



# THE ROTARWAVE



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Meetings – Gold Coast Tavern First Floor

1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays -

5.45pm for 6.15 pm



RIP Stephanie Urchick    President Sheila    DG Lisa Hunt

## GUEST SPEAKER PROGRAM

Date	Speaker	Topic	Comment
February 03	Marc Nuss	Destiny Rescue	
February 10	Golf Day		

## DUTY ROSTER

Date	Door	Toast	Thanks	Chair
February 03	Lee Peters	Bert Shenko	Peter Kumnick	Ron Derrick
February 17	Bill White	Robyn Ziukelis	Adrian Smallacombe	Ron Derrick



### Jeff Bignell presenting the vote of thanks to our Guest Speaker, Joy Thyer

Joy is a nurse and a volunteer. She has been to Timor Leste a couple of times. On this visit Joy took a large variety of lids, pencils and pieces of material that could be made into items like wind chimes and mobiles.

Joy spoke about the enthusiasm that she was shown by the locals when they were able to achieve positive recognition for a job well done. Congratulations Joy.

**Visitors to our meeting – (**

**PDG Andy Rajapakse**



**Jo Kane – President Elect , Burleigh Heads**

**Angel Grace – Passport Club**



**Michael Shambrook – President Burleigh Heads**



**Andy's message was to seek support from our club to celebrate both Surfers Paradise and Burleigh Heads in achieving 70 years since chartering**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Alan Guignon**

**Surfers Paradise State School**

Alan Guignon expressed the thanks he had received from the Principal of Surfers Paradise Primary school for our donation of goods to fill hampers for the underprivileged students before Christmas.

## **Gold Coast Hospital Foundation.**

The Hospital Foundation was blown away by the number of presents donated for Christmas Day to those children in hospital.

### **Bert Shenko**

#### **Sausage Sizzle**

Bert was extremely happy to present the results of the two Sausage sizzler held this year.

With an overall profit of \$3144, it was a terrific achievement thanks to Bert and Rosi and all of the volunteers.

29/12/24

Thanks to ***Donna, Lee, Marilyn, Robin, Helen, Rosi, Peter, Ron and Bert***

17/01/25

Thanks to ***Lee, Marilyn, Phil, Ron D., Bill W, Bert and Rosi.***

### **To our friends at RCSP,**

Bill's note reminded me that a new year is about to get under way and for the first time in 47 years I am not there to share it with you. But life is full of activity at Aveo Carindale, and we can strongly recommend it as a great place to retire.

In a discussion yesterday evening we concluded that drink is not as bad for you as food; for there are no fat people here but plenty of drinkers!

We are both keeping well and thoroughly enjoying the lifestyle, though my eyesight continues to deteriorate. AI is coming just in time as it has already made several useful advances.

Very best wishes to you all, and especially the Golden Wheel Villas team,

Alan and Barbara Midwood.

Students in an advanced Biology class were taking their mid-term exam. The last question was, 'Name seven advantages of Mother's Milk.' The question was worth 70 points or none at all. One student found it hard put to think of seven advantages. He wrote:

- 1) It is the perfect formula for the child.
- 2) It provides immunity against several diseases.
- 3) It is always the right temperature.
- 4) It is inexpensive.
- 5) It bonds the child to the mother and vice versa.
- 6) It is always available as needed

And then the student was stuck. Finally, in desperation, just before the bell rang indicating the end of the test he wrote:

- 7) It comes in two attractive containers and it's high enough off the ground where the cat can't get it.

He got an A+.

**Lee Peters  
Golf Day**

Hello

A note to follow up our Golf Day on Monday, 10 February (details are in the recent Rotorwave).

Would you confirm if you plan to join in please. I also need to know if you want to have your own drive cart or share a cart and hire clubs.

Unfortunately the Golf Club has advised we cannot use the voucher Jennifer won at our race day so the cost will not be as low as initially hoped.

Dress code is polo style collared shirt and neat shorts/long pants.

Not acceptable on the course is :

- T-shirts or singlets,
- denim/jean shorts, board shorts or football shorts,
- thongs, sandals or flip flops
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- Alcohol from outside source. Drinks can be purchased at the Club prior to play if you want to take it on the course

I must confirm numbers with the Golf Club on Monday 3 February, absolute latest by 9am Tuesday. This is to allow other golfers to nominate in the spaces allocated to us if not being used.

The list of members who have advised they will be joining us:

Adrian  
Marilyn  
Cheryl  
Helen and Ron  
Robyn and Peter  
Bert  
Phil  
Sheila + ?  
Di and Jeff  
Lee

Should you now be unable to play please let me know.

Cheers

Lee

**A newly married man asked his wife,  
'Would you have married me if my  
father hadn't left me a fortune?'**

**'Honey,' the woman replied sweetly,  
'I'd have married you, NO MATTER  
WHO LEFT YOU A FORTUNE!'**

**A wife asked her husband: 'What do  
you like most in me, my pretty face or  
my sexy body?'**

**He looked at her from head to toe and  
replied: 'I like your sense of  
humour!'**