



Jerraganda

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WELCOME TO JERRA ROTARY!

THIS WEEK – A SPECIAL SPEAKER..... **COME AND ENJOY! GUARANTEED INTERESTING!**

Marg Wade has a passion for Canberra and has written two very successful editions of *Canberra's Secrets* in 1999 and 2003 — a great guide book that highlights a local's perspective of Canberra and what makes it tick. Marg particularly seeks out the things that are behind the scenes and different — the 'secrets'. A third edition is on its way, due for publication in 2017.

For many years Marg has been taking visiting family, friends and international colleagues around Canberra, showing them the things she loves.

Marg has worked in media and communications roles within Canberra's cultural attractions and environment sector, researching and promoting Canberra on radio, television and in print.

So now it's time to share all that with you as Marg launches
Canberra Secrets Tours.

Follow Marg on: [instagram.com/canberras_secrets](https://www.instagram.com/canberras_secrets)
[facebook.com/canberrasecrets](https://www.facebook.com/canberrasecrets)

- Look out for the 2017 edition of 'Canberra Secrets'
#canberrasecrets

Marg has graciously agreed to come along and let us know some of the hidden secrets and stories in and around Canberra, some of the things you thought you knew about our capital might be very different from the reality.

We also have one of our members David Parkinson giving us an insight into his life with a five minute me talk.

If you would like to come along for a great night with Marg Wade, then lock it into your calendar Thursday 6th April 6.15pm for 6.30pm.

Please e-mail or call David Stevens if you are an apology or would like to bring a guest along for this meeting let David know by 7pm 4/4/17.



Dear Everyone,

Special General Meeting to pass the books was held and all was passed – thanks to Mary-rose and Paul Roger for their persistance. And now for the next twelve months.....

There is a very interesting guest speaker this coming week! If you listen to 105.3 radio in the mornings from 7.30 – 8 am, you wil have heard our speaker in a feature segment. I have! Trust me, you will enjoy this. So..... please make sure that you come and if bringing a friend, inform David Stevens by Tuesday night. We will see!

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

JUNIORS ON WATCH RECIPIENT WITH PRES. LIZ AND THE ROTARY LITERACY AWARD WINNER FOR THE FIRST TERM OF 2017.

Well done to the boys!



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

Please click on this link for a special video invitation to you and all your members to join us at the Kingsford Smith School in Holt, ACT, for the 2017 Rotary District 9710 Assembly.

<https://youtu.be/CgtY4bWwSvA>

Please don't think of the Assembly as just another training day, think of it as a chance to really show your newer members what Rotary is all about on the wider national and international stage, and take the opportunity to get to know your members a little better outside the parameters of the usual weekly club meeting.

Our special guest this year is the Rotary International President Elect Ian Riseley, whose presence will be worth the price of admission alone. It's not often we get an Australian taking up the Presidency of Rotary International, so why not come along and get to know him. He may well be from Victoria, but he's still a really good bloke!

You can book now by going to the district website (just google D9710 or go to www.rotaryd9710.org.au or better still, [just click here](#))

GUESTS FOR THIS WEEK: John Askew

APOLOGIES THIS WEEK: Carolyn, Bruce, Eric, Cathy, Colin, Veena, Ian

CHARGE TO AUSTRALIA: Thanks to Kaz

TOAST TO ROTARY INTERNATIONAL: Thanks to Annette

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:

- MS Mega Swim coming – 6-7th May. Have also emailed Paul Tyrell at Hall to ask for help at the markets on this day.
- Inaugural Information Night went well. Thanks to all. (*Editor's Note: The president wore a dress!*)
- 1st May – Peace Fellowship Dinner – see details in this newsletter
- Moved to the Special General Meeting – the audited books for 2015-2016 were presented and passed by the meeting. Moved by Mary-Rose and seconded by Rob Chillman. Carried.

MEZ MULVANEY'S SECRETARY'S REPORT:

- (a) NTR

PAUL ROGER'S TREASURER'S REPORT:

- \$240 in the Joker kitty.
- Please claim all dockets/reimbursements ASAP
- \$7000 in Futures A/C, Admin/Projects A/C has \$35 000

CATHY HOBBS'S YOUTH & VOCATIONAL SERVICE REPORT:

- Juniors on Watch at the school on Friday, 31st March at 1.40 pm

CHILLY'S INTERNATIONAL & FOUNDATION REPORT:

- Noah will return in last week in June and his next operation is on 15th July.
- Investigating cyclone-proof buildings – contacting Dell Johnson in NZ – Geoff Amos in Fiji for the appropriate standards – just to get information.

CHRIS HUNTER'S COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORT:

- Please check your calendars for the MS Swim 6 – 7th May. Put your name on the Roster, please. Remember to do volunteers registration on-line.
- Anzac Day – 25th April. Thanks to the many helpers. TBC.

ANTON PEMMER'S CLUB SERVICE REPORT:

- Last weekend for the dragon boats – Anton, Paul Robey and David S. Thanks.
- Green bags to go out to the markets.
- Membership evening next Wednesday at the Community Centre – ran smoothly.
- Spoke of new ways to engage new members into the club straight away.
- 29/30th April – District Assembly – try to make it. Two half days – dinner \$40 – lunch.

GENERAL BUSINESS

- Sue J. presented a flyer for a trailer company in Bowral. Club members agreed to get it done! Peter J. – Please put name on the MS swim-a-thon roster.
- Orders for aprons, shirts, clothing to come out. Please watch for it.
- Paul Roger gave everyone a car sticker to advertise Rotary. It was FREE so take and put to good use.

CLUB FORUM:

- Chilly commented that the food had been great!
- Paul Robey suggested returning to the format of a restaurant meal perhaps with another club on a 4th Thursday and this was a popular thought for the club members.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

Pres. Liz has given up smoking! Mez and Paul Roger are prepared to donate \$1 a day to go to the Rotary Foundation if Liz can go 6 months and abstain from smoking.

Can she do it? YES, she can! Other members are welcome to donate to a good cause – that is, Liz's health and Rotary Foundation!

REGULAR HAPPENINGS

SERGEANT'S FINES: Anton had another great quiz and sergeant's fines session.

MEALS: THIS WEEK! Pizza this week!!!

Please remember that David Stevens is our new meals person.
Contact David with apologies and attendance matters regarding meals, especially when you have guests.



Members can **contact David** on any of the following:

Phone: 62998124

Mobile: 0413519894

Or e-mail: davidstevens002@gmail.com

ATTENDANCE:

A real 68.2% !



Yes – we had tonight – solicited \$28 for the kitty.
Six of hearts drawn by Peter but alas, NO LUCK!

DON'T FORGET!

Weekly Meeting Reminders – Meeting No. 936

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

- ALL banking to Paul Roger, please.
- Markets 1 April – David P., Veena and Mez
- Markets 8th April – Peter, Sue J and Anton
- Dragon boats 1 April – lucky last – Anton, David S., Paul Robey

***** Meeting Closed – 20.17 pm *****



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

**** VERY IMPORTANT!! NOTE – THIS IS A NEWEST ROSTER – DELETE ALL OTHERS!**
LOTS OF CHANGES – PLEASE CHECK!

FARMER'S MARKETS ROSTER			
8/4/17	Peter	Sue J.	Anton
15/4/17	NO MARKETS – FOLK FESTIVAL		
22/4/17	Paul Roger	Sue R.	Annette
29/4/17	Erik	Ian	Veena
6/5/17	Sue Roger	Paul Roger	Jan
13/5/17	Peter	Sue J.	Anton
20/5/17	David S.	Bruce	Annette
27/5/17	Cathy	Colin	Ian
3/6/17	Mez	Liz	Kaz
10/6/17	Paul Robey	Chris	Dave P.
17/6/17	Cathy	Colin	Anton
24/6/17	Chilly	Jan	Liz





Here is the market report for 1/4/17

Marketeers were Mez, Veena and Dave P. (who filled in for Chris – Thanks, Dave – much appreciated.)

Chilly start to the day when Mez picked up Veena for the markets. On entering the car part, there were no lights at all and Mez fessed up to Veena that she was night blind. Veena thanked me very much for telling her and between the two of us we managed to locate the entrance to the carpark. The Micra's story doesn't end there. I asked if Dave P could get the box of bags from my car. On his return, I asked Dave if he had any trouble finding my car to which he advised none whatsoever but he moved very quickly for fear of one of his mates having a dig at him about his new car!

Dave has truly settled into the markets. When Veena and I arrived at 6.45, Dave had already set up the Gazebo and table. I am going to check the roster to make sure I am always rostered on with Dave!

We had a lot of queries and very sad faces for Tall Pauls mushrooms and Laurel's Blueberries. A few people were a little peeved that Laurel had sold out of the Blueberries, packed up and left by just after 7am and couldn't believe arriving after 8am was too late! So that was the last week for the Blueberry lady until next season.

We still had a few queries for the ATM and I caught out a couple of people advised them that we had hidden the ATM and the shoppers had to try and find where it was. Amazing that a few people didn't cotton on and I had to advise them "April fools".

Lots of queries regards about the markets over Easter. No markets on 15 Apr as also the Folk Festival.

We had a couple of lost children delivered to the info table. Dave P was on duty both times and told the little ones that they had to wait for Mez to come back as she would 'fix' it! All good and children claimed; though when I asked Tim, about 9 years old, what his Dad's name was, looked at me like I was some kind of idiot.... Dad of course!

A phone and wallet handed in and claimed. And a good time was had by all....

Inventory:
 Green bags all good.
 Cooler bags good.
 Plenty of water.
 There are plenty of Tally sheets

Equipment
 Table is in a sad state of disrepair. Pending spare parts arriving, please treat the table with care and try and be gentle with it....

Inventory:
 Green bags – to go out
 Water – plenty.

Equipment
 The table needs repair or replacement.

1 April, 2017	Sue & Paul Roger & Jan	Tables \$40	Bags \$66	Water \$14	Books \$0	Cooler Bags \$0	Donations \$0	Total \$120	Slow day!!!!
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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

Program

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

Meetings		Social & Special Events	
Date	Description	Date	Description
30/3/17	SGM – at school plus Club Forum	ANZAC Day Dawn Breakfast	Tuesday, 25 th April – early!
6 th April	Guest speaker at school – Marg Wade	MS Mega Swim	AIS on 6 th & 7 th May – CLAIM THE DATE!
13 th April			
21 st April			
28 th April			

** 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	Paul Roger
Club Service Director	Anton Pemmer
Community Service Director	Chris Hunter
International and Foundation Director	Robert Chilman
Youth and Vocational Service Director	Cathy Hobbs

CLUB DETAILS	
Rotary Club of Jerrabomberra Incorporated	
PO Box 8, Jerrabomberra NSW, 2619	
www.jerrarotary.org.au	
Email:	
Meets	Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 – 8.30pm Jerrabomberra Public School (Staff Room)
Attendance & Apologies	David Stevens by 12 Noon Tuesday T: Phone: 62998124 Mobile: 0413519894 davidstevens002@gmail.com
Newsletter Contributions	Chris Hunter T: 0418 646 317 E: chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au

CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS	
Carolyn Bradley	Liz Mulvaney, PHF, President
Robert Chilman PHF	Mez Mulvaney, OAM, PHF, PP
Erik Hallberg	David Parkinson
Cathy Hobbs PHF	Anton Pemmer, PHF, PP, PE
Colin Hobbs, PHF, PP	Paul Robey, PP
Chris Hunter, OAM, PHF, PP	Jan Pettigrew, PHF, PP
Peter Jarvis, PHF, PP	Veena Rampal
Sue Jarvis, PHF	Paul Roger PHF, PP
Kaz Kaczmarek	Sue Roger PHF
Bruce Miller	David Stevens, PHF, PP
Annette McLoughlan	Ian Wholohan
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

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”