



Bulletin 42 – 18th May 2023

Pride of Workmanship Awards 2023



The Salamander Bay Club is to be congratulated on a very successful, well attended event.

Harry Parker in his closing comments thanked our club for our support of the event.

Here is a list of the worthy recipients:

1. Jim Morrison - Yacaaba Centre (Community)
2. Keith Dykes - Tomaree Neighbourhood Centre (Community)
3. Maree Frawley - Port Stephens Chiropractic and Yoga (Vocational)
4. Gypsy Donovan - Tomaree Aquatic Centre (Youth)
5. Gregory Rowe - SES Tomaree Unit (Community)
6. Carmel Northwood – Koa
7. Tracy Rigby - Regis Port Stephens (Vocational)
8. Tracy Blosdale - First National Port Stephens (Vocational)
9. Sandra Scheuber - Marine Rescue (Community)
10. Shirley Clark - Marine Rescue (Community)
11. Colindrina Quiboy - Port Stephens Veterans & Citizens Aged Care - (Vocational)
12. Kelly Hammond - (Community)

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Tomaree Hospital Garden

Birthdays:

none

Anniversaries:

29th May D&H Greiter

Heads & Tails:

n/a

Raffle/Joker poker:

n/a

Member Duties 25th May

Door:

Dieter

Meet/Greet:

Peter McBean

Grace:

Dave

Intro Guest speaker:

Ella

Thank Guest Speaker:

G. Robinson

Bulletin:

J. Cropley

Binos:

Geoff Diemar



Several members of our club attended the 2023 PIW Awards night, hosted by Salamander Rotary Club last Wednesday evening. The night was very well recorded by our photographer Henk. See all pictures [HERE](#)
Attendees from our Club were Henk & Anjes, Lesley Freeman, Peter Page, Peter McBean, Geoff Robinson, Geoff Diemer and Ella Clarke.



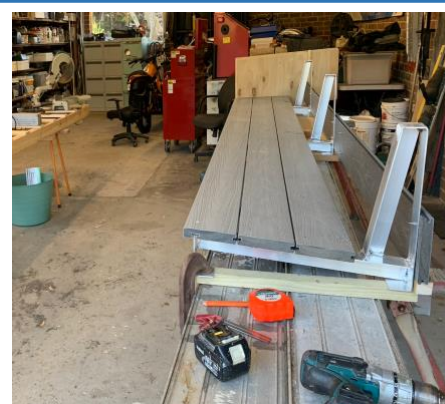
Bunnings's BBQ organiser Leanne invited the community groups to an informative evening to introduce her successor, Jane, as she is stepping down from that role. She mentioned some interesting facts:
40 groups have raised so far >\$102,000 this year.
For clubs w/o EFTPOS facility Bunnings can offer now the use of a [STRIFE](#) terminal. This is similar to our Square terminal.
Chris, Doug, Geoff, Peter and Dieter enjoyed the excellent afternoon tea coffee with sweets and sandwiches from Costco
You always find a few Rotarians when there is free food available.

REFLECTIVE GARDEN PROJECT update



The concrete is cured and ready for the next stage, with brickworks to start this week. Warwick is constructing the bench seats.

Don had received the excellent news that the government grant has been approved, this puts the project in a financially secure position.



Advance Notice:

Meeting for 8th June 2023 will be held at Fingal Bay Cellars: This meeting celebrates 161 years since the lighthouse first shone at Fingal Bay.
A presentation by John Clarke 6.00pm followed by a meal of pizza, salad, and garlic bread @ \$25.-
Visitors/Guests are welcome

Next Bunnings Barbecue 3rd June 2023



Volunteers needed !