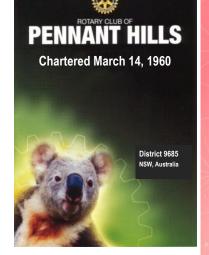


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Our Club's 61st Changeover as President Jim hands over to President David





NEXT WEEK PLANNING NIGHT FOR 2020-2021 SPEAKERS: PRESIDENT, DIRECTORS & MEMBERS CHAIRMAN: PRES. DAVID REPORTER: PAT PARKER

MEETING REPORT - 17th JUNE, 2020

Our big cheese President Jim started the meeting by rambling on about stuff your reporter was too slow to note, until he was reminded of Rotary protocol and Rotary Grace.

Just for a change I thought it might be an idea to represent our members as different varieties of cheese.

I thought a cheese originating in the USA was appropriate for our President to represent – like "Monterey Jack" – very mild and buttery with a bit of tang!

Two of our members are in hospital – "Chedder" Pankurst – very dry and crumbly originally from English cows, and "Camembert" Huckel – French cows are responsible for its mild, mushroomy aroma.

"Mozzarella" Ellis (Italian from cows or water buffalo with no aging, fresh pulled curd cheese) reported that he interviewed a girl from Hornsby Girls High and her parents. Mozzy thought her very worthy of our sponsorship for NYSF 2021. The lass has also approached Glenhaven RC and is being interviewed by them this evening. Suggested that we combine with Glenhaven and possibly share the cost between both clubs and her parents.

President Elect "Parmiggiano-Reggiano" Firth (12 months old from Italian cows – hard, dry and crumbly with a great crunch), informed us of next week's changeover meeting. So far we have 30+ attending. Phillip "Manchego" Stanton (from Spanish sheep – firm and compact with a rich texture that borders on creamy) volunteered to do the Treasurer duties and with "Chevre" Parker, volunteered to help set up the venue.

We then heard from "Chevre" Parker (fresh unaged goats milk cheese – moist bright and acidic with a lemony flavour and slightly chalky finish in the mouth). He praised the work that "Mozzy" had done with youth this year and reflected on how our selected youth will benefit throughout their lives.

Kaye "Cotija" Carter (mild and salty acquiring nuttier, tangier flavours with dry, course texture – made from Mexican cows and extra good on tacos), complemented "Chevre" on always acknowledging good works by our members.

"Cotija" also donated tonight's raffle prize which appeared to be two beautifully gift wrapped toilet rolls obviously superfluous to the Carter household. The winner was none other than Jack ("Gouda") Reid. (Swiss, from cows, and having a crunchy texture due to crystals of concentrated calcium lactate. Aged and is best grated onto salads or over casseroles).

Pres "Monterey Jim" then found out that none other than "Kraft Cheddar" Adrian (just plain boring available from local supermarkets but very good toasted), had funds, so as a result all present were compelled to pay into Monterey's rigged trivia questions so that either "Mozzarella or "Kraft Cheddar" could embellish their retirement funds. The standard of the questions was in keeping with what we have come to expect"What is a winter banana also known as? – Answer – an apple! Marvellous the knowledge we can pick up at Rotary meetings!

Some members who kept a low profile included Claude "Tallegio" Rigney – (one of the world's oldest cheeses made from the milk of Italian cows – pungent flavours and even more pungent surface smells!). And that leaves just me – "provolone" THE classic Italian cows milk cheese which varies to young and piquant to aged and sharp with sweetness varying as well. Rather me, I thought!

To conclude the evening President Elect David thanked Pres Jim for a stirring job very well done in what has been a very difficult year. All present enthusiastically agreed and carried David's words with acclamation.

Beware next week – it is the Canadian National Day! What surprises will "Monterey' spring?

We closed the meeting with the National Anthem and all went home.

Theo G

To honour our outgoing President Jim Fraser



CANADIAN NATIONAL ANTHEM

O Canada! Our home and native land! True patriot love in all of us command. With glowing hearts we see thee rise, The True North strong and free! From far and wide, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. God keep our land glorious and free! O Canada, we stand on guard for thee. O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

OUR FORWARD PROGRAM				
Date	Program	Speaker	Chairman	Reporter
July 8	Planning Night	Directors & Members	President David	Pat Parker
July 15	North Connex Community Event	Raj Barot	Phil Stanton	Kaye Carter
July 19	District Changeover	DG Kalma McLellan to DG David Clark	Lunch at Castle Hill RSL	12.30pm



Ending polio forever

Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for over 30 years, and our goal of ridding the earth of this disease is in sight. We started in 1979 with vaccinations for 6 million children in the Philippines. Today, Afghanistan, Nigeria, and Pakistan are the only countries where polio remains endemic

CLUB NEWS

Terry Pankhurst has come through his by-pass surgery very well and is progressing well. He expects to be home mid week.

Ian Huckel phoned me to apologise for not being able to join us tonight but expects to be home later this week.

Pam Hudson has advised that husband Peter has undergone day surgery today (Tuesday) but will need more surgery in a few weeks time.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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Esther Fraser - July 23rd

ANNIVERSARIES

Pam & Peter Hudson - July 3rd

Lyn & Phillip Stanton - July 6th

INDUCTION ANNIVERSARIES

Theo Glockemann - July 10th



ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK 62.5%

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APOLOGIES A. Ameen, I Chappel, P Hudson, I. Huckel

T Pankhurst, D Walsh

VISITORS Nil

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others."

Mahatma Gandhi