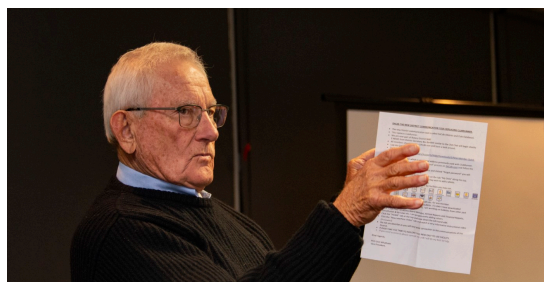




Bulletin 3 of 14th of July Club Meeting



DACdb computer software

Don gave us some information about the New Software system which is going to be provided for all members and clubs to use in the combined 9660 district.

It is called DACdb and will likely replace the ClubRunner program we currently use. We have until February 2023 with the old system if we wish to use it. As was outlined in the last Bulletin we all have an id and we just need to go into the program to set things up.

The Basics

Username is your email. Password; Click on forgot password. A new link is set for which you then enter the password of choice.

MY Data; In this section you can see the information that has been recorded for you.

P Mail; This is a way to email individual members or a group.

Bulletins from the past will be migrated across. Because of the large storage capacity, if the patience is there, we potentially could load a number of years of the Bulletin. This would be an historical reference and point of interest.

The website would also potentially move to this system. It is cheaper than our current format. Henk is providing some information to the board on this matter.

SEE THE INSTRUCTIONS ATTACHED LATER IN BULLETIN.

District Governor's Visit - Tuesday 19th July

Our new District Governor, Neville Parsons, will be visiting the area on **Tuesday 19th July**. Our Thursday meeting will be transferred to the Tuesday and members of Salamander Bay Rotary will be joining us for the meeting. A formal invitation is extended to partners, and it has been suggested that attire be upgraded a little for the evening. Meeting as usual in the Crow's Nest. Time as usual – 6:00PM for a 6:30PM start. Please advise apologies/extras by noon on Monday 18th.



In this Bulletin:

1. DACdb Software & DGVisit
2. Club News & Bunnings Update
3. Other Items

Birthdays

Members

Rob Mitchell July 20

John Sully July 26th

Anniversaries

None this week.

Heads and Tails

Spinner was Jim Booth

Geoff Diemar the winner having faith that heads will come up more than once in a row.

Lucky Number Winner:

Don Whatham

Next meeting

Special Meeting

District Governor to visit in combined meeting Tuesday.

Door: Ella Clarke

Welcome Lesley Freeman

Introduce Speaker Warwick Mathieson

Thank speaker: Peter Mc Bean

Bulletin: Don Whatham

Photos: Phill Smith

Please pay for this night into club account prior to night. No electronic facility is available at present due to Square being reconfigured.

Please advise your attendance to Rotary phone prior to Wednesday pm if you wish to change from your current attendance preferences or have guests. 0401450239.
Meals ordered must be paid for without exception.

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In Other News

Peter page mentioned the Trek4Kids and asked people to contribute some change toward this cause. Phil Smith provided \$100 donations to the Rotary Foundation for an Immortal pin which he gave to his brother for his birthday. A great gift that does good and continues to work over the years.

Brian Comley won the raffle last week and hence had the chance to speak for 3 minutes on a subject of his choice. He was able to relay a story about how a bus load of young potential officers were watching a bombing range with F18s dropping big bombs who did not realise there are large shock waves associated with the explosion. Most of them were flattened to the ground like a pile of dead ants, unharmed but embarrassed.

John Sully had his last meeting with us for awhile as is heading on a lengthy overseas trip. (4 months) He starts his trip in U.S for 1 month, 6 weeks in U.K. and will visit his former Rotary club of Chard there, and return to Australia on a 6 week cruise. He left us with a parting gift in lieu of any fine money he might miss out upon. He is shown here with treasurer Geoff.



Price increase on Sausage Sandwich.

The management at Bunnings has deemed that with general increased costs it is appropriate to now charge \$3.50 for sausage sandwiches. It has been something that all organisations who do the BBQs have been suggesting. The drinks remain the same price \$1.50 which makes for very small profit margin.

Our Next BBQ is coming up Sunday 24th of July

The staff involved as I am aware.

Coordinator Don Whatham

AM Cook W Mathieson, Serve B. Comley, Sauce R. Michell,
Money H. Ryan

PM Cook P Page, Serve J Cropley Sauce R Turner, Money D
Grieter



Remember it is up to individuals to make changes if they find they are unable to attend their shift. Please advise the coordinator if possible.



We started a new fine session this week called Happy dollar. The good news is people give their own positives or negatives. I am sure most people must be able to reflect on something happy in the previous week. However share you sad story for a bargain price, it's cheaper than psychology services

Pokolbin Tour Thursday 21st of July

President Bob has organised a day with a few interesting items.

You can't just call it a winery tour, but it will visit First Creek winery and later Tranquil Vale winery. There is also a tour of the Luskintyre Aviation Museum and lunch at Harrigans Pub. Bus trip only \$25, buy your own lunch.

Depart 9am Fingal, 9.20 Bus depot. Return 5pm approx.

There may be a few spots left so please advise Phil Smith or Bob Mitchell. Money can be paid into club account.

DACdb THE NEW DISTRICT COMMUNICATION TOOL REPLACING CLUBRUNNER.

- The new District communication tool is called DACdb (District and Club Database).
- This replaces ClubRunner.
- We are now part of Rotary District 9660
- E-NEWS from District Secretary Bev Bartlett similar to the Chit Chat will begin shortly
- All members should log into DACdb now and have a look around.
- Log into [DACdb.com](https://www.dacdb.com)
- To do so - Click this link: <https://www.dacdb.com/Rotary/Accounts/9660/Downloads/0/New-Member-Quick-Start-Guide-2022.pdf>
- Enter your username which is your email address previously used with ClubRunner.
- For your password use the "forgot password" process on [DACdb.com](https://www.dacdb.com) and follow the prompts to set up your new password. Once you have entered your email address and clicked "forgot password" you will receive an email with instructions.
- When you have logged on to DACdb – click on the tab "My Data" found along the top.
- Check your data and edit if necessary, you may wish to add a photo.
- Check out "My Club" by clicking on the tab.
- Across the screen you will see the icons for facilities you may use.



- Click the icon "Club Members" to find contact details etc. for any member.
- Click "Club Bulletins" to access any club bulletin. (To date I have downloaded bulletins for 2021-2022 and 2022-2023). I am adding bulletins from other past years.
- Click "Club Files" to access Board Minutes, Annual Reports and Financial Reports, Constitution & By-Laws etc. I am progressively adding others.
- Click the "HOME" tab at the top and look down the left-hand side.
- Click the "New Interface Video" tab and watch a very informative instructional video (9 minutes)
- Do not unsubscribe as you will lose your connection to the communications of the District.
- PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO EXPLORE THIS NEW EASY TO USE FACILITY.
- If you need assistance, please contact me and I will do my best to help.



In case you have been feeling cold this week.
Corn Corner

Why did the woolly mammoth cross the road?
Because there were no chickens in the ice age.

Why is slippery ice in freezing weather like sheet music?
Because if you don't C sharp you will be B flat.