



Meeting Thursdays 12.30 for 12.50pm at North Leagues Club, Abbot St Cammeray. ISSUE NO 3927 Thursday 17th August 2017

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President Silvio Gmur

President's Column

CONSENSUS REACHED AT CLUB FORUM ON IMPLEMENTING CHANGES TO OUR MEETINGS

There was excellent energy and interaction between members at last week's club forum and after lively discussions the following was agreed to by those present:

- As of September 2017, **there will be no meeting held on the last Thurs day of each month.** (i.e. not meeting on 28th September, 26th October etc.)
- Lunch service fee to remain at **\$30 for one-course meal**. Those **who want dessert pay \$35** on arrival at the venue. This allows caterer to prepare dessert-of the day for the "sweet-tooth's".
- Fines-session to no longer take place. Sergeant-at-arms will announce Birthdays, Wedding anniversaries and other notable occasions.
- A new fund-raising competition "put-put golf" will be trialed at each meeting prior to sit-down. \$5 for 3 attempts.
- Explore further Remote Skype meeting participation for members.

The SWOT summary of 13 September was tabled for future discussion. Club's Board requests additions:

1. Members to arrive punctually for 12.30 pm.
2. Mobile phones not to be used during meetings.
3. Every endeavor to be made by all present to "stay alert" so as not to embarrass speakers.

THIS WEEK: "Celebrating 89 Years of the Rotary Club of North Sydney". *Special Anniversary Cake for all!*

Rotarians past and present will be given a 3 Minute impromptu talk opportunity on "My Rotary Experience".

We will also be acknowledging a long serving member's special anniversary! A meeting not to be missed!

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**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Club Meetings & Events

Date	Subject	
17-Aug-17	Celebrating 89 years of North Sydney Rotary Club	Present and Past Rotarians will reflect in a 3-minute speech on "My Rotary Experience"
19-Aug-17	Crows Nest Markets	
24-Aug-17	PP. Denis Booth	The Rise & Fall of the Bank Manager & Reflections on a Banking Career
31-Aug-17	To be advised	
7-Sept-17	To be advised	
9-Sep-17	North Sydney Council Elections Volunteers for Jilly Gibson	Our Hon Member, Mayor of North Sydney Jilly Gibson requires volunteers!
14-Sep-17	To be advised	
16-Sep-17	Crows Nest Markets	
21-Sep-17	Ian Mutton	Sydney Harbour HighLine
28-Sept-17	No Meeting Today	No meeting every last Thursday of each month!

Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
4-Aug-17	George Bauer		
14-Aug-17	Malcolm Nicklin	14-Aug-17	Philip & Wendy Brook

Visitors & Apologies for 10th August 2017

Visitors: None

Apologies: Philip Brook Wilfred Chee Jiji Lee Sam Lee Lily Lee Peter Lulic Geoff Pritchard
Brendan Walsh

Leave of Absence: George Bauer Robert Lau

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up Attendance Required from 12:00pm
17 th August	Peter Lulic & Tammy Chu
24 th August	Ross Waugh & Denis Booth
31 st August	Jeff McDougall & Tony d'Arbon

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Humour by Geoff Prichard

The Lone Ranger and Tonto went camping in the desert. After they got their tent all set up, both men fell sound asleep. Some hours later, Tonto wakes the Lone Ranger and says, 'Kemo Sabe, look towards sky, what you see? '

The Lone Ranger replies, 'I see millions of stars.'
What that tell you?' asked Tonto.

The Lone Ranger ponders for a minute then says, 'Astronomically speaking, it tells me there are millions of galaxies and potentially billions of planets. Astrologically, it tells me that Saturn is in Leo. Time wise, it appears to be approximately a quarter past three in the morning. Theologically, the Lord is all-powerful and we are small and insignificant. Meteorologically, it seems we will have a beautiful day tomorrow. What's it tell you, Tonto?'

'You dumber than buffalo idiot. It means someone stole the tent.'

SENIOR DRIVING

Bruce, a senior citizen was driving down the freeway, his car phone rang. Answering, he heard his wife's voice urgently warning him,

"Bruce , I just heard on the news that there's a car going the wrong way on the N1. Please be careful!"

Hell," said Bruce , "It's not just one car. It's hundreds of them!"