



CHARTERED 16TH AUGUST 1928. CLUB NO. 18035, DISTRICT 9685.

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 3963 Thursday 12th July 2018



Board Members for Rotary year 2018-2019

President: Ross Waugh **Secretary:** Tony d'Arbon **Treasurer:** Doug Garner
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Rotary Foundation: John Taylor **Bulletin Editor:** Mal Sharpe

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Many thanks to David Field for filling in for me last Thursday.

Perhaps a little unusual to miss the first meeting of the New Year as I had a prior commitment to visit my son and his family in Los Angeles. As it turned out he surprised me and came here instead. All five of us headed to Cairns, actually my first visit there and we spent a pleasant three days there in the heat!

On Saturday night myself, Jenny, Denis and Jan attended the District Changeover at the Hornsby RSL. DGE (now DG) Susan Wakefield attended our Changeover on June 21 and we will be seeing her and PDG John Wakefield at our 90th Birthday on August 16. DG Susan will make her official visit to the Club later in the year.

Our first Board Meeting for the new year will be held on **Thursday July 19** commencing at 2.15pm following our normal luncheon meeting. We experimented having Board Meetings during our regular luncheon meetings however they were not well received so we are going back to the old way. Of course, any member who would like to stay on after the meeting is very welcome.

Our Youth Counsellor David Field has advised that our Exchange Student Art Crabbe is scheduled to arrive on Saturday July 28 and hopefully will be able to attend our meeting on August 2 subject to school commitments. It has been a few years since we had an Exchange Student and on this occasion we will be sharing with Mosman Club.

You will have to look at our Calendar to see who is speaking to the Club. The Speaker and Topic might surprise you.

See you all on Thursday at 12.30pm.

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



THIS WEEK'S SPEAKER. – JOHN TAYLOR

Our own John Taylor entertained us this week with his story of his participation in this year's Sydney to Noumea Yacht Race. Sailing in the 12 metre long yacht King Billy which has a crew of eight, was not a new experience for John who has sailed in many oceans over many years.

John explained the equipment all yachts have to have and the strict tests that the boats and crew have to pass before being allowed to start. Twenty boats started after a twelve hour delay due to bad weather and the rough weather continued for a while. An advantage was that the wind almost throughout the whole race was from the starboard side which made living, if not easier, much more manageable. The advent of electronic equipment such as the Global Positioning System to give constant accurate boat positions and personal emergency radio beacons to assist recovery in case of crew falling over the side, make life in the boat and to those at home much more relaxing.

In his relaxed and even nonchalant description of a week spent in wet, cramped and tiring conditions, John made many present feel it would have been preferable to fly, but he nevertheless also made many envious of the magnificent opportunity a trip to New Caledonia, even in winter, would have been.

We all hope that John will regale us with more boating adventures when he returns from his forthcoming barge trip on the canals of Europe. Thanks JT.



Speaker: John Taylor

Club Meetings & Events

Date	Speaker	Subject
12-July-18	Espionage 1	Geoff Pritchard
19-July-18	Sasha Fennell	The growth of International Students in Australia
21-July-18	Crows Nest Markets	
26-July-18	No Meeting	
28-July-18	Christmas in July	Crows Nest Centre – Help always needed
16-Aug-18	90th Anniversary Birthday	



Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
12th July	Peter Lulic		Nil
18th July	Mal Sharpe		
26th July	Ken Pratt		

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up Attendance Required from 12:00pm
12th July	Jeff McDougall & Tony d'Arbon
19th July	Peter Lulic & Geoff Pritchard
26th July	No Meeting

Visitors & Apologies for 5th July 2018

Visitors

Lilian Clarke Guest of Jenny Thomas

Apologies

Ross Waugh

Jiji Lee

Leave of Absence:

Robert Lau

We are grateful to: Rotary Club of North Sydney Supporters



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‘Keep It At Kennards,
The People Who Care’

Humour by Geoff Pritchard

A smart, handsome and sexy young man dressed in the most sophisticated manner walked into the bar. He noticed a woman staring at him without blinking her eyes with an open mouth.

Flattered, he approached the woman and said in his sexiest deep voice - "I'll do anything you wish, beautiful lady, for just \$20 but on one condition." The woman was trapped in a moment and asked as if in a trance - "What's your condition?" The young man replied, "Tell me your wish in just three words."

After a long pause, woman opened her purse, counted the money and handed it to the man along with her address. She then looked deeply into his eyes and whispered, "Clean my house."

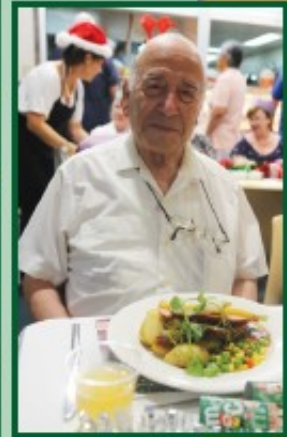
Christmas in July

The Rotary Club of North Sydney and North Sydney Council generously invite local seniors to join us for Christmas in July

Saturday 28 July 2018

12 noon to 2 pm

At the Crows Nest Centre 2 Ernest Place, Crows Nest



- Free two course hot lunch prepared by William Blue College
- Live entertainment by *The Tokens*
 - Visit from Santa
 - Transport available



Bookings essential. **RSVP by 20 July.**

Contact: Geoff Whiting
Activities Coordinator

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Please tear off and return

I would like to attend Xmas in July

I require transport within the Lower North Shore

I require a vegetarian meal

YES

YES

YES



Crows Nest
Centre

Connecting Our Community

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Phone _____

Address _____

Suburb _____



Rotary Club of North Sydney
presents...

pre-Father's Day

CHINESE BANQUET LUNCHEON

in Support of



Of the estimated 40.3 Million people in slavery,
more than a QUARTER ARE CHILDREN!

Please join us for this special fundraising luncheon.

**EVERY \$1,500 WE RAISE
RESCUES ONE CHILD FROM SLAVERY,**
gives them a safe home and education.

Date: Saturday Sept 1st
Time: 12 for 12:30pm.
Cost: \$55pp
Location: King Dynasty Restaurant,
Level 6 Westfield Chatswood

RSVP
Monday 27th August
samfylee@gmail.com | gone2nepal@yahoo.com.au
Register early, seats are limited.

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With your help,
we can liberate a child
from slavery
right now!
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Mats Pedersen, an exchange student from Norway enjoys Darling Harbour with the Lee's