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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

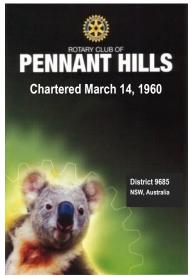
GUEST SPEAKER: GYULA PLAGANYI 'TEACHING CHESS -

AND

REFLECTING ON ABALONE DIVING?'

Chairman: President Jim Fraser

Reporter: Adrian Bell





Our Charity Golf Day is fast approaching! Help our organising committee to find sponsors and players and also auction items and raffle prizes.





ROTARY CLUB OF PENNANT HILLS ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF DAY

Where: Pennant Hills Golf Club Date: Tuesday 29th October 2019





If they had PKU it would. PKU if left untreated will result in irreparable brain damage and physical disability Help make a difference in the world of PKU children

> **Individual & 2BBB Stableford Competition Prizes, Auction and Raffles**

Sponsorship opportunities available

Contact: Terry Pankhurst 0418 418 952 terrypankhurst@hotmail.com

silently/progressively

POISON YOUR CHILD?

Phillip Stanton 0411 488 777 p.stanton@stantondahl.com.au



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TO NOTIFY MEETING **APOLOGIES & GUESTS:**

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before Noon on Monday





Cost: \$125 per player Includes, Golf, Breakfast & Lunch

Registration 7.30am, Shot-gun start 8.30am Breakfast 7.00am-8.15am

NEXT WEEK WEDNESDAY, 18th SEPTEMBER, 2019

> **GOLF DAY PLANNING Lead by Phil Stanton**

Chairman: President Jim Fraser Reporter: Kaye Carter

MEETING REPORT - WEDNESDAY 4th SEPTEMBER

This was our first social night this Rotary Year. It was organised by Ahmadul Ameen initially before he went overseas last month. On his return this week he made the final booking at the restaurant he had recommended, 'PAPARICH' at Castle Towers.



There was a total of 18 members and partners there to enjoy an array of Malaysian food which Ahmadul and his wife were no doubt very familiar with. The restaurant had a rather different ordering method which lent itself rather well to each couple or individual being able to pay separately. There was plenty of choice on the menu and it seemed that our group had a variety of dishes with everyone apparently enjoying the food and the service from the very pleasant staff.



However, the main feature of the evening was the opportunity for fellowship. Unfortunately, due to the numbers in our group, we could not all sit at one table. There was a certain amount of moving between tables which allowed more exchanges.

So, all in all, it was a very good evening and one which we will continue with in coming months. If you were unable to join us on this occasion, make sure you don't miss the next one. Thank you Ahmadul for your organising and choice of restaurant.

Reporter: The editor

A reminder about the dinner with the RI President Mark Maloney on Monday

23rd September at The Deckhouse, Clarke Road, Woolwich - 6.30 for 7.00pm

- \$70 per person - Business attire

Bookings close 15th September @ www.trybooking.com/523543

The following is our first report from Theo in Dili, Timor Leste this visit - received Sunday 8th September.

Hi David & Terry and all,

Thanks we got the money! YIPPEE!

Everything going well and RYLA starts tomorrow. 3000 applications taken, 1500 completed applications received. Shortlist down to 500, interviews by facilitator team to get to 84. So we have the cream of the crop!

We have a really good committed team of both facilitators and our lot.

Looking forward to the next couple of weeks.

Please do something about Mr Smartypants John Ellis cleaning up at the QUIZ!!!

Cheers

Theo G

A photo is also on Facebook from Dili with Theo and Angelo Raveanne enjoying entertaining Eddy and Amina's young son soon after their arrival. This is at the start of the very important 10th anniversary RYLA in Dili with a big celebration planned for next weekend.







OUR FORWARD PROGRAM

Date	Program	Speaker	Chairman	Reporter
September 18th	GOLF DAY PLANNING	Phil Stanton	President Jim Fraser	Kaye Carter
Monday September 23rd	Dinner with the RI President Mark Maloney	President Mark Maloney	At The Deckhouse, Clarke Road, Woolwich	6.30 for 7.00pm \$70 per person
Monday OCTOBER 28th	Joint District Governor's Official Visit with Beecroft at Pennant Hills Bowling Club	DG Kalma McLellan	Presidents Johanna & Jim	John Ellis
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: John Ellis, Theo Glockemann, Ian Huckel, Pam Hudson, Claude Rigney, David Walsh

Guests: Mahmooda Ameen, Wendy Bell, Bev Chappel, Heather Firth, Maureen Pankhurst, Sandra Parker, Ruth Reid, Lyn Stanton

Make up: Theo Glockemann at Club Project in Timor Leste

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES BIRTHDAYS

Kaye Carter - September 7th Wendy Bell - September 13th Ruth Reid - September 21st

ANNIVERSARIES

Adrian & Wendy Bell - September 5th Ian & Beverley Chappel - September 24th

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

David Hopping - September 7th Claude Rigney - September 8th Pat Parker - September 10th David Walsh - September 13th

PROJECT: COLLECTING PLASTIC BOTTLE CAPS

At a previous meeting, this project was discussed and Kaye Carter volunteered to be the co-ordinator and collector for the club of the bottle caps. So we are off and running - or off and collecting all the plastic bottle caps we can find. (No, this doesn't include rummaging through your neighbour's bins on garbage night, unless you want to!).

Just make sure the caps are clean and bring them along to Rotary as and when you have a reasonable quantity for Kaye to handle.



QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot in it and hang on."

-Franklin D. Roosevelt