



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

(Please Note: No meeting on the last Thursday of each month). ISSUE NO 4074 Thursday 23rd September 2021



President's Message:

Dear Rotarians,

Listening to the CEO **Claire Barber of Mary's House** at our last zoom meeting I found the discussion quite sad. To know that family violence surrounds us is most disturbing. Thank goodness for organisations like Mary's House, who receive no government assistance, is there in the community to offer help to those in need.. Many families just need a supportive person to direct their concerns in the right way. Every bit of assurance helps. Community volunteering is so necessary.

SOME GOOD NEWS.. The club has received another donation, \$3000 from an anonymous retired member. This donation has been placed in the fundraising account for future use. A timely reminder that donations and bequests are always well received and much appreciated by the club.

Trent Zimmerman MP is calling for nominations for his **North Sydney Community Awards** with a closing date of. If you know of someone who we can nominate please let me know or you can nominate someone yourself at

<https://bit.ly/3zz9wQh>

Acknowledgement of Country.

The Rotary Club of North Sydney acknowledges the Cammeraygal people on whose land we meet each week and continues to foster friendship and service to the community. We pay our respect to past and present elders and emerging.



Claire Barber
CEO

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



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Presidents Message continued.....

Did you know there are 25,800 members in 1056 clubs in 19 districts in Australia? (Rotary Down Under 2021) And we are included!!

So I have a request. As we are not attending face to face meetings and not adding to the coffers of the club by way of purchasing lunch I have the following request.

October is Rotary Health month and Rotary Health have suggested clubs have a **A HAT DAY** to fund-raise for Rotary Health. So on the **7TH OCTOBER** I am asking everyone to wear a hat to our zoom meeting and to **DONATE \$50 or more** to Rotary Health. You can make a deposit to the fundraising account and a donation will be forwarded to Rotary Health. I do hope this can be a fun and worthwhile effort.

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A reminder that we have a zoom meeting with our friends at **Rancho Mirage in Palm Springs California Thursday 30th September**. I think it will be 6pm Wednesday evening 29th for them! It would be great if we can have all members in attendance to enjoy a conversation with this group. More information next week.

Finally I am quite sure that Norths Club will require all patrons to show proof of vaccination when we return to the Club. Ross feels it will be sooner than later!

I look forward to seeing you all this Thursday. Our guest speaker from the Chatswood Police Department is on leave and David is awaiting his response.

Take care

Toni Field OAM



Upcoming Events for your Diary

Date	Speaker	Subject
23rd September	Meeting via Zoom	Starts at 1pm Tony d'Arbon will set up meeting to join
30th September	Meeting via Zoom <u>Rotary Club of Rancho Mirage - California</u>	1pm
7th October	Meeting via Zoom Father Brian Lucas - Ethics in the Working Place	Starts at 1pm Tony d'Arbon will set up meeting to join



Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
13th September	Ross Waugh		
21st September	Jenny Thomas	10th September	Peter & Millie Lulic
29th September	John Taylor		

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up Attendance Required from 12:00pm
	Not Applicable as meeting on Zoom

Visitors & Apologies for 9th September 2021

Via Zoom:

Guests:

CEO **Claire Barber of Mary's House** Guest Speaker

Members Present:

Toni Field (Pres)

Denis Booth

Philip Brook

Tony d'Arbon

Daavid Field

Samantha Lee

Elaine Lindsay

Peter Lulic

Ken Pratt

Geoff Pritchard

John Taylor

Ross Waugh

Apologies:

Jiji Lee

Lily Lee

Jenny Thomas

Leave of Absence:

Upcoming Event for your diary

Next Board Meeting ... **TBA**



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