

# Breakfast meeting: 1st November, 2018

When: 6:45 am - 8:00 am

Where: Surf Club, Burleigh Heads



Rotary Club of Burleigh Heads Rotary District 9640

RI International President: Barry Rassin

District Governor: Terry Brown

### AGENDA

- Presidents
   Welcome & Report
- 2. Reports
- Guest Speaker
- 4. Upcoming Events & meeting information

Attendees today included our stalwart Rotaracters Caitlyn and Jordan. MISSING TODAY AND APOLOGIES Lynda, Charles and John

Ross chaired the meeting and before handing over for the reports, reminded members that we just celebrated World Polio Day 24<sup>th</sup> October. This day was established by Rotary International over a decade ago to commemorate the birth of Jonas Salk, who led the first team to develop a vaccine against poliomyelitis which came into use in 1955.

#### **REPORTS**

#### President Allan

We are doing much better with the tickets for sale for the Melbourne Cup. Thank you to all members who have stepped up and taken on some tickets and also to those have accepted more tickets. We still have 400 tix to sell. So please get in touch if you can help. We are also going to try and sell some tix on the night before OR on Tuesday morning AND any help is appreciated.

#### International Bren

DIK will hopefully get their keys next week to the new warehouse after which it is back to all hands on deck. Anyone who can help financially (for RAWCS and DIK) or to go help set up the new place, please do consider coming.

#### **Club Officers**

President: Allan Barnett

Immediate Past President: Richard

Spencer

Vice President & President Elect:

Colleen Gauder

Secretary: Charles Kilby Treasurer: John Clark

#### **Board**

Service Projects: Shamus Davies

Club Admin: Ken Clark

Public Relations: Taylor Birtchnell

Youth: Jacki King

Rotary Foundation: Ross Smith Membership: Shobha Srinivasan

### Committee Chair's & Coordinators

Scooter Projects: David Ungar International: Bren Milson Guest Speaker Coordinator and Burleigh Breaker: Shobha Srinivasan

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## **Bank details**

Club Account - BSB: 124014 N°: 12151911
Please include your name and reason for payment

# Reports contd

Interacters Report - Youth Director Jackie Upcoming is the car wash in the coming week. 11/11 is remembrance Day and for \$10 get your car spanking clean and also help the farmers out. This is a Miami High Interact iniatiative. Please show us your support by turning up and get your car washed © Contact Jackie for more.

Chairperson Ross has a birthday coming up soon (Happy Birthday, dear friend!) As part of his checkup, he was informed that his reports were unremarkable (apparently a **good** thing when you are visiting a cardiologist!)

#### RISIBLE CORNER

You may have heard this one before, or a version of it! Thanks to **Peter Lowe**.

- ⑤ On a cold Northern Ontario winter morning, wife texts husband: "WINDOWS FROZEN, WON'T OPEN". Husband texts back: "Pour some lukewarm water over it and tap GENTLY along the edges with a hammer". Five minutes later wife texts husband: "COMPUTER REALLY SCREWED UP NOW" ⑤
- © The door bell rings and a man answers it. Here stands this plain but well dressed kid, saying, "Trick or Treat!"

The man asks the kid what he is dressed up as. The kid replies, "I'm an IRS agent."

Then he takes 40 percent of the man's candy, leaves, and doesn't say thank you. ©

## Reports Contd ..

#### **SPEAKER**

Tracey from Lombok Heroes was our speaker today. Tracey lived and worked in Bali for 5 years running her own B&B and where she met Peter Honey and his wife who were shocked to see disabled, sick and dying children who had no help whatsoever. From this spark was born Lombok Forgotten Children- Endri Foundation. Mission priorities being no child in pain, free surgery, stop the suffering, grow more endri's, drive change, fundraise.

Lombok Heroes was set up for relocating locals to where the food was and helping people build their homes (rather than live in tents in these rehab areas) after the earthquake. The volunteers help people understand how to build .. how to get obtain tools and use them so that they don't live as long time refugees. They would learn to use the existing pad of the destroyed homes and clear it up and build new structures (homes) on these. All this is done at a grassroots level and using, training and empowering the locals to better their own lives and the lives of their community.

Please get in touch with Tracey Courtney at rangas4rangas@gmail.com for more information.

A truly worthwhile cause which touches the lives of many in less fortunate circumstances.



### **DATECLAIMERS:**

4th NOVEMBER - BOHEMIAN RHAPSODY MOVIE NITE

4th NOVEMBER - MEMBERSHIP MEETING

**6TH NOVEMBER - MELBOURNE CLUB** 

11th NOVEMBER - INTERACTER CAR WASH NITE

13TH DECEMBER - CLUB XMAS PARTY

MAJOR FUNDRAISER DUCK DERBY (MARCH 2019) (WATCH OUT FOR MORE INFORMATION COMING YOUR WAY)

#### **UPCOMING ROSTER**

NOVEMBER 8TH, 2018

**CHAIRPERSON - KEN CLARK** 

**HEADS AND TAILS - JENNIE COLEBORNE** 

**FINES - SHAMUS** 

**VOTE OF THANKS - COLLEEN** 

IF YOU CANNOT FILL YOUR POSITION, PLEASE ARRANGE A SWAP WITH ANOTHER MEMBER

#### Burleigh Breaker coordinator Shobha

I wanted to check how many of our members are actually reading the Burleigh Breaker. If you could please send me a quick text confirming that you do get to this page, with your name (0401457408) it is much appreciated.

If you read it even to spot errors in spelling or facts (thank you Geoff?) I would appreciate the feedback. (All errors and omissions, I hasten to add, are mine and mine alone!)

If you have suggestions on how I could improve the content, I welcome that too.

I would also like to encourage and would appreciate a paragraph or a short snippet of what you have been doing or anything that has touched your life lately that you would like to share with the rest of the group. This is especially aimed to the folks who don't make our meetings or fundraisers.

We would like to hear from you and so the call goes out ...

Friends, Rotarians, Countrymen, lend me your ears .. or your words in this case!

#### The email is shobhaus@gmail.com

Namaste and have an awesome week ©