to use their resources. Sara showed them a new way of using lemon grass for skewers with mango and lime juice to make a delicious fish meal.

In Australia we are in a privileged position of being able to eat locally. **Taste Riverina** is on in October. The theme is to eat local. You support the local economy, the food is fresh, you know where it comes from and you are eating food in season. The simplest way to judge food in season is by price. The cheaper it is the more likely it is to be in season as there is a plentiful supply.

Sara believes there is pressure to increase the number of Farmers Markets. This is happening all over the State. The big challenge is to source local produce.

**John Ferguson** gave a vote of thanks on behalf of the members and presented Sara appropriately with a bottle of olive oil produced by some of our members.

#### Rotary Meal Deal

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

A Rotary Meal Deal was held last Friday night at **PP Michael Knight's**.

**Michael** cooked a delicious meal of Roast Port, Baked Vegetables followed up by Lime Tart made from his own Limes. All washed down with Red and White wine. Guests for the evening were **Sandra Legge, Paul and Carolyn Murray, Doug and Kay Sutton**.



For those who have not yet completed their meal deal here is a reminder of the roster:

Below is the first round of the 2013-14 meal wheel deal. It begins on 1st September and should be completed on 30th November. May I suggest that you make contact with your guests as soon as possible as it is sometimes difficult to make arrangements of a mutually suitable date.

Please let me know if any difficulties arise so that I am aware of them and can assist if required.

HOST	GUESTS
MacIntosh	Shean; Leywood
Ross	Taylor; Willis
Wallace	Gerlach; Egan
Watts	Hillis; Foster
Knight	Sutton; Murray
Eldridge Alan	Irvine; Hawkins
Hamilton Geoff	Pinto; Sayer
Smith Dick	Macgillicuddy; Jenkins
Blowes	Pickard; Burmeister

Crozier

Conkey G; TBA

### Rotary Information

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

Rotary information was given today by **Wayne Jenkins**.

He told us that he had been asked recently what was the origin of the title Rotary. As he did not know he decided to do some research. Today's information is the result.

Rotary began when Paul Harris called together three colleagues for a meeting to share their interests. This was 1905 in Chicago. They decided to have a regular meeting and to share it around their various office locations. This rotation was the origin of the word Rotary. The idea quickly caught on and it wasn't long before they had many others wanting to join. A more formal structure was agreed to and Clubs opened in San Francisco, Oatlands and Seattle. Dublin had a club in 1911 but the Brits somehow managed to claim the first club charter outside the USA in 1912.



### Secretary's Report

Posted by Paul Milde on Oct 10, 2013

ROSTERS for meeting 15 October:

Paul Milde, in his role as Secretary, announced upcoming commitments and Rosters.

Fellowship: **Greg Conkey**  
 Reception: **Ken Cook**  
 Furniture: **Peter Crozier**

Bulletin Editor: **Doug Sutton**  
 Sergeant: **Mark Sayer**

Guest Speaker: **Trevor Urqhart & Peter Quarmby**.

Birthdays: **Kevin Moffatt - 11/10, Brent Pickard - 12/10, John Ferguson - 15/10, Mark Fleming - 15/10.**

Partners Birthdays: **Joy McGregor - 15/10.**

Wedding Anniversary: **Lyn & Jim Gibson - 14/10/1972 - 41 Years.**

Club Anniversary: **Pat Ingram - 15/10/1985 - 28 Years.**

Saturday Farmers Market: **12/10/2013 OIC: Doug Conkey. Team: Col Duff, Graham Barrow, Peter Crozier, Michael Eldridge, Jim Gibson, John Gray, David Hodge, Wayne Jenkins, Neil Pinto, Brian Roberts.**

Sunday Markets: **13/10/2013 OIC: Rob Pearson. Team: Greg Conkey, John Mason, Michael Merrylees, Chris Metcalfe, Kerry Pascoe.**





**Special Dates:** Board Meeting 17th October 2013. Annual Subs for Rotary 2013/14 are now due. "Poets Day" is 19th November 2013. **The Tempest By The All Abilities Theatre Company**, 16 Oct 2013 12noon & Thursday 17 Oct 2013 7pm. Adults - \$20, Students - \$5. Tickets available at Civic Theatre. **Help Support Kurrajong Waratah.** I'm looking for five new Centurions to help the District achieve their goal. **Blue Illusion Charity Fashion Event** on Thursday 7th November from 5-8 pm at 175 A Baylis St. Funds to Creating Hope in Cambodia. RSVP text Kathy on 0411 453016. **Thank you** to everyone for participating in "**Hat Day**" we raised **\$564.80** for Mental Health Research.

**Meeting Roster Duties:**

**Fellowship:** Greet & hand badges to members. Introduce Guest Speaker,

**Reception:** Assist the Treasurer,

**Furniture:** Put out & return furniture. Thank Guest Speaker.

## Sunday Markets

Posted by Doug Sutton on Oct 08, 2013

OIC: **Gerry Gerlach**  
**Team: John Ireland, Bob Willis,**  
**Mark Hillis, Rick Priest, John**  
**Hawkins (AWOL)**  
**Volunteer Denis Shean.**

OIC reported a perfect day, early start due to the commencement of daylight saving. There were 83 stalls from 53 exhibitors including ponies, jumping castle and pedal cars. Also excellent pies from Coopers Pies from Wangaratta.



There were no complaints but there was a poor crowd. SITA has been contacted to empty the bin

Simpsons food took the washing up bucket etc. and will bring back next week. GG filling gas bottle for next week.

**The Financials :**

Gate	\$851.15
Stalls	\$400.00
Adv.	\$546.00
Trestles	\$ 40.00
Power	\$ 30.00
Tent	\$ 30.00
xtra float	\$100.00

**Total \$1997,15**

## Club Rosters

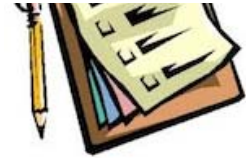
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**Fellowship , Reception , Furniture**

15 Oct Greg Conkey, Ken Cook, Peter Crozier  
 22 Oct Col Duff, John Egan, Alan Eldridge



29 Oct Michael Eldridge, John Ferguson, John Flynn



#### Bulletin Editors Roster

Sept 24 Paul Murray  
 Oct 1, 8, 15 Doug Sutton  
 Oct 22, 29, Nov 5 John Egan

#### Sergeant's Roster

Oct 15, Mark Sayer  
 Oct 22, Laurie Blowes  
 Oct 29, Tim Barter

### Markets Roster

Posted by David Byfield on Sep 05, 2013

#### SATURDAY & SUNDAY MARKET ROSTERS

Saturday Markets setup for everyone at 6.30am  
 Sunday Markets OIC arrives at 6.30am. Team members 7.00am  
 (Please arrange a swap if you are not able to carry out your duties)

**SATURDAY 12th October 2013 OIC Doug Conkey, Graham Barrow, Peter Crozier, Colin Duff, Michael Eldridge, Jim Gibson, John Gray, David Hodge, Wayne Jenkins, Neil Pinto, Brian Roberts.**

**SUNDAY 13th October 2013 OIC Rob Pearson, Greg Conkey, John Mason, Michael Merrylees, Chris Metcalfe, Kerry Pascoe.**

**SUNDAY 20th October 2013 OIC Wal Paton, Richard Braid, Peter Clucas, Ken Cook, Darren Wallace, Kevin Watts.**

**SUNDAY 27th October 2013 OIC Kevin Roben, Laurie Blowes, John Flynn, Rob Fuller, Paul Murray, Evan Robertson.**

**SUNDAY 3rd November 2013 OIC Tim MacGillycuddy, David Byfield, Michael Georgiou, Geoff Hamilton, David Pyke, James Ross.**