

Jerraganda

The Newsletter of Jerrabomberra Rotary
RI District 9710



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MERRY CHRISTMAS, EVERYONE!

Meeting 873 12th December 2015

Weekly Headlines

IT'S OUR CHRISTMAS PARTY!

Did we enjoy it? YES, we did!















No meeting this week as we had a Dinner Meeting for our Christmas Shindig. All who attended were definitely in the Christmas spirit! Lots of Chrissie hats and even more Christmas cheers!

Some members had been out the night before to the RWAF event so this will be a very l-o-n-g weekend for them and may take more than 1 or 2 good sleeps to mend the old brain and recharge the batteries!!

All good fun was had by all and a big thanks to David "Even" Stevens who had the heartache of arranging the event – several times over...... what a trooper!! Thanks, David. Relax – it is now over!

PLEASE.

Don't forget! Would love market reports to be sent to me by the Sunday afternoon so that I can complete the Jerraganda in a timely fashion. 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 a reminder to include them. All inclusions welcomed!
Enjoy,
Chris Hunter
Editor



spreading Xmas cheer!

AND A GOOD TIME WAS HAD BY ALL!! LOTS OF FUN, LAUGHTER AND CHRISTMAS CHEER! **MERRY CHRISTMAS, EVERYONE!**



Glenda loved her electric drill! Glen loved it even more!



Sandra wasn't sure about her book on Hairy Hunks!



BUT.....Pres. Mez drooled over Sandra's book before Sandra even had a look! Sorry, Sandra!



Ho! Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas!

GREAT NEWS!

The Rotary Foundation is ranked in the Top 10 charities in the world. The scores — ranked on a scale of 1 to 100 — are based on financial health, accountability and the transparency of reporting. TRF is ranked at Number 5 in the world.

Please click on the link below. Please use this information when seeking contributions and take great pride in what it says.

 $\underline{\text{http://www.cnbc.com/2015/12/01/the-top-10-charities-changing-the-world-in-2015.html?slide=7}$

It seems that Foundation giving has been taking a back seat in our District as can be seen from the latest Foundation Newsletter, we are somewhat behind on our previous year's giving, with a gap of 8.4% on the Annual Fund giving and 59.3% behind on our contributions to Polio. Remember 50% of what we give to the Annual Fund comes back to us in 3 years' time by way of District Grants as well as Global Grant funds and that enables us to engage in matches for Global Grants thus accessing more Rotary Foundation Funds. I am sure that you all realise the importance of our continued effort to support the Polio campaign so that we can get the job done, not forgetting of course that for every dollar you raise it is matched by a further \$2.00 by the Bill and Belinda Gates Foundation.

Following on from the great story on CNBC, regarding Charities that are changing the world, The Rotary Foundation is delivering and we need to ensure that it continues.

Kind regards
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Governor 2010-11 RI District 9710
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THIS WEEK'S MEETING

** No meeting in lieu of our Christmas Party for the club!

REPORTS FOR THIS WEEK: NIL!!

OUR NEW VISION STATEMENT FOR DISCUSSION -

"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."

GENERAL BUSINESS

Lots of discussion and frivolity – and all very general!! Absolutely no business!

REGULAR HAPPENINGS

SERGEANT'S FINES: No – none of these either!! But wait until next week then the stories will come out!

MEALS: THIS WEEK! Food from Lake George Winery was great! Nice wines, too!

Don't forget that the new person to notify about meals is Bev. 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!

T: 0407 537 233 E: <u>bevmac14@ozemail.com.au</u>

ATTENDANCE: Lots of happy Rotarians at the party! Probably our best attendance for a while!



Weekly Meeting Reminders - Meeting No. 873

• Markets - Don't forget - be on time!

***** Party closed at 10.30 pm and the bus went home! ******



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



This week's report: By Peter

Bruce, Sue and Peter were the Marketeers!

Bruce showed us the fastest route to the markets is along Majura Drive until the A community project of The Rotary Club of Hall Highway, turn left and you're nearly there.

A busy day at the markets. Our Rotary Stall kept busy by questions whether certain stalls were in attendance, the dates the Markets would be available in 2015 and when they would start again in 2016.

We had one lost 9 year old boy who was greatly relieved to see his Mum turn up 30 minutes after we broadcast his details over the loudspeaker.

One wallet was handed in and reclaimed about 45 minutes after our announcement.

Two lots of cash handed in to us being found at the ATM's. No one claimed the \$40 or the \$50 so we directed these amounts to donations.

Lots of Xmas trees were sold and carted out to cars and utes.

Many, many questions about a Homewares Exhibition at EPIC and how to find it. We didn't have a clue.

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

Market Roster		
Date	Members	
12 th Dec	Peter & Sue Jarvis, Bruce Miller	
19 th Dec Paul & Sue Roger, Chris Hunter.		
22 Dec	Paul & Sue Roger, Bruce Miller, Mez and Liz	
9 Jan, 16	Jan Pettigrew, Paul Robey, ??	
If able to attend, Market Stallholders Party in the German Shepherd building		
across the paddock. 12 noon.		
CHRISTMAS BREAK		
Markets resume on Sat., 9 th January, 2016		

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.

THIS IS THE LATEST MARKET ROSTER - PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALENDAR AND CONTACT BRUCE IF UNABLE TO DO YOUR DUTY! PLEASE......

19/12/2015	Paul Roger	Sue Roger	Chris Hunter	
19/12/2013				
22/12/2015	Twilight Market Tuesday 22 December from 2 - 6 PM			
	Paul Roger	Sue Roger	Bruce Miller	
26/12/2015				
2/01/2016		Markets Closed		
9/01/2016				
16/01/2016	Cathy Hobbs	Colin Hobbs	Vicki	
23/01/2016	Liz Miller	Bruce Miller	Carolyn	
30/01/2016	Tamara Arnold	Bev McKay	Anton Pemmer	
6/02/2016	Sue Jarvis	Peter Jarvis	Bruce Miller	
13/02/2016	Glenn	Glenda	Chris Hunter	
20/02/2016	Paul Roger	Sue Roger	David Stevens	
27/02/2016	Mary-Rose Mulvaney	Liz Mulvaney	Carolyn	
5/03/2016	Peter Jarvis	Sue Jarvis	Bruce Miller	
12/03/2016	Paul Roger	Sue Roger	Chris Hunter	
19/03/2016	Jan Pettigrew	Anton Pemmer	David Stevens	
26/03/2016	Tamara Arnold	Bev McKay	Paul Robey	
2/04/2016	Cathy Hobbs	Colin Hobbs	Vicki	
4/03/2016	Mary-Rose Mulvaney	Liz Mulvaney	Carolyn	
9/04/2016	Bruce Miller	Peter Jarvis	Sue Jarvis	
16/04/2016	Chris Hunter	Paul Roger	Sue Roger	
23/04/2016	David Stevens	Jan Pettigrew	Robert Chilman	
3/04/2016	Paul Robey	Tamara Arnold	Anton Pemmer	
7/05/2016	Glenn	Glenda	Bev McKay	
14/05/2016	Carolyn	Cathy Hobbs	Colin Hobbs	
14/05/2016	Robert Chilman	Mary-Rose Mulvaney	Liz Mulvaney	
21/05/2016	Sue Jarvis	Peter Jarvis	Bruce Miller	
28/05/2016	Sue Roger	Paul Roger	Chris Hunter	
4/06/2016	Anton Pemmer	Robert Chilman	Jan Pettigrew	
11/06/2016	Bev McKay	Paul Robey	Tamara Arnold	
18/06/2016	Colin Hobbs	Cathy Hobbs	Vicki	
25/06/2016	Liz Mulvaney	Mary-Rose Mulvaney	Carolyn	

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Program

Meetings - Events		Social & Special Events	
Date	Description	Date	Description (Contact)
10 Dec 15	No meeting (Xmas Party in lieu)	11 Dec 15	RWAF Dinner
12 Dec 15	Xmas Party	12 Dec 15	Xmas Party @ Lake George Winery & bus
15 Dec 15	Juniors on Watch @ school	19 Dec 15	Stall Holders Luncheon
16 Dec 15	Probus Xmas Lunch	19 Dec 15	The Haunted Penitentiary
17 Dec 15	17 Dec 15 Final Meeting for the year (venue TBC- pub?)		NYSF Dinners
7 Jan 16	First Meeting for 2016 (venue TBC)	10 and 24 Jan	NYSF Home Hosting
14 Jan 16	Meeting - Committees	14 Jan 16	First meeting (venue TBC)
<u>N.B.</u> Wed. 20 Jan 16	Nara Park BBQ with Hall RC (Anton)	26 Jan 16	Australia Day BBQ

* Compiled from information provided by the Program Person

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT - 2015-2016		
President	Mez Mulvaney	
President Elect	Liz Mulvaney	
Vice President	Paul Robey	
Secretary	Liz Mulvaney	
Treasurer	Carolyn Hackett	
Club Service Director	David Stevens	
Community Service Director	Bruce Miller	
International and Foundation Director	Robert Chilman	
Youth and Vocational Service Director	Sue Roger	

CLUB DETAILS		
Rotary Club of Jerrabomberra Incorporated		
PO Box 8, Jerrabomberra NSW, 2619		
www.jerrarotary.org.au		
Email: secretary@jerrabomberra.rotarnet.com.au		
Meets	Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 – 8.30pm	
	Jerrabomberra Public School (Staff Room)	
Attendance &	Bev McKay by 12 Noon Tuesday	
Apologies	T: 0407 537 233 E: <u>bevmac14@ozemail.com.au</u>	
Newsletter	Chris Hunter	
Contributions	T: 0418 646 317 E: chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au	

CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS			
David Bailey, PHF, PP	Paul Robey, PP		
Robert Chilman	Jan Pettigrew, PHF, PP		
Cathy Hobbs	Paul Roger PHF, PP		
Carolyn Hackett	Sue Roger		
Colin Hobbs, PHF, PP	Pam Spencer, PHF, PP		
Chris Hunter, OAM, PHF, PP	Terry Spencer, PHF, PP		
Peter Jarvis, PHF, PP	David Stevens, PHF, PP		
Sue Jarvis, PHF	Vicki Still		
Bev McKay	Glenda Wahlert, PP		
Bruce Miller	Glenn Wahlert, PHF		
Liz Mulvaney, PHF, PE	Jon Wells		
Mez Mulvaney, OAM, PHF, President	Ian Wholohan		
Anton Pemmer, PHF, PP			
HONORARY MEMBERS	SUPPORTERS		
Alex Alexander, PP	Vera Alexander		
Anne Davis, PHF, PP	Liz Miller		

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"