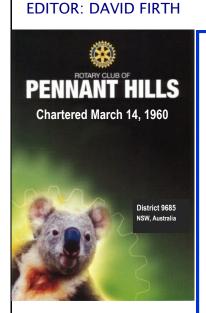
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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

OUR CLUB'S 59th CHANGEOVER

as we change our president and board.





2018-19 PRESIDENT ADRIAN BELL





2019-20 PRESIDENT JIM FRASER

Changeovers give us the opportunity to both look at the past Rotary year and also look to the future and the year ahead.

The past year under President Adrian has not been without its challenges with the need to move our meetings from the Golf Club while it has been renovated. Despite this, we have managed to continue with our programs and projects nevertheless.

The year ahead with Jim Fraser as president will require us to determine where we will meet as well as what programs and projects we will engage in for the year. We are looking forward to the challenges as we have members with plenty of experience in Rotary and overcoming problems. We wish Jim well in his new leadership position.

Meeting Report - Monday 1st July, 2019

This meeting of the Club with no fixed abode was opened by President Adrian Bell after members had settled in. All expressed surprise to see the peripatetic Jim Fraser. There were rumours he had made friends along the Mekong and being unaccustomed to the severity of cold weather in Sydney, had decided to stay a while longer in Krong Kampong.

Then to the serious matters – Pennant Hills Hotel had reported two cases of patrons using the disabled section of the car park; the problem has been resolved by hotel management. Marge Ebb, a former recipient of our Australia Day award for her work with "We Care", has, at a great age, moved into The Lakes at Cherrybrook. A recent visit by Wendy Bell noticed that Marge has her award in pride of place amongst her family mementoes. "We Care" make garments for still born babes whose parents wish to see them leaving this world in a nice little outfit.

Theo Glockemann reminded members of events in Dili in 2004 when the Australian Secret Intelligence Service planted 200 covert listening devices in East Timor's cabinet office in Dili. This was part of the Australian Government's plan to secure an advantageous sea border to benefit from future gas drilling. This spying was revealed eight years later and led to East Timor rejecting the treaty of 2004 and renegotiating the border in East Timor's favour. Last year the Government DPP laid criminal charges against the whistle blower and his lawyer with a trial set for later in July. Theo asked members who deplore of our Government's conduct to despatch a petition card appealing to the Attorney General to discontinue the case.

Jim Fraser then reported that his sales of bowel cancer kits had progressed well. David Firth gave us the sales figure for Pride of Workmanship trophies for the past year, \$24,753, down \$1,200 on the previous year. Arrangements of Changeover next week were discussed and confirmed. Terry Pankhurst will be MC and John Ellis will propose the Loyal Toast. David Firth will arrange other toasts, table arrangements and receive payments from members.

Theo Glockemann said he and Ahmadul Ameen had been checking out a Malay restaurant in Castle Hill as an option for a Club event. Ahmadul then tossed in his travel schedule that will not see this event develop until late August. The suggestion was approved. Phil Stanton gave us a progress report on the possibility of returning to the Golf Club for meetings. The Club will be ready after 10th July, however attempts to discuss this with Beecroft Club have been in vain to date. In the event Beecroft does not wish to return to the Golf Club, Phil suggested moving our meetings to Wednesdays as that could fit in with Golf Club caterers. It would also mean we are not tied to Beecroft's program. Theo G explained that he and Georgia have booked again for the Newcastle Jazz Festival in late August and invited jazz afficionadoes to join them. He then raised a previous attempt to plan something different for our Australia Day function. This was a naturalisation ceremony that was canned by the then Mayor. Venues such as the Koala Park and the BP Scout Camp were discussed. David Firth mentioned that he has two prospective members, a married couple, receiving Spokes and expecting to come to a meeting soon.

President Adrian brought the evening to a close with a short review of our achievements during the past year – bowel cancer care, East Timor, trailer raffle, Ronald MacDonald House, Red Shield (sort of), Australia Day, Pride of Workmanship, RYLA, RYPEN, NYSF, NASA Space camp, Golf Day, *Young Endeavour*, So They Can, Big Day Out and the Murder weekend. President Adrian then closed his final regular meeting.

Reporter: John Ellis

NEXT WEEK'S MEETING - JULY 8th

OUR PLANS FOR 2019-20
WITH PRESIDENT JIM AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD
REPORTER: Adrian Bell

Meet our new District Governor who was inducted last Saturday night at a function at Hornsby RSL



KALMA McLELLAN DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2019-20

Kalma joined the Rotary Club of Ryde in 2010.

She has served on the Board as PR Director, Club Service Director, Member-

ship Director, Club President (2014-15) and is Treasurer 2017/18. She has also been the newsletter (The Hub) editor, is currently the Child Protection Officer and has been an active member of many project teams.

Kalma has served as District Community Service Chair for 2016/17 and will continue in that role for 2017/18.

She also serves on the District Child Protection committee to ensure D9685 has and delivers a clear message on its WWC obligations and legal requirements.

Kalma has been a member of the Paul Harris Society since 2014.

Kalma has a heritage in Rotary, following in the footsteps of her father (Blacktown club) and grandfather (Manly club). She was a Mosman Rotaractor in the 1970s, where she met her husband and where most of her closest friends still remain. She served as President elect in the year legendary Les Whitcroft was Rotary DG and Mosman hosted the Rotaract DRR.

Professionally, Kalma works in the vocational education sector through Western Sydney University, overseeing leadership and management training to corporate clients. this follows a career which started in it and moved into it training before training in broader vocational leadership areas took over.

Kalma is the chair of her strata committee, has served two terms on the Board of the local RSL club and has been the treasurer of the local RSL Sub-branch through its eventual closing.

We are delighted that Kalma, despite a very busy schedule, has joined us for our Changeover meeting this week.

Here is an opportunity to join with rotarians from around our district and adjoining districts to dine with the new RI President Mark Maloney at a very attractive venue on the harbour waterfront at Woolwich. If you are interested, talk to David Firth.



Dinner



with Rotary International President Mark Daniel Maloney

Rotarians and friends in Districts 9670, 9675 & 9685 are invited to join us for a special dinner with Rotary International President for 2019-2020. Mark Daniel Maloney

Monday, 23 September 2019



VENUE: The Deckhouse, The Dock, End of Clarke Road, Woolwich

(A 5-Star venue on beautiful Sydney harbour which is part of the Dedes Group of Venues)

DATE: Monday, 23rd September 2019

TIME: 6.30 pm for 7.00 pm

COST: \$70 pp - two course meal & welcome drink on arrival

DRESS: Business Attire

REGISTRATION: www.trybooking.com/523543
Registrations close 15 September

Seating is Limited—book early!



This is a rare opportunity for Rotarians and guests from our three Districts to meet and be inspired by our International leader whilst enjoying the location, hospitality and catering of one of Sydney's premier venues.

For more information contact PDG Gina Growden 0412 128 106 or gina.growden@bigpond.com

ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

The Rotary Leadership Institute course is run over two days, power-packed with information, learning, and skills you can use in your Rotary life straight away. At only \$75 including all materials, coffee breaks and lunch, this is great value to Clubs and their members.

Networking with other Rotarians and led by experienced facilitators, you are sure to enjoy what others are describing as the best Rotary training they have had. If you are already an RLI graduate, encourage your fellow Club Members to attend. Register online now at rli.rotarydistrict9685.org.au and supercharge your Rotary.

Dates are:

RLI 53 August 4 and 18 (Sundays)

RLI 54 October 5-6 (Weekend)

RLI 55 November 16-17 (Weekend)

THE FORWARD PROGRAM

DATE	PROGRAM	SPEAKER	CHAIRMAN	REPORTER
July 15th	OUR PLANS FOR 2019-20	President Jim & the Board	President Jim	Adrian Bell
July 22nd	ТВА	ТВА	ТВА	Pat Parker
ADVANCE NOTICE				
October 29th	Annual Charity Golf Day	At Pennant Hills Golf Club	Contact Phil Stanton	Players & Sponsors wanted

ATTENDANCE AT OUR LAST MEETING

Member Attendance: 68.75%

Apologies: Kaye Carter, Ian Chappel, Pam Hudson,

Pat Parker, David Walsh

Guest Speaker: Nil

Visitors: Nil

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES BIRTHDAYS

Margaret Ashdown - July 4th Esther Fraser - July 23rd

ANNIVERSARIES

Pam & Peter Hudson - July 3rd Phil & Lyn Stanton - July 6th

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

Theo Glockemann - July 10th

Some Quotes about Leadership

"Management is doing things right; leadership is doing the right things." - Peter Drucker

"To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart." - Eleanor Roosevelt

"Leadership is about vision and responsibility, not power." - Seth Berkley

"Leadership is having a compelling vision, a comprehensive plan, relentless implementation, and talented people working together." - Alan Mulally

A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.

John C. Maxwell