



Jerraganda

The Newsletter of Jerrabomberra Rotary
RI District 9710



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Support the Rotary Foundation!

Meeting 917
24th November, 2016

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING!

Thanks to all in attendance.

Meeting opened at 19.10 hrs.

Minutes were read and passed.

President Liz Mulvaney gave her report.

Elections proceeded as follows:

President 2017-2018: Anton Pemmer

President Elect 2018-2019: Robert Chilman

Secretary: Cathy Hobbs

Treasurer: David Stevens

Community Service: Peter Jarvis

Youth: Ian Wholohan

International: Bruce Miller

Club Service: Robert Chilman

AGM close at 20.13 hrs



CHRISTMAS IS COMING! ARE YOU READY?

- Respond to Sue Roger regarding Christmas Party on 10th December.
- Secret Santa pressie – start thinking originality!
- History of Christmas evening with Bernie Rogers on 15th December at our meeting.



Dear Everyone,

The AGM is an important meeting – planning for the future of the club. Thanks for attending!

Continued best wishes to Rose Mulvaney who is now home. Hope you are feeling better, Rose.



***Please repond to Sue Roger about the Xmas Party.**

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
Any reminders or extra news, also just email me
Enjoy,
Chris Hunter
Editor



AN UPDATE ON OUR FIJIAN VISITORS

Hi all,

It is now 5 weeks since Noa and Emile arrived in Australia.

Each day they seem more relaxed and comfortable with their arrangements here and are lovely to have stay with us, albeit being constant and expect they are missing their families.

Emile is conversing more about her needs, is a wonderful help around the house.. we are loving having our washing hung up and brought in, and Robert is even talking of teaching her to iron! I would suggest this is unlikely, as anything that is powered she is very nervous about using – and yet to venture or consider using the washing machine, dishwasher, stove, oven, vacuum or microwave (so your meals are much appreciated).

Noa is filling out, eating very well, as a growing 8 year old does who is very active. Whilst his English is OK, he is very smart for his age, doing word puzzles, maths tasks and writing, so is such a pity he is not in school here as he would just love it as every day he is so keen to learn from us! He fills his day with swimming in our pool, running up and down our deck looking out for Robert to come home and more recently mastering the art of skipping!

Once a week they go to Fijian church, however this is their only catch up with others outside our house and whilst they are well and healthy we are concerned about them getting out more and having some company apart from each other.

Robert and I working full time means we are unable to take them out during the week, and limited on the weekends.

If any members have an hour or two to spare, even if only to visit our home for coffee, or walk with them to the park nearby (at the end of our street) would be appreciated.

Noa is desperate for some kids to play with – he has a room full of toys however he would be happiest kicking a ball with anyone, but most especially other kids.

With another injection tomorrow, we are now waiting to hear on an operation date (the first one) possibly just before Christmas or in the new year, with another in 2017 and some suggestions of their visit being for 6-12 months.

Thank you for your meals and other contributions we have received – they have been much appreciated.

Regards

Pam

(I'll be bringing Noa & Emele to Rotary this Thursday, see you then - Chilly)



Child labour!!!!

My Kitchen Rules?!?

Going for a spin with Pam!



COMING SOON! AND SO IS CHRISTMAS.....

Just wanted to let you know that our speaker for the 15th December has now been confirmed.

It will be PDG Bernie Rogers, and he will be talking about the ***“History of Christmas”***.

As a Pastor of Wattle Park Uniting Church he will bring a story and history worth listening to for sure.

From ancient times to the present day, he has taken the challenge to give his take on the history.



THIS WEEK'S MEETING – WITH PRESIDENT – Liz Mulvaney

GUESTS FOR THIS WEEK: Vera

APOLOGIES THIS WEEK: Kaz, Terry and Pam, Paul Robey (may be late), Welcome back Cathy and Colin.
LOA – David Stevens

CHARGE TO AUSTRALIA: Thanks to Ian Wholohan

TOAST TO ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: Thanks tosorry missed this one!

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:

- District Centenary Dinner – Good night for those who attended. A real success and fantastic speaker in Sister Day
- Fitness trail – Stage 3 – Coming soon! See Paul Roger now as Pres Liz is going away. Thanks, Paul.
- Thanks to Sue Roger who is organising Christmas Party – Pod Food, Pialligo - 10th December – Secret Santa. Cost to \$15! Presidents Cost \$75 for meal – organising a bus to which the Board will donate up to \$500.
- Bad news – via Shane Taylor. Storage container broken into at Oaks Estate. Nothing appears to have been taken. Bruce has dealt with it and has a new lock. Luckily, Peter J. still had the BBQ trailer at his place. Gate is so bad, even a big man – (Like Peter J. – his words!) can get through.
- Board decided to send \$2000 to the NZ earthquake appeal.
- Hall Awards night was impressive - \$45 000 to local apprentices / chefs / tertiary students. An excellent night for all concerned.

MEZ MULVANEY'S SECRETARY'S REPORT:

- (a) NTR

TERRY SPENCER'S TREASURER'S REPORT:

- NTR (a)

CATHY HOBBS'S YOUTH & VOCATIONAL SERVICE REPORT:

- RYLA candidate - lives in Red Hill for Jan, 2017. And now another from Wanniasa.
- Home hosting for NYSF – please check availability.

BRUCE MILLER'S INTERNATIONAL & FOUNDATION REPORT: By Chillyagain!

- Possibility of a Fiji project and combine with Hall. Maybe look at Noa's school and Tuggeranong may also want to support.
- Looking into schooling for Noa at Duffy on a part-time basis. Chris to ring.
- Noa has given blood at the hospital. Getting a testosterone injection – to the specialist on 6th December – maybe surgery this side of Christmas.
- Left over meals to go to Chilly each Thursday night to support Chilly and Pam.
- Enough clothes, books, etc for Noa at present. But need help with outings.

CHRIS HUNTER'S COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORT:

- BBQ for Probus on Wednesday, 21st – are you available. Thanks Jan/Chris for volunteering. Any others?
- Please check availability for the Australia Day BBQ at the Community Centre – 26th January. Thanks Jan, Rogers, Robey and Jarvis – responded so far!
- Christmas Markets on 22nd – Chris, Paul Robey and Jan volunteered.
- Market Xmas Lunch – responded to Paul from Hall for 7 people to attend.

ANTON PEMMER'S CLUB SERVICE REPORT:

- Dragon boats raised \$435 with \$116 costs. Slow but worthwhile – will assess at the end of commitment.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Membership – business cards – see Bruce if needed. Bruce showed a sample.
- Paul Roger reported a possible new member in David Parkinson.
- Noa and Emele at next meeting.

REGULAR HAPPENINGS

SERGEANT'S FINES: Nil tonight as running late.

MEALS: THIS WEEK! Pizza - thanks to Pam for organising – it was delivered.

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

ATTENDANCE: best for a while – 70% (or 100% if Bruce is creatively doing it!!)



Yes - Joker!

Sadly – **NO JOKER! It lives again.**

DON'T FORGET!

Weekly Meeting Reminders – Meeting No. 916

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

- Markets – 26th Nov. Mez, Caitlyn, Lizzie
- Markets – 3rd Dec – Peter, Sue J., Chilly
- ALL banking to Terry, please.
- **A call out from Sue Jarvis Ph. 62998326** or email jarvisps@hotmail.com
WANTED! I have had Sandra Robey and Chris Hunter volunteer to help with Noa and Emele. I would like to make a bit of a roster if possible. Making meals, outings and hospital visits (when that happens). Can you help? Please contact Sue.
- Still H/W: Think of some potential members for our list

***** MEETING –20.15 HRS **



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

**** PLEASE NOTE – THIS IS THE LATEST ROSTER – DELETE ALL OTHERS!**

FARMER'S MARKETS ROSTER				DRAGON BOATS ROSTER		
19/11/16	Kaz	Bruce	Paul Roger	Anton	Jan	Peter J.
26/11/16	Mez	Caitlyn	Lizzie			
3/12/16	Peter	Sue J.	Chilly			
10/12/16	Paul Roger	Sue R.	David Stevens	Anton	Chris	Lizzie
17/12/16	Paul Roger	Sue R.	Jan			
22/12/16	Chris	Paul Robey	Jan	⬅ N.B. Tuesday – Afternoon Market		
MARKETS CLOSED UNTIL 14/1/17						
14/1/17	Cathy	Colin	Terry			
21/1/17	Peter	Sue J.	Bruce	Anton	Terry	Pam S.
28/1/17	Paul Robey	Chilly	David			

* 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.

Dragon Boat Regatta Roster

As at 9/11/16

Event Date	Cook	Server	Cashier
19/11/2016	Anton	Peter Jarvis	Jan
6.15am - 2pm			
10/12/2016	Anton	Chris Hunter	President Liz
6.15am - 2pm			
21/01/2017	Anton	Pam Spencer	Terry Spencer
6.15am - 2pm			
4/02/2017	Anton	Peter Jarvis	Sue Jarvis
6.15am - 2pm			
4/03/2017	Anton	Bruce Miller	
6.15am - 2pm			
18/03/2017	Anton	President Liz	
6.15am - 4pm			

19/03/2017	Anton	Chris Hunter	Mez
6.15am - 4pm			
1/04/2017	Anton	President Liz	
6.15am - 2pm			



The 3 musketeers and the inevitable Mary-rose “selfie”! Well done, girls!

NOTE: Last Saturday market is on 17th Dec with an afternoon market on 22 December. There is then a break until January 14th! 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



This week's report by Mez

Marketeers were Mez, Dizzy and Caitlin.

This week was girl power with Caitlin completing her first market duty and by all counts had a great time and thoroughly enjoyed herself.

The weather was glorious in the sun, a bit of a cool breeze picked up but all in all it was a lovely day. The strawberry guy was moved outside which caused absolute pandemonium amongst market goers. No Christmas Hampers this year as the lady who usually does it is expecting a baby very soon and felt it was a bit too much. They will be back next year.

A shopper came and advised a child, approximately 7 years old, had been left in the car alone. She said the child was stressing out. When I asked her what he was doing, she said he was looking around. I made an announcement and the owner of the car came to the desk and advised that he was fine and had refused to get out of the car and was playing on his iPad. I advised the car owner that it was a duty of care issue as a shopper had made a complaint and if something had happened and we hadn't done anything we would be negligent. She was very nice and understood the reason for the announcement.

Unlike a shopper who parked illegally and when told he couldn't park there, told Lizzie to call the Police. Liz said, 'No worries' and pretended to take a photo of his licence plate. He got a little agitated and told Liz that she couldn't do that and Liz responded that he couldn't park where he did. Nonetheless, he left his car there and on his return was very smug with Liz.

Tommy was lost.... A really nice man appeared in front of the table with a young boy on his shoulders and asked if this was where you bring lost kids. I looked a little confused to start with and he explained he had Tommy up high so he could look for his mum. I made an announcement and a very relieved mum, Michelle, was there in flash.

There will be no more Xmas cakes at the markets!

A purple Samsung phone was found in the carpark and handed in. Not two minutes later another Samsung phone was left at one of the Stalls and handed in... a fear of blowing up?

Both phones claimed... thank goodness.

Sold a recipe book... woo hoo!!

An iPhone was handed in with money in it and claimed. The owner was so relieved she asked who had handed it in as she wanted to thank them. It was Rosa from one of the stalls and the owner tried to give her money. Rosa wouldn't take it so she came back and asked Ninka to take 30.00 off her fee next week.

Having just discussed with Ninka that I hadn't had an ATM query and felt ripped off that I wouldn't be noting it in the report, a woman came and asked where the ATM was. Ninka cracked up!

A lady lost her wallet but sadly it wasn't handed in.

A black Aldi bag was also lost with a phone and glasses in it. If found pls ring Jiri on 0435630452

Inventory:

- There are no boxes of green bags. Only approx. 6 green bags in the cooler bag box.
- There is now 1 ½ boxes of cooler bags left
- There is 20 bottles of water
- There are plenty of Tally sheets.

Equipment

- The zip ties for the white flags at the back gate are not big enough. Need larger zip ties.
- The bum bag used for collecting table money is broken. If you are super slim like Caitlin you can tie it around your waist!

26 th November 2016	Mez, Liz & Caitlyn	Tables \$55	Bags \$46	Water \$8	Books \$20	Cooler Bags \$10	Donations \$0	Total \$139	Lucky you had fun!!
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Jerra Rotary

When: Saturday 10th December

Time: 7pm onwards

Where: Pod Food, Pialligo

Cost: Around \$70 for a 3 course meal

Bus extra TBA

Dress: Christmas Cheery!!

RSVP By the 24th November please!

Sue Roger

sueroger88@gmail.com

🎵 A 43 bottle to drink on the bus... 🎵



**** Please respond to Sue Roger for this event!**

Program

If anyone has program information, please email Chris – chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au

Meetings		Social & Special Events	
Date	Description	Date	Description
24/11/16	AGM – special meeting.	13 th November	Station 3 Fitness Track – Pres. Liz
1/12/16	Meeting	10 th December	Christmas Party – Pod Food at Pialligo
8 th Dec	NO MEETING due to Xmas Party on 10th Dec	15 th December	History of Christmas with Bernie Rogers
15 th Dec	Meeting at school – last for the 2016 year! History of Christmas with Bernie Rogers	21 st December	Probus BBQ at Jerra Community centre
12/1/17	FIRST Meeting of 2017 - TBA	AUSTRALIA DAY BBQ	Thursday, 26 th Jan in Jerra
8 th & 22 nd January	Home Hosting for NYSF, please. Save the dates.	Board Meeting	Wednesday, 7 th Feb at school 7 pm
19/1/17		ANZAC Day Dawn Breakfast	Tuesday, 25 th April – early!
26/1/17	NO MEETING – Australia Day Breakfast instead	Wednesday, 24 th March, 2017	Membership Night at the Community Centre.
2/2/17			
9/2/17			

* 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	Chris Hunter
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	
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Email: secretary@jerrabomberra.rotarnet.com.au	
Meets	Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 – 8.30pm Jerrabomberra Public School (Staff Room)
Attendance & Apologies	Pam Spencer by 12 Noon Tuesday T: 0418 967 925 jerraquilting@gmail.com
Newsletter	Chris Hunter
Contributions	T: 0418 646 317 E: chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au

CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS	
Robert Chilman PHF	Anton Pemmer, PHF, PP, PE
Cathy Hobbs PHF	Paul Robey, PP
Colin Hobbs, PHF, PP	Jan Pettigrew, PHF, PP
Chris Hunter, OAM, PHF, PP	Paul Roger PHF, PP
Peter Jarvis, PHF, PP	Sue Roger PHF
Sue Jarvis, PHF	Pam Spencer, PHF, PP
Kaz Kaczmarek	Terry Spencer, PHF, PP
Bruce Miller	David Stevens, PHF, PP
Liz Mulvaney, PHF, President	Ian Wholohan
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
	Vicki Still
	Carolyn Bradley

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”