



THE ROTARWAVE



THE ROTARY CLUB OF SURFERS PARADISE

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Meetings – Gold Coast Tavern

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5.45pm for 6. pm



RIP Shekhar Mehtak



President Kirk



DG Jeff Egan

Date	04.04.22	19.04.22	03.05.22
Chair	Donna Gillett-Shaw	Tuesday! President Kirk	Tuesday! President Kirk
Door	Don Kissell	Cheryl Gibbons	Sheila Ponting
Toast	Secretary Donna	Sgt Peter	Treasurer Adrian
Thanks			Bert Shenko
	Board Meeting	RunawayBay Club Visit	Board Meeting

Guest Speaker – Simone Curtin – RYLA



Stuart Fairley presenting Simone with the Club pen torch.

Forthcoming program

Date	Speaker	Topic
04 Apr	Alan Midwood	The Gold Coast construction industry.
19 Apr	Alan Midwood It's a Tuesday!	Christopher Skase and other white shoes
03 May	Clare Blake It's a Tuesday	QIMR Possible Southport Club visit

New Membership Drive for 2021 – 2022

Let's get these goals on the board

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New Members	

Our Clubs 2022 RYLA Awardee, Simone Curtin gave a lively presentation about 'What I got out of RYLA'.

The year's Camp was held at Bornhoffen Camp in the Numinbah Valley and was the first held for two years, due to the restrictions of Covid.

With targeted talks and activities all day as varied as 'box breathing' (4secs in, 4secs hold, 4 secs out, 4 secs hold, repeat) tough hikes, daggy days to show that outward appearances do not matter, changing groups constantly to work with different people, discussions on goal setting, conflict resolution, evaluating personality traits, life skills such as tie-dying. Simone found each day challenging, thought-provoking and stimulating.

Simone's personal goal this year is to work on some negative personality traits.

In fact, she said she found the week invaluable and stimulating, so much so that she has applied to be a RYLA leader next year. This drew applause from members.

Welcome Our New Members:

Attendees were presented with Graduation Certificates and a book of appreciative comments which serve as a reminder of an invaluable week at RYLA.

Simone thanked Surfers Paradise Club for the opportunity to attend and was thanked by Stuart Fairley and presented with a Club torch as a token of our appreciation.

Club Information

Bert Shenko

Bert thanked those members who worked on the Sunday sausage sizzle which raised in excess of \$2,000.

AM Session – Alan G., Jeff, Stuart, Adrian

PM Se – Donna, Bill W., Rosi, Bert

The next Sausage Sizzle will be on Friday, 1 April
Members required for the afternoon session

Donna Gillett-Shaw

Donna reported on her contact with the Rotary Club of Takasaki. They passed on their wishes that we come through the Covid in good health.

Alan Guignon – Update

Fellows, there is a change in lineup this Monday night.

I am isolating at home with the dreaded Covid which I am sure I caught at the District Conference in Tenterfield last weekend. Sheila is also a victim and isolating at home as well. Jennifer and Adrian and Donna seem to be ok at this time. Fingers crossed for them.

Consequently, our speaker next Monday will be Alan M. who as we all know and enjoy, has an encyclopedic knowledge of all things Gold Coast. His presentation will no doubt be a remarkable expose of the behind the scenes day to day business on the Glitter Strip.

As usual guests and partners are welcome.
Cheers
Alan G.

Best wishes

Our best wishes go to Alan and Sheila for a speedy recovery during their isolation and the fact that they are isolating at home bodes well for them.

Golden Wheel Villas Scone Morning Tea.

Cheryl had a phone call from Bill White. He told me that there are a few from the Golden Wheel Villas that are either unwell, in hospital or are away at this time. Bill suggested maybe to try and move the Scone morning tea 8/4/2022 to a more suitable time this month when more of the residents would be available.

This have proven a problem so sadly I have cancelled it for April and will catch them all in May.
Cheryl.

Scenic Rim Rotary Field Day

The Fassifern Valley Rotary Club is running the inaugural Scenic Rim Rotary Field Day on April 8&9 at the Harrisville Football oval. Along with many and varied exhibitors, ranging from commercial businesses, to not-for-profit organisations such as Lifeline and 4 Aussie Heroes, we will have presenters speaking on bee-keeping, equine veterinary care, cattle nutrition and water management, to name but a few of the topics during the field day, and also working dog and horsemanship demonstrations.

The fund raising focus for the Scenic Rim Rotary Field Day is to assist the fight against domestic violence, homelessness and mental health issues within the Scenic Rim community. For more information about purchasing tickets or exhibiting at the field day, please go to our website: <https://www.fassifernvalleyrotary.org.au>

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