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Meeting Thursdays 12.30 for 12.50pm at North Leagues Club, Abbot St Cammeray.

(Please Note: No meeting on the last Thursday of each month). ISSUE NO 3943 Thursday 11th January 2018

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

WISHING EVERYONE A HAPPY NEW YEAR

We hope that everyone had a wonderful Christmas and made a brilliant start to the New Year. As for our family, we had a great Christmas. We will be visiting Circular Quay for the New Year's Eve fireworks after dining in the city and welcoming in the New Year.



CHRISTMAS LUNCH AT NORTHS, 21 DECEMBER 2017

A very enjoyable Christmas Lunch Meeting was held at Norths for our last meeting in the calendar year.

It was great to see the many friends who joined us for this special occasion. Excellent fellowship was enjoyed and Norths served generous portions of the special Christmas fare we had organized.



THIS WEEK'S SPEAKER:

"MY EXPERIENCE FROM JACKAROO TO STATION MANAGER IN COUNTRY NSW"

We will have the pleasure to hear from none other than our long-standing member Jeff McDougall.

Jeff; in his earlier days, has had an extraordinary experience working in Norther Eastern NSW regional country towns. He worked in Walgett, Narrabri and Manilla over a number of years, worked his way up from Jackaroo to Station Manager.

This is the first time in many years we will have heard from Jeff and we are all eagerly looking forward to his talk.



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"For Good Food, Good Fellowship and the Opportunity to serve through Rotary, we give thanks".



Club Meetings & Events

Date	Speaker	Subject
11-Jan-18	Jeff McDougall	My Experience From Jackaroo to Station Manager
18-Jan-18	Speaker TBA	
25-Jan-18	No Meeting	(Last Thurs of Month)
1-Feb-18	Speaker TBA	
8-Feb-18	Speaker TBA	
15-Feb-18	Speaker TBA	
21-Feb-18	Speaker TBA	
28-Feb-18	No Meeting	(Last Thurs of Month)



Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
		2-Jan-18	John and Jackie Taylor

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up	Attendance Required from 12:00pm
4th January	No Meeting	
11th January	Peter Lulic and Ross Waugh	
18th January	Philip Brook and John Taylor	

Visitors & Apologies for 21st December 2017

Visitors

NA

Apologies

NA

Leave of Absence:

Robert Lau

Kevin Thomas

Humour by Geoff Prichard

A young doctor had moved out to a small community to replace a doctor who was retiring. The older doctor suggested the young one accompany him on his rounds so the community could become used to the new doctor.

At the first house, a woman complained, "I've been a little sick in my stomach."

The older doctor said, "Well, you've probably been overdoing the fresh fruit. Why don't you cut back on the amount you've been eating and see if that does the trick?"

As they left the younger man said, "You didn't even examine that woman. How'd you come to your diagnosis so quickly?"

"I didn't have to. You noticed I dropped my stethoscope on the floor in there? When I bent over to pick it up, I noticed a half dozen banana peels in the trash. That was what was probably making her sick."

"Hmmm," the younger doctor said, "Pretty clever. I think I'll try that at the next house."

Arriving at the next house, they spent several minutes talking with a younger woman. She complained that she just didn't have the energy she once did.

"I'm feeling terribly run down lately."

"You've probably been doing too much extra work for the church," the younger doctor told her. "Perhaps you should cut back a bit and see if that helps."

As they left, the elder doc said, your diagnosis is almost certainly correct, but how did you arrive at it?

"Well, just like you did at the last house, I dropped my stethoscope and when I bent down to retrieve it, I noticed the reverend under the bed."
