



# Jerraganda

The Newsletter of Jerrabomberra Rotary  
RI District 9710



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Hannah's Happy Happening.....

Meeting 850  
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## Weekly Headlines

### HANNAH'S LAST DAYS!



Hannah with a baby wombat! A big one on her list!

Hannah with her gifts from the club – a beautiful opal pendant and the roo sign she so wanted!  
Hannah flies home on the 15<sup>th</sup> July. She leaves on the bus at 12 noon. If you wish to wave her off, be at the Jolimont Centre in Civic at 11.30 am on Wednesday morning.  
We will miss you, Hannah!



Well, what a fun night was had by all in attendance as the club farewelled the lovely Hannah. There were tears and thank yous to all the club and Hannah spoke very well and with great confidence. A far cry from the shy, young German lass who came our way 12 months ago!

She has wiped the slate clean of her bucket list – achieving everything on it with the help of her host families and club members. Hannah, we wish you safe travel as you return home to family and friends. Don't forget us and return soon! Boomerang back to us!

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](mailto: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

## THIS WEEK'S MEETING



After this week, I think we should all know who they are! Last time in!  
Jon, Bruce, Chilly, Mez, Lizzie, Sue R., David & Paul

### GUESTS FOR THIS WEEK:

Freda and baby, Fitz (from the Solomon Islands), Sandra Robey, Rosemary, Olivia, Laura and Liam (all from the Pemmer family), Liz Miller (as always – very welcome!), Vera and Alex

### APOLOGIES THIS WEEK:

Chilly – (not late after all) & Carolyn. 33 people in attendance! Well done!

## REPORTS FOR THIS WEEK:

### MEZ'S PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Club Visioning – 8<sup>th</sup> August @ 12.30 pm – Lunch – afternoon tea – working through till 5 pm. Please try to be there. **PLEASE, reply to Pres. Mez and let her know.**
- Paul Roger interrupted the President's report complaining he was hot! He then proceeded to take off his coat and not so subtly reveal a Queensland footy jumper!!!!????!! That's a fine!
- RLI (Rotary Learning Initiative) here at Jerra on 9<sup>th</sup> Aug / 13<sup>th</sup> Sept / 11<sup>th</sup> Oct – let M-R know if interested. See add later in newsletter.
- Board meeting minutes to come out but one important decision. Board decided to appoint an Assistant Treasurer – Carolyn Hackett has decided she can help. This is to help and support the treasurer with the banking and to learn the ropes for the future. **PLEASE NOTE:** All monies are now to be passed to Carolyn and she will do all banking. This will cut down on any confusion.

### LIZZIE'S SECRETARY'S REPORT:

- Rotarian Magazine to pass around.
- Queanbeyan Special Needs – thank you for our support

### JON'S TREASURER'S REPORT:

(a) See reference in President's Report to decisions made by Board.

### SUE ROGER'S YOUTH & VOCATIONAL SERVICE REPORT:

- Hannah's last meeting. Farewell tonight. Leaving on a bus on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> from the Jolimont Centre at 12 noon. Be there at 11.30 am if you want to wave her off – or carry her bags....lots of them!

### CHILLY'S INTERNATIONAL & FOUNDATION REPORT:

(a) NTR

### DAVID'S CLUB SERVICE REPORT:

- Meet and Greet Roster – see following in this newsletter.
- Meals from the Jerra Store to go up 50c – decided to give them another try. Meals now \$14.
- Meeting on 21<sup>st</sup> July will be a Mystery Night. Will you be ready for it?

- Meetings: Week 1 – Business  
Week 2 – Committees  
Week 3 – Guest speaker  
Week 4 – Mystery Night / vocational visit / dinner out, etc  
Week 5 – Club Forum
- Please see the Meet & Greet Roster as discussed below:

MEET & GREET/ SPEAKER RESPONSE	
DATE	NAME
16 Jul	David Bailey
23 Jul	Robert Chilman
31 Jul	Cathy Hobbs
6 Aug	Peter Jarvis
13 Aug	Bev McKay
20 Aug	Anton Pemmer
27 Aug	Paul Robey
3 Sep	Sue Roger
10 Sep	Terry Spencer
17 Sep	Ian Wholohan
24 Sep	Carolyn Bradley

If you will be absent, please arrange a replacement and advise David Stevens.

#### **BRUCE'S COMMUNITY SERVICE REPORT:**

- Fun Run coming up and will need support – looking for help with marketing. At this stage, the dates set aside are 14/15<sup>th</sup> November – either of these dates. Try to keep clear.
- Bruce is looking for a committee to help for a Haunted House Theme Night on Oct 31<sup>st</sup>. If you can help, phone Bruce on 0498 270 399 (for a good time!) or email him on [bruce.miller.11@gmail.com](mailto:bruce.miller.11@gmail.com)

#### **A BIG WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST CLUB MEMBER:**

Vicki Still, with her charges accompanying her, came to our meeting this week. Baby Fitz was very well behaved and seemed to enjoy his outing. Only one club member made him cry – guess who? Lizzie, of course! And she seemed proud of her efforts - true to form. The good news from Vicki:

*We just had the appointment with Prof Croaker and it is great news. The tumour is benign, not cancerous - yeah!*

*The wound is still open a little at the top so we have to push a special dressing into it for a week or so but Freda has kept it really clean so it isn't infected or weeping. Prof Croaker is really happy and thinks everything looks good.*

*Fitz is sleeping better and feeding well and has put on a little weight so everything is going well.*

She looks so proud and we thank you, Vicki, for all your hard work!



WHERE IS HANNAH? DEFINITELY ALL HANNAH'S WEEK THIS TIME!

Hannah is still busy packing and tonight she received two items to squeeze in – her lovely opal pendant and a special sign.



This week Hannah saw and held – a baby wombat. The night drives were of no use as no big wombats have been sighted! She also saw a platypus in the Queanbeyan River – at exactly 4 pm – this platypus can tell the time! And as a bonus, a water rat! Well done, Hannah! Great spotting! You have seen more than most Aussies!



Tonight we shared some of Hannah's favourites – prawns and 7-layer slice (thanks to Liz Miller)



Hannah loves her opal!



Fitz is smiling at Hannah!

**COMPETITION:** Look at Glenn in the background of Hannah and Fitz. What is he thinking or saying??

Email to Chris [chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:chris.hunter@det.nsw.edu.au)

## GENERAL BUSINESS

- Anton informed the club that a Rotarian – ex-ambassador to Australia – was keen to assist with the Tonga Project in some way. Will pass on details to Chilly.
- Paul Roger inquired if anyone knew what the score was in the Qld v NSW football game? No one answered his query. I wonder why?

## REGULAR HAPPENINGS

### **SERGEANT'S FINES:**

Fines elicited by Peter Jarvis this week – Peter assumed his alter-ego – Principal Jarvis – resplendent in bow tie and jacket.

He proceeded to fine all the naughty Rotarians in a most entertaining way and even threatened to can – or feather duster – some of the recalcitrant – which I gathered some of them would have quite enjoyed!!!



### **MEALS: Prawns, Chinese finger food and soup and rolls! Enjoyed by all!**

Thanks, Rosemary for the sausage rolls! Also enjoyed.

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: [bevmac14@ozemail.com.au](mailto:bevmac14@ozemail.com.au)

### **ATTENDANCE:**

79 % for this evening – you will have to do better than that, Bev!!  
A nice port and some Baileys on the President due to Hannah's farewell!



Joke delivered by Chris. The moral was – “That you don't have to drink or smoke to have a good time!”

Pam Spencer invited Hannah to draw a ticket – David Stevens was the winner, again. Keep trying, everyone!

**\*\*\*\*\* MEETING CLOSED AT 9 PM – lots of fellowship and farewells!**



Hannah and her  
Rotary parents  
for her stay in Oz!

Glad you had a  
great time,  
Hannah!



Sergeant – Principal Peter @ work



Who is at the sink? Well done!



Many fond farewells were said.

If interested in RLI – see below and let President Mary-Rose know as well.



Like to meet Rotarians from other clubs  
to learn how they operate?

### **Rotary Learning Initiative**

The Rotary Learning Initiative (RLI) is a series of fast paced, interactive, (three one-day) courses offered to refine a Rotarian's leadership skills and increase their base knowledge of Rotary.

Courses are fun, topical, interactive and geared to busy business people and professionals who would like to be more dynamic as leaders and members of their vocation and club.

The sessions provide a better understanding of Rotary and its programmes, thus developing more effective Rotarians.

For more information contact D9710 RLI coordinator

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**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)



A community project of The Rotary Club of Hall

**Last week's report comes from Carolyn** – this week's report from

..... Thank you both for being on time with reports. xxx

- Was a bit chilly – reached 2 degrees at 9 am!
- Carolyn thought this was not too bad....considering!

This week's report is provided by Peter Jarvis with input from fellow marketeers, Sue Jarvis and Jan Pettigrew. The morning was dark and gloomy as we arrived at 6:30am. The Rotary Stall was erected a little faster than our last time but probably got a score of 4/10 from the stallholders who watched our efforts.

Jan was ready for whatever the weather would bring and she looked like the Michelin (wo)man as she headed off to repel illegal invaders through the gate. Not one vehicle attempted to enter. Sue rushed around the stalls and bought lots of goodies to bring home. Peter was left in charge of the Rotary stall. Oh dear! He had great difficulty understanding exactly which stall the shopper was looking for. Three enquiries about setting up a new stall were referred to Adrienne.

No dramas with lost property. A black wallet was claimed from last week. A lost child swiftly reunited with her mother. Bruce and Liz arrived with another box of bags. Luckily they arrived too late to enjoy the stall erection process. However, you will be pleased to read that we are getting better at packing up the stall. There were no bits left over and it all went back where it belonged. Hooray it didn't rain, just threatened to all the time. ~ Jan, Sue and Peter

- **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

4 July 2015	Cathy, Colin & Carolyn	Tables \$45.00	Bags \$72.00	Water \$4.00	Books \$20.00	Cooler Bags \$10.00	Total \$151.00
11 July	Peter, Sue & Jan	Tables \$70.00	Bags \$62.00	Water/Donation \$22.00 + \$11	Books \$40.00	Cooler Bags \$5.00	Total \$210.00

Market Roster	
Date	Members
18 July	Paul Robey, David S, and David B.
25 July	Bruce, Paul Robey, Jon Wells
1 August	Paul & Sue R, David Bailey

\* Details as provided by the Market Master



What is Lizzie saying to Mez to make her look so glum?  
Two winners for their captions:

\***Chilly:** Lizzie is saying....

"I have got you in my sights...I should be president!...I WILL be president!!"

\***Jan:** "Do you realise that we have to sit up here on this table for the whole year?"

A prize to both of you!

Mez – only 49 weeks to go!



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### Program

Meetings		Social & Special Events	
Date	Description	Date	Description (Contact)
16 July	Guest Speaker – Colin Anstie (Raging Digital)	8 August	Club Visioning
23 July	Mystery Night - TBA	9 August	RLI(Rotary Learning Initiative) @ Jerra (then 13 <sup>th</sup> Sept & 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct)
30 July	DG's Visit / Club Forum	5/6 September	Rotary Success Conference
6 August	Business Meeting	23/24/25 October	District Conference at Jindabyne
13 August	Committee Night	14 / 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Possible date for Run For Fun

\* Compiled from information provided by the Program Person

#### BOARD OF MANAGEMENT - 2014-2015

President	Mez Mulvaney
President Elect	Liz Mulvaney
Vice President	Paul Robey
Secretary	Liz Mulvaney
Treasurer	Jon Wells
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	
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Meets	Thursday 6.15 for 6.30 – 8.30pm Jerrabomberra Public School (Staff Room)
Attendance & Apologies	<b>Bev McKay</b> by 12 Noon Tuesday T: 0407 537 233 E: <a href="mailto:bevmac14@ozemail.com.au">bevmac14@ozemail.com.au</a>
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#### CURRENT CLUB MEMBERS

David Bailey, PHF, PP	Paul Robey, President
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	Jon Wells
Mez Mulvaney, OAM, PHF, PE	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”**