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26th CHARITY GOLF DAY A WINNER



NEW SPONSOR WINS

The winner team of special Friday the 13th Golf Day were a team of one of our new sponsors, Carpet Court, comprised of Todd Hollingsworth, Bronwyn Johns, Ben Bradbury and Holly Nolan. They are pictured with the Gavin Hoey Memorial Trophy after Friday's very successful 26th Annual Charity Golf Day.

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Birthdays this coming week:

Oct 16 Bill Michel
Anniversaries None recorded

Heads and Tails: Zac Rimmer

PRESIDENT KATHY'S THANK YOU NEW FORMAT & GREAT RESULT

Thank you to everyone who supported the Rotary Club of Nelson Bay's 26th Annual Golf Day. There is so much that goes into organising a golf day; the sponsors and donors, the volunteers and players, building a relationship with the venue and pro-shop. All whilst making the day affordable and enjoyable. I am pleased to report that the changes we have made to the format were truly a success on all fronts.

We do not have the final figure. However, we can report an interim figure of **\$10,583.00 Nett**. Thank you, Treasurer Ian, for getting this to us so quickly.

The feedback from the sponsors, players, pro-shop, Golf Club and our members were all positive.

Thank you again for your support of our club. Please contact me if you have any questions or suggestions to improve our next Golf Day.

Editor's Note. The result is quite outstanding considering the bulk of the Golf Day committee had no real experience in organising this event, coupled with the loss of some regular sponsorship, which was allocated to other events. Congratulations Kathy on your leadership, well done.

Member Duties October 20 2017

Door Helen Ryan/Phil Smith

Meet/Greet: John Stuhmcke

Loyal Toast Henk Tobbe

Grace: Gordon Treble

Intro Guest speaker:

Geoff Diemar

Thank Guest Speaker:
Richard Turner

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Photographer Henk Tobbe

Guest Speaker- Jessica Hannan- Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder- Partners Night

CLUB MEETING OCTOBER 12TH 2017



Our Guest speaker on Thursday night was Charlie Dunkerly, well known surf life saving identity from Fingal Bay SLSC. Charlie's professional presentation on the proposed placement of an Emergency Beacon on the Fingal Bay Spit, which joins the beach to Fingal Island was well received by our members and visitors. The remote radio beacon, costing some \$11,000 would be placed on the inside of the Spit. This has the potential to save lives, as some 8 people have drowned at this spot over the years.

It was also suggested a second beacon may be required on the outer side of the Spit, if funding is found., for both. Charlie will be chasing grants through various Government Departments. Charlie was introduced by Ed Parker and thanked by Tricia Parnell. He enjoyed his night with us and was impressed by the friendship of our members and would recommend our Club to others.

NEW PROJECT FOR NELSON BAY ROTARY

President Kathy and Community Service Director Chris Bartlett presented a new project to members at the Club meeting on Thursday, following Wednesday's Board meeting.

A round of the Women's World Pro League will be held at Birubi Point from November 2 to 5 2017

We have been asked to assist by running a BBQ outside the Surf Life Saving Club on all four days, plus assist with overflow car parking at the Tomaree Sports Complex over 4 days.

Secretary Don, ensured that all members present were fully aware of the commitment involved for our Club to be part of this World Surfing Event.

President Kathy called for a vote from the members and 100% commitment was gained.

Member Tony Todd has accepted the lead role for this event and is putting a team together to plan this wonderful opportunity. THANK YOU ALL.



We had 2 very welcome guests on Thursday night. Phil Johnson (far left) was a guest of DeeGee Greiter, and a player in our Golf Tournament, on Friday.

Left is Milton Williams, a former Rotarian who made himself known at a recent Bunnings BBQ. Milton started in Rotary at Raymond Terrace, when his then neighbour, the late PDG Howard Grigor took him along. Milton will be back next week and has offered to help at the big Surf Event.

**APOLOGIES & EXTRAS TO JOHN CRUMP BY NOON WEDNESDAY'S
PLEASE –PHONE OR SMS 0401 450 289- THANK YOU**



Last Saturday we conducted a BBQ at Salamander square in conjunction with Amcal Max Chemists, with funds going to the Cancer Support Group. This was a trial run for the new owners of the Centre. \$518 was raised in 5 hours. Pictured are Richard Harris, Liz friend, Judy Mitchell, Chelsea Ellul and VP John Stuhmcke doing the hard yards. Also thanks to President Kathy and daughter Taylor for their efforts later in the day. This style of Community BBQ is working well for the Club, gaining us awareness as a community Volunteer organisation, that helps others.



Richard Turner and Bob Mitchell hard at work on the 14th Nearest to the Pin hole. All our Volunteers did a great job on the day. A BIG THANK YOU



NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKER JESSICA HANNAN

The National Organisation of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (NOFASD) Australia is privileged to have been asked to present at the Rotary Club in Nelsons Bay on 19 October 2017. The presentation will be completed by Jessica Hannan, the National Projects Officer for NOFASD who is also a registered and practising paediatric occupational therapist. Jessica brings hands on experience of working with children living with FASD and incorporates practical strategies into the presentation to equip individuals to be FASD-informed. The presentation will go through the causes of FASD, populations at risk, life outcomes of people living with FASD, how to get a diagnosis of FASD as well as practical tips and strategies if you are working with an individual with FASD or suspected FASD. Extensive resources and handouts will be given to each individual who attends the presentation. Sufficient time will be left after the presentation for discussion and questions.

Warwick Mathieson and friend of our Club Bob Greenlees attempting to give the Port Stephens Toyota Yaris away during Friday's Golf Day. Unfortunately no holes in one this year. There were 3 cars to be one.



The next Couple of Weeks....

Date	Speaker	Topic
19/10	Jessica Hannan	Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder – Partners Night
26/10	TBA	Department of Fair Trading Speaker
27/10	BUNNINGS BBQ	
31/10	St Dominic's School	Cruise
2/11	No Meeting Transferred to "A Night for Larry on November 4"	
2-5/11	WORLD SURFING EVENT AT BIRUBI POINT- BBQ AND PARKING	
9/11	Immortals Community Night- Partners and Guests welcome	
30/11	Club Xmas Party	

Our new honorary member, Mayor Ryan Palmer (2nd from right) on the course with his foursome



Our “Wild West” Cooking/Catering team for the day Doug Craike, Andrew Downey and David Clark, take a breather ...



BLACK FRIDAY GOLF DAY 2017

Guess who won the best dressed Black Friday team.. Tomaree Community College Team, that's who... Linda Drake, Julie Walker, Julie Newsham & Bev Suska. Love your work ladies...



Runners up on the day were Reg Fowler, Ben Weick, Neil Lemcke and Christian Hernandez



Our very own “Ghoul for the Day”, Phil Smith (right) won the Best Dressed Runners up Prize. Thankfully his team mates weren't scared off.... Looked good Phil



Our Gun Senior golfer Peter Page (left) with his team ready to do battle on Friday



President Kathy and Liz Friend in the “Engine Room” on Friday morning, ensuring a great day would follow.



Club member and sponsor, John Cropley (2nd from left) with his fellow team ready for battle on Friday. Thank you for your support John

THANK YOU HENK

Our photographer Henk Tobbe has provided the majority of photos for this week's edition. Terrific job and makes the Editors job easy



EARLY WARNING- XMAS PARTY
AT LITTLE BEACH BOATHOUSE
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 30TH
Cost \$55.00 per head includes a drink voucher. Good night assured



Secretary Don Whatham did a great job on the golf side of things and is pictured with former member and long time sponsor and supporter of Golf Day, Steve Parrott



Player and Course Marshall for the Day, Peter "Marshall" McBean doing the rounds during his very busy day on the course, which included delivery of lunches to Volunteers and making the day ran smoothly on the course. Goal Achieved, Thank you.

You're invited to
 join the McGrath Family at

A Night for Larry

A night of Dancing to celebrate the life of
 Larry McGrath

Hosted by Rotary Club of Nelson Bay

When: Saturday 4th November

Where: Nelson Bay Bowling Club
 Stockton Street, Nelson Bay

Time: 6:30pm for 7pm Start till 11pm

Cost: \$25 per person
 Includes Finger food

If you would like to have dinner at Tails Restaurant at Nelson Bay Bowling Club
 prior to the event you can book a table by calling (02) 4981 12 72

Tickets: <https://www.trybooking.com/319427>

Please note Tickets available until 20th October
 For further information call
 Chelsea 0409 782650

50's, 60's, 70's Dress Up Optional



PLEASE NOTE BOOKING LINK NOT ACTIVE

ADVANCE WARNING UPDATE

Our new Catering Supervisor, Tony Todd is giving advance warning of a number of Bunnings BBQ's we have committed to over the next six months. Tony's enthusiasm & skill is recognised and we trust all members will support him when asked to do a shift.
Dates are as follows
 Friday October 27 2017
 Friday November 17th 2017
 Friday December 1st 2017
 Saturday December 2nd 2017
 Friday December 8th 2017
 New Year's Day Jan 1 2018
 Saturday January 6 2018
 Saturday March 3 2018.
 Expected net earnings in excess of \$4,500.

BUNNINGS
 warehouse



MEMBERS ARE AGAIN REMINDED TO GET THEIR APOLOGIES INTO JOHN CRUMP BY 12 NOON ON WEDNESDAY'S BY PHONE OR SMS ON 0401 450 289. WE ARE CHARGED FOR ALL MEALS BASED ON THE NUMBERS SUBMITTED & THESE COSTS WILL BE PASSED ON