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(Please Note: No meeting on the last Thursday of each month). ISSUE NO 4126 Thursday 16th March 2023



#### **Board Members for Rotary year 2022-2023**

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District Conference/Verification Officer: Denis Booth Bulletin Editor: Mal Sharpe

#### 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.

#### President's Message:

Hello Rotarians.

Our Guest Speaker this week was Victoria Walker and Independent Candidate for the seat of North Shore.

Victoria is committed to working for North Shore and has been her home since the 1970s. Her children attended North Sydney Dem and North Sydney Boys' High School.

Victoria understands how a Parliament operates having worked in New South Wales, Victoria and Commonwealth Parliaments and designed a committee system post Bjelke-Peterson for the Queensland Parliament. Currently she is Secretary of the Lavender Bay Precinct Committee and knows how to tackle difficult jobs and get things done.

Her commitments for the forthcoming election are to:

Take Direct Action on Climate Change, Poor Planning and Rampant Development. Work tirelessly to restore integrity and transparency to Parliament and a fair go for the citizens of New South Wales.

Sees here role in Parliament to actively drive reform in the interests of North Shore. Has the knowledge and experience to fulfil your expectations and commitments.

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



#### Presidents Message Continued..

At our meeting this coming Thursday we are going to do something a little different.

We will be celebrating St Patricks Day (alas without the Tokens) but we will enjoy a special meal and indeed a Dessert as well.

Each member attending will also be given a ticket in a raffle for a Fruit Cake and Bottle of Wine donated by Lily Lee.

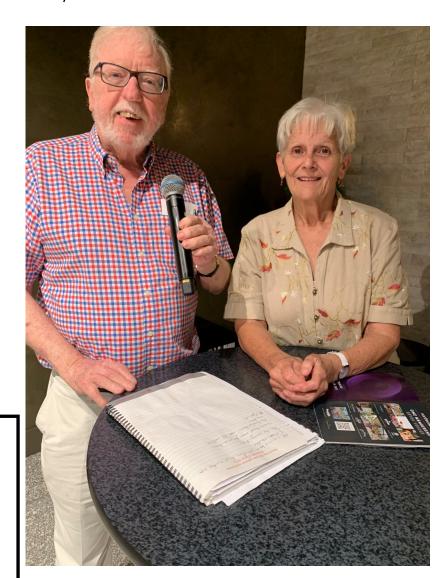
Please bring along your Irish Jokes, anything Irish for that matter and enjoy the day.

This coming Saturday is also the Crows Nest Markets and we have a full house attending and I am pleased to say we have finally turned the nasty Covid corner.

As a result I have had to extend my offer to provide coffee (a small coffee that is) for any member attending on Saturday between 11.30 and 11.45.

President Geoff will be back with us on Thursday.

PP Ross Waugh



## Guest Speaker:

Victoria Walker
Independent Candidate for seat
of North Shore
with President Geoff

# **Upcoming Events for your Diary**

Date	Speaker	Subject
16th March	St Patricks Day Celebrations	
18th March	Crows Nest Markets	
23rd March	No Meeting	Due to Wiggles at Norths
30th March	Board Meeting	
6th April	Jasmin Foster	Report on her recent attendance at The National Youth Science Forum.





Date	Birthdays	Date	Anniversaries
1st March	Lili Lee	23rd March	Ken & Dorothy Pratt

Date	Front Desk & Room Set Up Attendance Required from 12:00pm	
	Meetings at Norths	

## Visitors & Apologies for 9th March 2023

Guest Speaker: Apologies:

Victoria Walker Independent Candidate for seat of North Shore Denis Booth

Jiji Lee

Sam Lee

Peter Lulic

Ken Pratt

Mal Sharpe

**Visitors:** 

ADG John Zhang Rotary Club of Chatswood International

Wal Walker

#### **Honorary Member:**



Crows Nest Markets Saturday 18th March Start Time 10am See you there!