



# Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

District 9685 Australia



# Rotary



# The Rotary Club of Roseville Chase

## 2019-2020



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***Club meets:***

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays at 6.00  
for 6.30pm

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**MEETING on 28 JANUARY 2020 (6.00 pm for 6.30 pm)**

**Guest Speaker - Peter Sweeney;  
Attack On Sydney Harbour  
Introduction by Allan Farrar**

**Peter Sweeney -**

Peter served for 35 years in the Australian Army Reserve as an infantry officer and retired with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel. He was awarded the Reserve Force Decoration for his service. Peter is a military historian, battlefield guide and speaker on Australian military history.

He has just completed a Master's Degree in Military History through the Australian Defence Force Academy Canberra campus of the University of New South Wales.

**The Attack on Sydney Harbour – 31May/1Jun 1942**

In the late afternoon of 31 May 1942 three Japanese midget submarines commenced an attack on shipping in Sydney Harbour with the USS Chicago the main target.

All three midget submarines made it into the harbour. One of the midget submarines was caught in an anti-submarine net, another was spotted by sailors on the deck of USS Chicago and disappeared.

The third submarine fired at the USS Chicago but missed, the torpedo striking the depot ferry Kuttabul instead. Nineteen Australian and two British sailors died.

The mother submarines departed the area after it became obvious that their midget submarines would not be returning. A week later, those submarines shelled Sydney and Newcastle as they sailed north .

The bodies of the four Japanese crewmen were buried with full naval honours in the hope that that showing respect for the dead men might help to improve the conditions of the many Australians in Japanese prisoner of war camps.





## PRESIDENT RICHARD GREEN'S REPORT



Welcome back to the new rotary year. Hope you all had an enjoyable time in spite of the smoke.

I hope no one had relatives or friends in the fire zones

We have an interesting programme for the next six months with the speakers confirmed to the end of April.

We will have one combined meeting with Chatswood and with another in May.

We had a good meeting with Chatswood about how we can interact.

All financial member will have been circulated with minutes of the meeting . We will need to discuss this in the near future We will also need the club's input into what activities and fundraising we would like to do next year.

Unfortunately we lost two members at the 30 December, Malcom Pilcher and Ian Fraser. Both have made an enormous contribution to the club. We wish Malcolm all the best for the his new life in the shire and Ian in his life of full retirement. We will invite them to a meeting with their wives where we can recognise their contribution.

We have distributed the money collected at the Christmas party, Bunnings and the golfday There are short descriptions of what we have done with the money further in the bulletin.

Richard Green  
President.



## APOLOGIES AND GUESTS

Advise Attendance Officer, **Peter McKeown** on  
**0407 948 788** or email **petermckeown8@bigpond.com**  
**before 8.00 am SATURDAY before the meeting.**

Any special dietary requirements, you or your guests, also advise Peter

## MEETING ROSTERS

| Date        | Meeting Program                          | Introduction and<br>Vote of Thanks |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 28 January  | Peter Sweeney - Attack on Sydney Harbour | Allan Farrar                       |
| 11 February | RYLA - Marcus Swift, RYLA 2020 Attendee  | PDG PP Greg Muldoon                |
| 25 February | David Wilson - Parramatta Light Rail     | Ian Garrard                        |
| 10 March    | James Wells - Nevil Shute                | Cliff Garrett                      |
| 24 March    | The Rotary Foundation                    | Neil Howie                         |

## LAST MEETING - 10 DECEMBER 2019 - AGM

|                     |    |                       |        |
|---------------------|----|-----------------------|--------|
| Club Membership     | 24 | Attendance Percentage | 79.16% |
| Members Present     | 19 | Make-ups              | 0      |
| Apologies           | 5  | Guests Attending      | 0      |
| Absent - No Apology | 0  | Partners Attending    | 0      |
| Guest Speaker       | 0  | Visiting Rotarians    | 0      |

## BIRTHDAYS JANUARY and FEBRUARY 2020



JANUARY  
JANUARY

6 - Avis MANOUKIAN  
17- Peter LEFMANN

FEBRUARY  
FEBRUARY

15 - Bob WARLAND  
24 - Peter LEWIS





**BUNNINGS BBQ SCHEDULE;**  
**Thornleigh - Saturday 25 January 2020**  
**Corner PHYLISS AVE & PENNANT HILLS RD,**  
**THORNLEIGH**

**NEXT MEETING - 11 FEBRUARY 2020**  
**MARCUS SWIFT - RYLA 2020 ATTENDEE**

Marcus will speak about his experience at RYLA earlier this year, and what he gained from that experience.

Marcus has just completed his University Degree in Engineering and Commerce, and will begin full time employment in the near future.

Below is some information about Marcus.

A passionate crew leader for the 2nd Gordon Rover Unit who excels at getting their group out into adventurous activities such as caving and canyoning. Has experience in being part of the Rover Region Council to ensure Outdoor Activities are easily accessible and facilitated for all Rover Units in the region. Skilled in managing people's interests to run a successful program for the Rover Unit.

Some of Marcus's Experience;

Rover Unit Leader April 2018 – Present. 2nd Gordon Rover Unit

Outdoor Activities Co-ordinator April 2019 – Present. Sydney North Rover Region Council

Waiter September 2014 – Present. Road to Goa

Outdoor Guide (Canyoning/Abseiling) October 2014 – Present. Sydney North Scout Rockcraft Committee

**LAST MEETING - AGM - 10 DECEMBER 2019**

The AGM was essentially a broad discussion by the members of the various issues facing the club in view of the dwindling membership.

Normal AGM business was deferred for consideration later..

Further discussions of the issues are to be held by the Club shortly.



# PROGRAM and ROSTER of MEMBERS RESPONSIBLE FOR MEETING ORGANISATION and GUEST SPEAKERS; JANUARY to JUNE 2020

| Meeting Date | Member              | Speaker/Activity Organised                                                      |
|--------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 28 January   | Allan FARRAR        | Peter Sweeney - Attack on Sydney Harbour                                        |
| 11 February  | Greg MULDOON        | Marcus Swift , 2020 RYLA Attendee                                               |
| 25 February  | Ian GARRARD         | David Wilson- Parramatta Light Rail                                             |
| 10 March     | Cliff GARRETT       | James Wells - Nevil Shute                                                       |
| 24 March     | Neil HOWIE          | The Rotary Foundation                                                           |
| 15 April     | WEDNESDAY           | Visit to Chatswood Rotary Club                                                  |
| 28 April     | Peter LEWIS         | John Lanser; ANZAC Meeting. "What you don;t know about General Sir John Monash" |
| 12 May       | Ian ROBERTSON       |                                                                                 |
| 26 May       | Greg MULDOON        | Public Schools Essay & Public Speaking Competition. Chatswood Club to join us.  |
| 9 June       |                     |                                                                                 |
| 23 June      | Avis MANOUKIAN      |                                                                                 |
| 14 July      |                     | ANNUAL CHANGE OVER DINNER MEETING                                               |
|              |                     |                                                                                 |
| 28 March     | Allan & Lori FARRAR | MONDAY; Restaurant Night                                                        |

## Important -

1. **Keep Allan Farrar, as Program Manager, informed of all guest speaker arrangements you make.**

2. **When organising and finalising a guest speaker, please also ask for a short CV, some descriptive words about the guest speaker's topic, and whether they will require the use of the laptop, projector and screen. You can either have this sent to you, for forwarding onto me as Dinner Bulletin Editor, or ask that they send the information directly to me.**

3. If members rostered as above, find difficulty in securing a guest speaker for their allocated meeting, or you find a good guest speaker but they can not make the meeting allocated to you, it may be possible to swap with another member to place your guest speaker into the program at a different date, Keep in touch with Allan Farrar if this is the case.



## CLUB CHRISTMAS COCKTAIL PARTY 17 DECEMBETR 2019

The Christmas Cocktail Party at the Roseville Golf Club on 17 December 2019 was a great social event and congratulations to Lori Farrar and those that assisted in the organisation, for a most enjoyable evening.

The performance by the Show Ponies, courtesy of PHF Glynn Ianno, was a complete surprise and fully entertained those present. Thank you Glynn and Lori. Also of great surprise was the arrival of Santa on the Christmas sleigh courtesy of the Brewora Apex Club.

There were 16 members, 12 partners and 5 Friends of our Rotary Club present who joined in the fun and friendship of the night.

Below is a photo of the Show Ponies with Lori and Santa and the sleigh, and over the page, a photo of the entire group who enjoyed the Christmas Cocktail Party.







## DONATION TO BEROWRA APEX CLUB CHRISTMAS SLEIGH

In recognition of the assistance from the Berowra Apex Club in the provision of the sleigh for our Christmas Cocktail Party, a donation of \$250 was made to the Apex Club's Drought Appeal.



## CHRISTMAS LETTER FROM CAROLINE VIOTTO ROTARY EXCHANGE STUDENT FROM BRAZIL - 2014

Dear all,

It has been a while since we last spoken. One year ago I was with you all at your Christmas party and it was such a good day, wish we could do that again this year. I hope you are all doing well and having lots and lots of fun.

My life has been pretty crazy since I arrived here in Brazil. I finished my 4th year at university two weeks ago and I still got another two years of uni to go (Jesus it seems like forever!!!!). The great news are: for the next two years I will do my internship at uni, which means that I will practice for the real medicine, so I won't have as many classes as before and I will spend most of my time at hospitals with patients. I am excited for that and hopefully I will learn a lot of new things

Since this was my last year of classes and stuff each one of us had to write a scientific article about something in Medicine so then we could all try to publish it in a scientific magazine. Mine was about Burkitt Lymphoma, which is a type of cancer. Writing this essay was so stressful and I got desperate about it a few times (got a few wrinkles out of it). When we finished it, me and another friend (we wrote it together) had to present it to three teachers who know a lot about this kind of writing, so then they would say if we were approved or not. Thank God we were! Hahaha (photos attached).

Last week I did a one week internship in General Surgery at a hospital in Curitiba (capital of my state) and it was really good. We had lots of patients and I got to assist the doctors during surgeries, which was really fun (except I had a lot of pain in my back for standing for so long, 6-7 hours, guess I am not that young anymore!!!!!!)

I am on holidays until January 26th. Me and my parents are going down to the beach tomorrow (as some of you know I live almost 750km from the beach so we only get to go once or twice a year), so I am pretty excited (although I haven't packed yet). We are staying for a week and having a quiet Christmas just the three of us. For New Year's we are having a family dinner at our place so it should be good.

We are planning to drive to the state of Rio de Janeiro and also to Minas Gerais (also another state) in January— they are about 1200km from here. It's pretty far but we are planning to stop in some places along the way. I will send you pictures afterwards. There are some very pretty and famous cities on these places, they are one of the oldest areas of Brazil.



Anyway, not much has happened since you last saw me, except that I lost some of the weight I gained in Australia (hahahaha) and also I have got short hair!!!! (Suzie said its not really short on her standarts and It probably isn't on yours too hahaha) – photos attached.

I would like to wish you all a wonderful Christmas with lots of family – children and grandkids - around. I hope you have a great time with the people you love. And also I wish a very very Happy New Year, may it be full with joy, health, fun and happy moments.

Let me know what is new with your life.  
And once again, thank you for everything.

I still think of you and of Australia. Don't think it will ever go away. Hopefully I will be back there sometime soon (maybe after I finish uni?).

Hope to see you sometime soon.  
Take care and please, keep in touch.  
I miss you all a lot.  
With lots and lots of love,  
Carol - Exchange Student from Brazil

Below is a selection of some of the photos Carol sent with her letter.  
Seems Uni is not all study - party time is part of it too.

## With mum and dad





Me and some friends by the end of our internship in dermatology (in blue our teacher, she is a Dermatologist)



Uni parties 🤔🤔





## RESIGNATIONS , Effective 31 December 2019; PP MALCOLM PILCHER and PP IAN FRASER

PP Malcolm Pilcher and PP Ian Fraser resigned from the Club effective as at 31 December, 2019.

Below is a brief summary of the contribution and involvement made by Malcolm and Ian to our club.

### PP MALCOLM PILCHER

- Joined on 21 June 2005
  - President, 2009/2010
  - Vice President/President Elect, 2007/2008
  - Administration Director, 2008/2009
- 14 Years, 6 months membership.

### PP IAN FRASER

- Joined on 2 February 1995
  - President, 2005/2006
  - Vice President/President Elect, 2004/2005
  - Treasurer, 4 years, from 2000/01 to 2003/04 inclusive
  - Club Service Director, 2004/05
  - Youth Services Director, 3 years, 1997/98, 1998/99, 2016/17
  - Joint Program Chair, 1995/96, 2007/08, 2008/09
  - President's Award, 1995/96, 2000/01,
  - Bob Clarke Quiet Achiever Award, 2017/18
- 24 Years, 10 months membership

A formal farewell to Malcolm and Kathy and Ian and Di will be organised for a later meeting this year.

## GRAFFITI REMOVAL REPORT

Peter Lefmann and I had another morning out today (20 December) with the trailer – and cleared a bit more graffiti from the Roseville / Roseville Chase area. We hit 5 sites and reported 2 others to AUSGRID, totaling 10 sq mtres altogether. We also hit another 3 minor sites (eg telegraph pole and bench seat near main spots on Hill St) – but we, modestly haven't included them in reporting.

The activity appeared to have declined a bit but we are realistic that the school holidays are likely to allow some junior criminals out again.

(Responsible parents? Who are they?)

For a short fleeting moment – our area is ..... Graffiti free.

Peter Lewis



The Rotary Clubs of Australia Drought Appeal

# Fighting for our farmers

Donate at any Bendigo Bank  
branch or online at  
[bendigobank.com.au/rotarydrought](http://bendigobank.com.au/rotarydrought)



All donations of \$2 or more are tax deductible and donors will be provided with a tax receipt. The Rotary Clubs of Australia Drought Appeal is a management account of Community Enterprise Foundation™ ABN 69 604 250 516, The Bendigo Bank Centre, PO Box 440, Bendigo, VIC 3552. The Foundation will make distributions for charitable projects by way of grants following receipt of applications from charities endorsed with Item 1 Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) status or other eligible Not For Profit organisations. (1356609 - 1368725) (10/15)

[bendigobank.com.au/rotarydrought](http://bendigobank.com.au/rotarydrought)



## CHRISTMAS PARTY COLLECTION FOR DROUGHT

We raised approximately \$600 on the night. We have decided to send \$2,000 to Trangie School. The money will be allocated to the pupils with the most needs in the junior school. The money will be administered by the school. It will be used for school activities and school requirements.

The town of Trangie is not short of water as it has a bore. The moral in the town is good. However there are families, especially farmers, who are struggling financially. Our money will be appreciated by these families.



## ZARIC FAMILY - RAWCS PROJECT FUNDING ASSISTANCE

### Zaric Family

The Zaric family is a family on the south coast that is having a tough time. At present they do not have anywhere to live. They also have a child with a serious disease who has to be taken to Sydney for treatment and can not be left with baby sitters. The father has to travel for work. The Rotary Club of Merrimbula is working to support them. To give them a permanent home it has been decided to upgrade their transportable home so they can live there.

To upgrade their transportable home \$38,000 is required. RAWCS will provide a grant of \$15,000. This leaves the Merrimbula club to raise \$25,000.

Our board has agreed to send \$2,000 to RAWCS to assist with the refurbishment of their transportable home.

## BUSHFIRE VICTIMS APPEAL- BBQ 5 JANUARY 2020. COBARGO DISTRICT EMERGENCY HAY FUND DONATION



Thanks to the members, partners and friends who assisted with the BBQ on 5 January 2020.

The net result from the BBQ was \$1,117.30 and \$1,601 from the donations for the fire victims appeal, making a total of \$2,718.30.

The Board has decided how and where the funds will be donated.

**PLEASE SEE FOLLOWING ITEM FROM NEIL HOWIE, FUNDRAISING CHAIR;  
COBARGO DISTRICT EMERGENCY HAY FUND.**



## **BUNNINGS BBQ - COBARGO DISTRICT EMERGENCY HAY FUND**

Following our Bunnings BBQ which raised approximately \$2,700 for bushfire relief Geoff Metzler, an Engineer in Bega for over 30 years who lives at Brogo near Cobargo was asked to help us identify a suitable Bushfire charity.

On Tuesday 14 January Geoff went to Cobargo to check out what was happening on the ground. He was stunned by what he saw and heard. The Salvos, Red Cross, other agencies and local groups are dealing with the immediate needs of people for food, temporary accommodation and clothing. Government funding and major donors will hopefully address the medium and longer term recovery needs of the area.

Geoff recommended that we donate to the Cobargo District Emergency Hay Fund. Apart from their own personal needs for too many farmers, their most urgent need is to get hay to keep surviving cattle, horses, sheep, goats and alpacas alive. The area south of Cobargo is like a moonscape. Most of the earth is scorched with no feed available.

The Fund has been set up on the initiative of the owner of the Cobargo Hotel (which survived the fire), Dave Allen, and the Bendigo Community Bank in Bega. Bega Rotary Club was approached by the Bank to manage the Fund. Geoff talked to Ang Kane a local who has the role of on the ground Co-ordinator and to Charlie Blomfield who is the Bega Rotary Club treasurer and the Rotary contact person.

Last Friday I contacted Charlie Blomfield. The current position is:-

- This is a short term project until the major funders mobilise
- The Club has \$40,000 in donations;
- The project has already distributed one semi-trailer load of 1,500 bales of hay to local farms and another semi is on the way;
- Each semi load of 1,500 bales costs the project \$16,500 to deliver to Cobargo.; and
- Bendigo Bank provided the initial funds and is covering the account for urgent funds.

Our donation will be gratefully received and is urgently needed. An amount of \$3,000 has now been donated to the Fund following an email decision of the Board.

Those who might like to make a personal donation, the Fund's bank account is:-

**Bega Rotary Club Cobargo District Emergency Hay Fund**

**Bendigo Bank**

**BSB: 633 000**

**Account No: 171 138 555**

Charlie Blomfield's email is [ceblomfield@ozemail.com.au](mailto:ceblomfield@ozemail.com.au)

mobile is 0409 896 885





## LETTER OF APPRECIATION FROM THE HAY FUND

Many thanks to Roseville Chase RC for the donation Neil & John.

For your information, the first 500 bales were distributed last Saturday with next 500 bales at end of this week. A further 500 bales will be on the road in the next week.

Donations received so far exceed \$76K from 176 individuals and organisations.

Thanks once again

Regards Charlie Blomfield

### SCHOOL AWARDS - LETTER OF THANKS JESSICA MURRIE, ROSEVILLE COLLEGE

**The following letter has been received by Greg Muldoon.**

*Dear Mr Muldoon,*

*Wishing you a happy new year.*

*I wanted to say thank you to the Rotary Club of Roseville Chase for the School Award for overall improvement in my grade at Roseville College. I have just enrolled to Sydney University for a science degree, double majoring in Microbiology and Data Science, which I'm really looking forward to. It will take me 4 & 1/2 years full time study to complete.*

*As a lifelong member and recipient of the Paul Harris Fellow my grandpa, Jim Murrie, was very proud of me receiving this award from Rotary.*

*I hope you and the Rotarians of Roseville Chase have a great 2020.*

*Thanks and kind regards,*

*Jessica Murrie*

**Greg has responded to Jessica as follows;**

Hi Jessica,

Happy New Year to you too!

Thank you for your email. It is always nice to hear from the recipient of one of our Awards.

Congratulations on being selected for the Award and we wish you well with your University studies. I'm sure the 4 1/2 years of study will be worth it in the long run.

As a grandfather myself, I can well imagine just how proud of you your grandpa is.

Best wishes for the future.

Regards,

Greg Muldoon

Youth Service Director



## EMPOWER GOLF - 2019 HIGHLIGHTS and REPORT FROM FUND RAISING CHAIRMAN, NEIL HOWIE

Empower Golf was the recipient of our Club's funds raised from the golf day held in conjunction with the Chatswood Rotary Club. The following short note , dated 24 December 2019, has been received from Empower Golf.

### ***Thank you.... we finished with a Bang!!!***

*Hello hello,*

*As we tick over into Christmas Eve we reflect on the year gone by and those who have so generously supported Empower Golf so we can continue to change the lives of Australians with disabilities through golf.*

*Here are three 2019 highlights:*

*1. Lachy Foulsham our Head Coach taking out the PGA's National Game Development Professional of the Year Award at the Greg Norman Medal Night (last week) - photo below.*

*2. Putting our 10,000th person through our events and programs*

*3. Empower turning 5 in August*

*Wishing you the happiest end to 2019 and a brilliant start to 2020.*

*Thank you Thank you Thank you!!!*

*James, Lachy and Ben*



## **EMPOWER GOLF - PURCHASE OF PARAGOLFER IS UNDERWAY**

Roseville Chase RC's share from the Golf Day of \$10,000 for Empower Golf was banked to our No.2 Charities Account on 26 November. Chatswood RC's share was the balance retained by it of \$15,872.

The Empower Golf project aims to raise funds towards the purchase of a ParaGolfer unit for the disabled for \$40,000 with the balance to be raised from donations to Empower Golf from other sources.

James Gribble from Empower Golf suggested, amongst other options, the use of the \$10,000 to complete funding of the immediate purchase of a unit over the next few months with \$30,000 already raised from the Primary Club and Gosford City Council. The unit would be located at Gosford Golf Club and would service a high demand for a unit for the disabled on the Central Coast and the upper reaches of the metropolitan area.

### **The Board on 10 December resolved:-**

That the amount of \$10,000 be donated to Empower Golf as the Club's contribution towards the purchase of a ParaGolfer for approximately \$40,000 to be generally located at Gosford GC for the use of disabled people.

Our part funding of the ParaGolfer will be acknowledged by the endorsement on the unit of the Rotary Logo and our Club name.

The donation has been paid this month to Empower Golf enabling the unit to be operational early this year.

it is proposed that James and Lachy Foulsham from Empower Golf will come to a meeting of our Club when the unit is in use at the Gosford Golf Club.

Neil Howie  
Fundraising Director



# CHATSWOOD ROTARY CLUB

On WEDNESDAY 15 April, we will be guests at the Chatswood Rotary Club meeting, to be held at the Roseville Golf Club, 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm start.

I am not aware at this time of the program for the evening, however I would encourage members to visit their webpage to get an understanding of what that Club is involved with. <http://www.chatswoodrotary.org.au/>

On the bottom of the webpage is their weekly club bulletin "The Right Wheel" (image below).

Click on that icon to access their Meeting Notices;

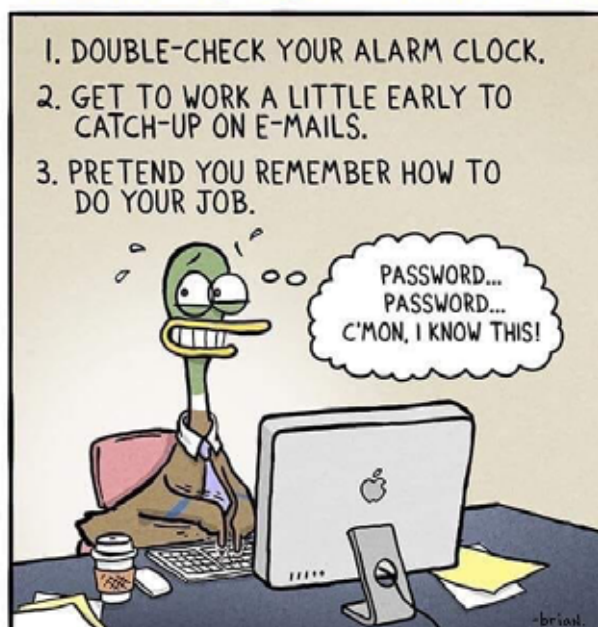
## The Right Wheel

[Click here](#) to access our weekly club bulletin of activities, speakers and events



On this page you can also subscribe to receive the Chatswood Meeting Bulletin if you wish to go onto their mailing list, and avoid having to go to the webpage.

## TIPS FOR RETURNING TO WORK AFTER VACATION





## MEMORIES FROM BYGONE DAYS; AUSSIE STYLE







## A BIT OF HUMOUR

### NEEDING A PUSH

A man and his wife were awakened at 3:00 am by a loud pounding on the door. The man gets up and goes to the door where a drunken stranger, standing in the pouring rain, is asking for a push.

"Not a chance," says the husband, "it is 3:00 in the morning!"  
He slams the door and returns to bed.

"Who was that?" asked his wife.

"Just some drunk guy asking for a push," he answers.

"Did you help him?" she asks.

"No, I did not, it's 3 am in the morning it's pouring with rain out there!"

"Well, you have a short memory," says his wife. "Can't you remember about three months ago when we broke down, and those two guys helped us? I think you should help him, and you should be ashamed of yourself! God loves drunk people too you know."

The man does as he is told, gets dressed, and goes out into the pounding rain. He calls out into the dark, "Hello, are you still there?"

"Yes," comes back the answer.

"Do you still need a push?" calls out the husband.

"Yes, please!" comes the reply from the dark.

"Where are you?" asks the husband.

"Over here on the swing," replied the drunk.

### WHAT THE QUEEN THOUGHT WHEN BORIS VISITED TO ADVISE HE COULD FORM GOVERNMENT.

***"WHO THE \*\*\*\*\* CUTS YOUR HAIR"***





# COMMITTEES 2019-2020



## **Club Administration**

Program Manager  
Public Relations  
Social

### **Director; David Brand**

Allan Farrar  
PP Ross Symons  
**Chairman;** Allan Farrar,  
Lori Farrar, Di Wilkinson.

## **Vocational, Community & International Service**

### **Director; PP Peter Lewis**

PP Bob Warland, Grant Campbell, Di Wilkinson  
Peter Lefmann.

## **Youth Service**

### **Director; PDG, PP Greg Muldoon**

PP Ian Robertson, Sue Ward,  
Avis Manoukian.

## **Rotary Foundation & Funding**

### **Director; PP Neil Howie**

Mike Harrowell, PP Cliff Garrett,  
PP John Hartley , Ian Garrard.

## **Membership**

### **Director; David Brand**

## **Sergeant-at-Arms**

Ian Garrard; Sue Ward, Allan Farrar.

## **Attendance Officer**

## **Bulletin Editor**

PP Ross Symons.

## **Risk Management**

Allan Farrar.

## **Working With Children Policy**

### **Club Verification Officers**

Peter Lefmann, Diana Wilkinson

## **Welfare Chairman**

Diana Wilkinson





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**Our meetings are hosted by the**



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| Club Program January 2020 to June 2020                                          |                                                                     |                                                                      |                                                                                                                          |                                                                                |                                                    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|
| January                                                                         | February                                                            | March                                                                | April                                                                                                                    | May                                                                            | June                                               |
| 7<br>No Meeting                                                                 | 4<br>No Meeting                                                     | 3<br>No Meeting                                                      | 7<br>No Meeting<br>14 NO MEETING                                                                                         | 5<br>No Meeting                                                                | 2<br>No Meeting                                    |
| 14<br>No Meeting                                                                | 11<br>Marcus Swift<br>RYLA<br>PRESENTATION                          | 10<br>James Wells;<br>"Nevil Shute"                                  | 15<br>WEDNESDAY<br>Visit to Chatswood<br>Rotary Club<br>Meeting at<br>Roseville Golf Club                                | 12                                                                             | 9                                                  |
| 21<br>No Meeting                                                                | 18<br>No Meeting                                                    | 17<br>No Meeting                                                     | 21<br>No Meeting                                                                                                         | 19<br>No Meeting                                                               | 16<br>No Meeting                                   |
| 28<br>Peter Sweeney;<br>The Attack on<br>Sydney Harbour<br><b>Board Meeting</b> | 25<br>David Wilson<br>Parramatta Light Rail<br><b>Board Meeting</b> | 24<br>The Rotary<br>Foundation<br>Neil Howie<br><b>Board Meeting</b> | 28<br>John Lanser.<br>"What you didn't<br>know about General<br>Sir John Monash<br>ANZAC Meeting<br><b>Board Meeting</b> | 26<br>Public School<br>Essay & Speaking<br>Competition<br><b>Board Meeting</b> | 23<br><b>Board Meeting</b>                         |
|                                                                                 |                                                                     | 31<br>No Meeting                                                     | 30<br>No Meeting                                                                                                         |                                                                                | 30<br>No Meeting<br>14 July Change Over<br>Meeting |

## PAST PRESIDENTS

|         |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| 1990-91 | Stuart Frith    |
| 1991-92 | Richard Wilmott |
| 1992-93 | Greg Muldoon    |
| 1993-94 | Norm Gibson     |
| 1994-95 | Trevor Holman   |
| 1995-96 | Ross Symons     |
| 1996-97 | John Hammond    |
| 1997-98 | Arthur Marshall |
| 1998-99 | Ian Robertson   |
| 1999-00 | Neil Howie      |
| 2000-01 | Bob Fussell     |
| 2001-02 | Duncan Whiley   |
| 2002-03 | Bob Warland     |
| 2003-04 | Bob Clarke      |
| 2004-05 | John Hartley    |
| 2005-06 | Ian Fraser      |
| 2006-07 | Cliff Garrett   |
| 2007-08 | Geoff Young     |
| 2008-09 | Warren McGurgan |
| 2009-10 | Malcolm Pilcher |
| 2010-11 | Nick Brooke     |
| 2011-12 | Will Rogers     |
| 2012-13 | Julian Gregory  |
| 2013-14 | Jade Catherall  |
| 2014-15 | Andrew Black    |
| 2015-16 | Duncan Campbell |
| 2016-17 | Peter Lewis     |
| 2017-18 | Peter McKeown   |
| 2018-19 | Richard Green   |

## PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

|                    |                   |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| Richard Wilmott *  | Duncan Campbell * |
| Greg Muldoon *     | Robert Brell *    |
| Greg Denning       | Norm Gibson       |
| Ross Symons *      | Arthur Marshall   |
| Glynn Ianno        | Malcolm Pilcher   |
| Ron Tacchi *       | Ian Robertson     |
| Helmut Buss *      | Will Rogers       |
| John Hartley *     | Geoff Young       |
| Bob Clarke         | Andrew Black      |
| Ted Anderson *     | Peter Bowden      |
| Ian Fraser *       | Ian Garrard       |
| Stuart Frith *     | Bob Warland       |
| Ann Muldoon        | Peter McKeown *   |
| Jade Catherall *   | Sue Ward          |
| Andrew Betty       | Di Wilkinson      |
| Catherine Williams | Allan Farrar      |
| Richard Green *    | Jill Lawson       |
| John Mackintosh    | David Brand       |
| John Hammond       | Pam Campbell      |
| Stephen Goldring   | Peter Lewis       |
| Nick Brooke *      | Michael Harrowell |
| Neil Howie *       | Avis Manoukian    |
| John Chinn         |                   |
| Grant Campbell *   |                   |
| Cliff Garrett      |                   |
| Peter Lefmann *    |                   |
| Phillip Cavanagh   |                   |
| Duncan Whiley      |                   |

*\*Sapphire Pin*



## ABOUT ROTARY



*Paul Harris*

The world's first service club, the Rotary Club of Chicago, Illinois, USA, was formed on 23 February 1905 by Paul Harris.

Rotary is a worldwide organisation of business and professional leaders that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. More than 1.2 million Rotarians belong to over 35,000 Clubs in 210 countries and geographical areas. Rotary Club membership represents a cross-section of the community's business and professional men and women. The world's Rotary Clubs meet regularly and are non-political, non-religious, and open to all cultures, races, and creeds.

The Rotary motto is ***Service Above Self.***

## ***OBJECT OF ROTARY***

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## ***ADVANCE AUSTRALIA FAIR***

Australians all, let us rejoice,  
For we are young and free,  
We've golden soil and wealth for toil  
Our home is girt by sea;  
Our land abounds in nature's gifts  
Of beauty rich and rare;  
In history's page, let every stage  
Advance Australia Fair.  
In joyful strains then let us sing  
Advance Australia Fair.



## ***ROTARY THANKS***

For the community, friendship, and  
the opportunity to serve through Rotary,  
we give thanks.



## ***THE FOUR-WAY TEST***

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?