



# Jerraganda

The Newsletter of Jerrabomberra Rotary  
RI District 9710



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Support the Rotary Foundation!

Meeting 913  
28<sup>th</sup> October, 2016

**NO MEETING THIS WEEK!  
DISTRICT CONFERENCE IN GOULBURN  
OR  
QUIZ NIGHT TO SUPPORT ABUNDANT WATER**

## **VALE, ROBERT COOKE. ~ a sad and untimely passing**

I believe the email from Michael Goiser says a lot about how much Cookie will be remembered here in Queanbeyan.

**Subject:** Sad passing of Rob Cooke

*It is with a heavy heart that I write to inform Tigers club associates of the sudden passing of former volunteer Rob Cooke.*

*"Cookie" or "Demon Rob" as he was known to players, supporters and fellow volunteers, was a tireless worker for the Tigers over a long period of time before moving to Melbourne two years ago to care for his elderly mother.*

*Although interstate Rob was in regular contact with stalwarts of the club in Fred Gisik, Noel Miller, Wally Thompson and Ron Fowlie. I'm told that if illness had not prevailed he would have travelled to our presentation night two weeks ago*

*Rob kept himself up to date on the progress of the Tigers and followed our results through the Growler. He often replied to the weekly Growler emails to offer congratulations to the club and individuals on their achievements.*

*He was an avid Melbourne Demons fan and an MCC Member. Even his email address included the name "demonrob".*

*After 13 years as an assistant team manager who also dabbled in sports medicine Rob was inducted as an Associate Official of the Tigers 100 Club in 2009. He also contributed to the local community as an active member of the Jerrabomberra Rotary Club.*

*Rob passed away unexpectedly in his sleep last Thursday night. He will be sadly missed by his family and the extended Tigers family. The funeral service will be on Wednesday Nov. 2 at 11:45am in Blair Chapel, Springvale.*

**Vale "Cookie".  
Eat 'em alive!**



Dear Everyone,

Thanks Paul for your most excellent job as Editor while I was away last week at a conference. You did a fantastic job. Perhaps you would like to take it on one day soon? (Just thinking...)

Sad and unexpected news this week for our club as Robert Cooke was a member for many years. Our thoughts will be with family and friends.

**GREAT NEWS!**  
Noa is here at last! A real achievement, Chilly, so well done and thank you.

Please send snippets of the District Conference and don't have too much fun!!!

PLEASE,  
Don't forget! Would love market reports to be sent to me by the Sunday afternoon so that I can complete the Jerraganda. Any photos would also be great – just email to me on:  
[chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au)  
Any reminders or extra news, also just email me  
Enjoy,  
Chris Hunter  
Editor

# DISTRICT CONFERENCE

## QUOTES OF THE WEEK FROM THE CONFERENCE..... Mmmmm!

Paul: We all know how hard it is to please you Mez; Terry and I went to great lengths

Sue: I don't wear ear plugs to bed in case they fall out and I eat them.

Sue: My bathroom is always so dusty from the fibres from the towels.



Mez's Selfie – again!



Looking comfortable at the beginning of the Conference!



Looking sleepy as the Conference went on!!!  
Wake up, Paul!



All smiles at Goulburn!



Lake George is filling!

## PROGRESS REPORT ON NOA.... Thanks to Chilly.

Noa & Emele (grandmother) have now been here a week, and it has been a great learning time for all of us, Noa is one cute little cheeky kid.

Emele, Noa and I will be at Rotary this Thursday so hope you can make it.



### THIS WEEK'S MEETING – WITH PRESIDENT – Liz Mulvaney

**GUESTS FOR THIS WEEK:** All absent from the scene but doing Rotary “stuff”.

**APOLOGIES THIS WEEK:** We are all an apology this week!

**CHARGE TO AUSTRALIA:** N/A

**TOAST TO ROTARY INTERNATIONAL:** There will be lots of toasting RI at this week’s conference, that I can guarantee!

## REPORTS FOR THIS WEEK:

### Ms PRESIDENT’S REPORT:

#### OUR NEW VISION STATEMENT –

“A vibrant and fun-loving community group actively making a difference both locally and internationally.”

#### OUR ELEVATOR SPEECH -

“Jerrabomberra Rotary is a group of like-minded people who come together to serve the community and to make sure they have a good time doing it. We have lots of programs that impact on youth, the aged and the disadvantaged. We are active locally but also internationally as we are a global organisation.”

**PRESIDENT LIZ MULVANEY'S REPORT:**

- NTR

**MEZ MULVANEY'S SECRETARY'S REPORT:**

- NTR

**TERRY SPENCER'S TREASURER'S REPORT:**

- NTR

**CATHY HOBBS'S YOUTH & VOCATIONAL SERVICE REPORT:**

- NTR
- Juniors on Watch – Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> December – 9 am at school hall.
- Tony Trumble has sent out an email to ask for “aunt” or “uncle” helpers for NYSF.

**BRUCE MILLER'S INTERNATIONAL & FOUNDATION REPORT:**

- NTR

**BEV McKAY'S COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORT:**

- NTR

**ANTON PEMMER'S CLUB SERVICE REPORT:**

- NTR

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

NIL

**REGULAR HAPPENINGS**

**SERGEANT'S FINES:** \$0

**MEALS: THIS WEEK!** No – not here!

Don't forget that the person to notify about meals is **Pam**. Is this correct now? See her details at the end on the newsletter.

PLEASE, try to make her job easy and notify her if you will be there or **not by midday on Tuesdays.** P.S.: Here they are in case you can't look that far!

**Pam:** T: 0418 967 925 [jerraquilting@gmail.com](mailto:jerraquilting@gmail.com)

**ATTENDANCE:** Mmmm!



No Joker!

## **DON'T FORGET!**

### Weekly Meeting Reminders – Meeting No. 913

#### **\*\* The markets is our cash cow and needs everyone's support!**

- Dragon Boats – Anton – seeking others to help!
- ALL banking to Terry, please.
- Save \$2 a week in your Centurion money boxes for The Foundation!
- Still H/W: Think of some potential members for our list

\*\*\*\*\* MEETING - Didn't even open \*\*



#### **SOME NEWS FROM THE MARKETS....**

PLEASE NOTE - New Email address: Please ensure you update your email contacts list to reflect the new address [market.manager@crfm.com.au](mailto:market.manager@crfm.com.au)

#### **\*\* PLEASE NOTE – THIS IS THE “NEWEST” ROSTER – DELETE ALL OTHERS!**

5/11/16	Anton	Jan	Andrea
12/11/16	Mez	Lizzie	Chris

\* Details as provided by the Market Master

Market Roster is current as of the date of publishing however changes may have occurred. Please visit: <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/9728/SitePage/capital-region-farmers-market/roster> for the most up to date roster.

#### **Reports this week by: Peter**



#### **29 October -**

A community project of The Rotary Club of Hall

Marketeers were Sue Jarvis, Chilly and Peter Jarvis  
Not very busy at first but picked up later in the morning.

Sue placed her orders for Xmas turkey and ham early.

Peter had 4 spring rolls for Breakfast. Chilly had a smorgasbord; a lamb sausage roll, sticky rice, a spring roll and porridge. Yum!!

Lost property reported included a wallet which wasn't handed in to us. A five year old boy lost his mum and was found by another shopper waiting at the family car in the car park. A joyful reunion. Forty dollars was found on the ground and handed in to us.

A Sydney market goer visiting Canberra bought 5 shopping bags and commented what a fantastic market.

Flannel flowers were on sale. Queries came from a few shoppers as to the whereabouts of the Blueberry stall.

A dog owner took his 2 German Shepherds and 1 Labrador onto the dog show oval for a kick and chase of a soccer ball. On the way through the gate, the dogs showed a lot of interest in the witch's hat. Chilly remarked that he would no longer throw the cone over his shoulder to take it to the gate. Quite a number of queries from potential stall holders were referred to the market managers.

Inventory:      Water              Nil, zero, none, zilch – **NEED WATER!**  
                    Green bags      1 full box and one third of a box (at least)  
                    Red Bags        1 open box + 1 full box in our container plus 4 boxes in another.  
                    Cook Books      2 on display. More in the Office  
                    Tally Sheets    A few tally sheets in the plastic box.

Receipt book in black bum bag has about 4 blank receipts left. Not sure whether there's another in the plastic box. Sue says we need more magnetic clips to display advertising on our stall.

29 <sup>th</sup> October 2016	Sue & Peter J & Chilly	Tables \$60	Bags \$70	Water \$30	Books \$0	Cooler Bags \$5	Donations \$40 + \$1.80	Total \$206.80
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NOTE: Last Saturday market is on 17<sup>th</sup> Dec with an afternoon market on 22 December. There is then a break until January 14<sup>th</sup>! Yippee!

**Reminder on times – Arrive 6.45 am / Set up by 7 am / Parking by 7.30 am / Finish Parking at 11 am / pack up at 11.30 am**

### **CENTENARY CELEBRATION!**

The Rotary Club of Canberra on behalf of District Governor Steven Hill is organising a Foundation Dinner to celebrate 100 years of the Rotary Foundations from very humble beginnings our Foundation started in 1916 with its first donation of \$27. It has grown to one of the leading charitable trusts in the world. It spearheads our efforts in regards to the eradication of Polio. It is our Foundation and we all should be immensely proud of its contribution to our World. We are running a dinner to celebrate on the 19th November at Royal Canberra Golf Club. The base details are



Function Name:	District 9710 Foundation Centenary Dinner
Date:	19th November 2016
Venue:	Royal Canberra Golf Club Westbourne Woods YARRALUMLA, ACT
Time:	6.30 for Cocktails on the Terrace – weather permitting. Dinner to be served from 7.30
Cost:	\$95 per head
Table Cost:	\$760

Tables are to be set for eight and the Rotary Club of Canberra has generously offered to give any Rotary Club who takes a table one Paul Harris credit - take two get two credits. All the RC of Canberra has requested is that the club recognise a significant person(s) in their community or club this year.

Inclusions: Drinks and hot and cold savouries on the Terrace followed by a two-course dinner, main course alternate plates of either Fish probably Barramundi, or Lamb, with a limited allowance for standard soft drinks, beer and wine served to the table. Tea and Coffee will be available after the meal. The meal I believe will be, from past experience, excellent.

Our Guest Speaker: Sister Dain Inglis of the “Daughters of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart” who will talk about her experience as a recipient of our Foundations support in Africa. Sister Dain has served her order for close to 50 years in Papua New Guinea, South Africa, Senegal where she represented the order in French speaking Western Africa, and in Rome. She has just retired and has returned to Australia permanently.

Silent Auction                      A number of items will be offered by way of a Silent Auction.

We are hoping this will be a fun night and if we raise some funds for the Foundation that will be an added bonus! Fellowship is the name of the game.

Registrations are open and we need your members to register soon , preferably now - I know it is Rotary but we do not always have to register at the last minute!!

Can you encourage your members to register and pay at:

<https://www.rotaryd9710.org.au/store/rotary-foundation-centenary-dinner.html>

Please register and come along to celebrate 100 years of Our Foundation.

## Program

If anyone has program information, please email Chris – [chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au)

Meetings		Social & Special Events	
Date	Description	Date	Description
3/11/16	Rotary Business / Me Talk	13 <sup>th</sup> November	Station 3 Fitness Track – Pres. Liz
8 <sup>th</sup> & 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Home Hosting for NYSF, please. Save the dates.	9 <sup>th</sup> November	Membership Night at the Community Centre TBA
		10 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Party - TBA

*\* Compiled from information provided by the Program Person*

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT - 2016-2017	
President	Liz Mulvaney
President Elect	Anton Pemmer
Vice President	Mez Mulvaney
Secretary	Mez Mulvaney
Treasurer	Terry Spencer
Club Service Director	Anton Pemmer
Community Service Director	Bev McKay
International and Foundation Director	Bruce Miller
Youth and Vocational Service Director	Cathy Hobbs

CLUB DETAILS	
Rotary Club of Jerrabomberra Incorporated	
PO Box 8, Jerrabomberra NSW, 2619	
<a href="http://www.jerrarotary.org.au">www.jerrarotary.org.au</a>	
Email: <a href="mailto:secretary@jerrabomberra.rotarnet.com.au">secretary@jerrabomberra.rotarnet.com.au</a>	
Meets	Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 – 8.30pm Jerrabomberra Public School (Staff Room)
Attendance & Apologies	<b>Pam Spencer</b> by 12 Noon Tuesday T: 0418 967 925 <a href="mailto:jerraquilting@gmail.com">jerraquilting@gmail.com</a>
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CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS	
Robert Chilman PHF	Anton Pemmer, PHF, PP, PE
Andrea Close	Paul Robey, PP
Cathy Hobbs PHF	Jan Pettigrew, PHF, PP
Colin Hobbs, PHF, PP	Paul Roger PHF, PP
Chris Hunter, OAM, PHF, PP	Sue Roger PHF
Peter Jarvis, PHF, PP	Pam Spencer, PHF, PP
Sue Jarvis, PHF	Terry Spencer, PHF, PP
Kaz Kaczmarek	David Stevens, PHF, PP
Bev McKay PP	Vicki Still
Bruce Miller	
Liz Mulvaney, PHF, President	
Mez Mulvaney, OAM, PHF, PP	
HONORARY MEMBERS	SUPPORTERS
Alex Alexander, PP	Vera Alexander PHF
	Liz Miller
	David Bailey, PHF, PP
	Glenda Wahlert, PP
	Glenn Wahlert, PHF
	Anne Davis, PHF, PP

## OUR HISTORY

In 1998 the Rotary Clubs of Queanbeyan and Queanbeyan West Rotary decided to sponsor a new Rotary Club based in Jerrabomberra. Bill Lilley, John Snedden and Peter Jarvis from Queanbeyan West took on the joint roll of mentoring the development of the new club. (Peter Jarvis went on to become our Charter President).

Advertising for potential members began in March 1998. After a successful campaign, the Club was chartered on 18 November 1998 with 26 members.

Initial meetings were held at the Jerrabomberra General Store—the venue was very good until we grew in numbers. We then moved to the Jerrabomberra Community Centre for a few years, and we now meet at the Jerrabomberra Public School Staff Room, on Thursdays (6.15 for 6.30 pm).

(Charter) President Peter Jarvis ran competitions to select a name for our Club Newsletter and a design for the Club banner. There were some good and some not so good suggestions. Pam Spencer suggested the winning bulletin name 'Jerraganda' and David Stevens was the successful designer of our club banner. The design incorporated a goose and the windmill associated with the original entrance to the estate adjacent to the Community Centre. Both the Jerraganda and the Club logo have evolved to keep pace with modern times.

We have always been, and continue to be, a vibrant and fun loving club providing valued community service, both locally and internationally. Our motto is,

**“Doing Good and Having Fun”**