



A message from President Glenys

It's been another busy week at RC Warners Bay. I think that after several months of *stay at home*, suddenly everything has to be done in a rush. Let's try to keep some of the calm of 2021 in mind when planning our days.

- ☺ Our major project at present is the **Christmas Trailer Raffle**. Christine and John have created an absolutely fabulous raffle as our major fundraiser. Tickets will be sold at several locations as well as online. If you can get your name on to one or all rosters at least once or twice a week that would be wonderful. Did you know that Christine and John are filling any blanks in the roster? – please help! Links to the roster are on page 6 of this *In the Loop* or contact me to add your name.
- ☺ Our **guest speaker** on Monday, Deb Wallace, has an amazing story to tell. You'll find a little of her story on page 4.
- ☺ Thanks to Ross for another informative and fun, **Hat Night**, supporting Rotary Mental Health
- ☺ The **Lake Lunch Cruise** was a terrific social activity enjoyed by several of our members. Thanks Adrian for your organisation. A lovely calm relaxing day.
- ☺ The request to assist Warners Bay High School with their **Care packages** for HSC students has been a great success. It was a pleasure to meet some of the students as we delivered the Care packages. See page 3 for some photos.
- ☺ While selling raffle tickets on Wednesday, I was very excited following a phone call from Lisa. Lisa is marketing manager for **Warners Bay Village**. [i.e. Coles]. This Christmas they will be running a centre campaign, called 'Share The Merry' which will encourage customers to shop local, upload a receipt to their campaign portal and for every receipt loaded we will donate \$1 to your organisation on their behalf up to \$5,000. What a wonderful Christmas gift for the club. To receive this gift, all we have to do is send them some info about the club, photos and after shopping at Warners Bay Village, upload our receipts. Tell your friends and family!

It is with your great work, that we are being recognized as a Rotary Club who is helping our community! Well done



NEXT MEETING Monday November 8th

Club Macquarie as well as Zoom

COVID RULES for this meeting

- Members who are double vaccinated may join us at Club Macquarie.
- There is no restriction on numbers
- Masks must be worn

6.15pm - dinner at Club Macquarie

7.00pm – Meeting

If you are unable to be at the club

7.00pm - Zoom meeting

[Thanks to Glenda, Adrian and Michael for planning cameras, sound to enhance the Zoom meeting Join Zoom Meeting

Topic: RCWB Meeting

Time: Nov 8, 2021 06:30 PM Canberra, Melbourne, Sydney

Join Zoom Meeting

[Click here to Zoom](#)

Meeting ID: 853 5778 9963

Passcode: 602252

 PEACEBUILDING AND CONFLICT PREVENTION	 DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT	 WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE	 MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH
 NOVEMBER IS THE ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH <i>"DOING GOOD IN THE WORLD"</i>			
 BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY	 COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	 ENVIRONMENT	 SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

COMING EVENTS

CHRISTMAS TRAILER RAFFLE

Ticket selling will be everyday during November and December at Lake Macquarie Square, Mt Hutton
Also selling tickets at Farmers Markets and Warners Bay Markets.
Please check dates and add your name to the rosters via Google Docs or contact Glenys



Whats on in November...

- Mon 1st Board meeting – 7pm at Glenys
- Mon 8th Club Meeting
Guest speaker: Deb Wallace
- Mon 8th – Sun 14th National Recycling Week
- Thurs 11th Survivors R Us BBQ Breakfast 8 – 10am
- Sat 13th Farmers Markets @ Speers Point Park
– selling Trailer raffle tickets
- Sat 20th Warners Bay Markets
- selling Trailer raffle tickets
- Mherv van
- Mon 22nd Club Meeting – AGM
- Thurs 25th Survivors R Us
BBQ Breakfast
- Sat 27th Farmers Markets
@ Speers Point Park
– selling Trailer raffle tickets
- Mon 30th Social night @ Barry's

November



Adrian
Michael
Christine
Janette
Pam

Whats on in December...

- Wed 1st Twilight Christmas Markets
@ Warners Bay 4pm – 9pm
– selling Trailer raffle tickets
- Mon 6th Board meeting – 7pm at Glenys
- Thurs 9th Survivors R Us BBQ Breakfast
- Mon 13th Club Christmas Party
Colour our World Awards Night
- Thurs 13th Survivors R Us BBQ Breakfast
- Sat 18th Warners Bay Markets
– selling Trailer raffle tickets
- Raffle draw
- Mon 20th Christmas drinks
@ Speers Point Park 5.30pm

December



Kerry
Glenda
Craig

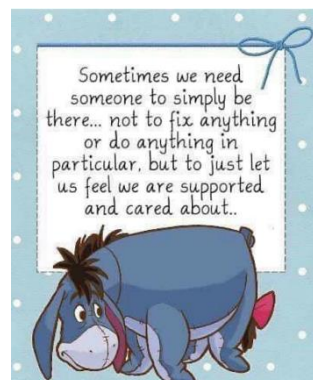
Care Packages for Year 12 students

Warners Bay High School has invited our club to participate in their Care Packages for Year 12 students that have been delivered to them prior to the commencement of the HSC. The Year 12 advisor, Mrs Raelee Lavis delivered the packages to Glenys on Wednesday.

We have written letters to each individual student to wish them well and to let them know the Warners Bay community is wishing them success. We have helped deliver some of the Care packages and enjoyed the surprise of many wonderful young people.

The Care packages included a commemorative coin from the Royal Australian Mint, a WBHS mug, letters from staff and community, some fun items as well as a little study incentives [chocolates]. The Biology students also received a bug catche full of "bugs" and good wishes.

Thanks to all club members who participated in this fun project.





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Guest speaker

Deb Wallace

They call her 'the gangbuster'

Official autobiography: *Woman of Force* by Mark Morris

The police force can be a tough place for a woman, but Detective Superintendent Deborah Wallace rose to the top with grace, humour and an iconic sense of style. In her incredible 36-year career with NSW Police, Wallace took on murderers and drug suppliers, and dismantled the state's most nefarious gangs.

Deb has also been involved with Father Chris Riley's Youth off the Streets, St Judes refuge for Homeless Men, Bankstown, Casual Powerhouse Museum, Community radio 2GLF (servicing Liverpool and Fairfield Local Government areas), Homicide victims Support Group – Grace's Place project.



ROTARY SUPPORTS YOUTH NOT JUST ONE DAY BUT ALL YEAR ROUND !

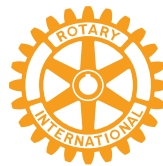


Pres Glenys with Aiden, who will attend NYSF in 2022 and his mum, Kylie



The National Youth Science Forum (NYSF) is a not-for-profit organisation that runs a number of residential programs to encourage young people in their passion for science.





November 22

Annual General Meeting

At the Annual General Meeting all positions will be declared vacant. It is imperative that we have a Board whereby members of RC Warners Bay can guide the ideals of Rotary through the projects that will benefit our local and international communities.



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Our Club is changing rapidly as our world changes, so we are looking to the future to create a club that is successful in all endeavours.

Sadly, many positions sound overwhelming but if our aim is to work together efficiently, the Board members will be sharing their role with all members.

Positions on the Board for 2022 –2023 include:

1. President
2. Secretary
3. Treasurer
4. Rotary Foundation/Education
5. Service Director
6. Membership
7. Technology/SMART/Marketing



Other positions include...

- ★ Club Service
- ★ Welfare
- ★ Child Protection
- ★ Public Officer
- ★ Environmental liaison
- ★ Youth
- ★ Vocational
- ★ International
- ★ Social events coordinator



If you are interested in helping to lead our club into the next Rotary year, think about each of the available positions and nominate yourself or a friend.

If you have questions about how you can use your skills and interests to enhance our club's future please have a chat with Glenys.





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Helping to support **Survivors R Us** ...fighting against Domestic Violence.



First Prize: 6 X 4 foot trailer and goods (approximate value \$4,000)
Second prize: \$300 Gift Card & 3PC Bar setting & cooler Party Tub (Approximate value \$500)
Third prize: 4BNR Hooded Jumbuck Portland BBQ & utensils (Approximate value \$300)

Drawn: Saturday 18th December at 3pm at Lake Macquarie Fair
 All winners will be notified by telephone or email,
 and results published at www.warnersbayrotary.org.au
 CFN 13954



1st Prize approx value \$4 000

Trailer - Fully registered 6'X 4' with ARK jockey wheel and wheel clamp full of goodies...

For the yard - Victa lawn mower, grass trimmer & shear kit, line trimmer & petrol blower.

For the gents - Ozito tool set, work site radio and a personal care pack

For the ladies - a pamper pack

For the children - razor scooter, inflatable pool, Lego, Lego movies, Barbies, unicorn headphones and other fun toys.

For camping - 2 person tent, 2 x Oztrail chairs, a warmer/cooler and eskies for a picnic.

For your home - towels, single bed quilt and pillow, air fryer, a slow cooker, sandwich maker, cook books, utensils and more for your home.

For entertaining - 1 dozen Leagate assorted wines, Johnnie Walker "White Whiskey", carafe, decanters, coffee set + gift voucher for \$100



Christmas Trailer Raffle

Buy tickets here

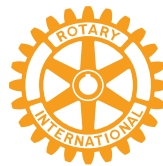


Would you like to sell tickets to your friends but don't have a book of tickets?

This QR code will take you to the link for our Christmas Trailer Raffle and you can purchase tickets online.

When you see this come up on FaceBook, please share so that we can get our raffle to as many people as possible.

This is our major fundraiser this year.



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SURVIVORS R US ROSTER

57 Pendlebury Road, Cardiff [ph 4953 7108]

Helping with breaky BBQs every second

Thursday 8am - 10am

Nov 11th Kerry Vina

Nov 25th Kerry Vina

Dec 8th Kerry Vina

Check out the roster on Google Docs or email Kerry if you are available to help.

More help needed for Survivors R Us

If you are available please message Kerry or add your name to Google Docs Roster Click here to open...

[Survivors Roster](#)



S.M.A.R.T.

NEWS

Social
1. Media
And
Rotary
Talk

Click on the underlined words to open the link in **Google Docs** – remember to check regularly and put your name down on the rosters to help out in one of the spots.

[ROSTER - Mt Hutton ticket sales](#)

[ROSTER - Warners Bay Markets Nov 20th](#)

[ROSTER - Farmers Markets](#)

FACEBOOK

Have you joined our **Facebook** pages?

We have two – one to share with family, friends and the world

Rotary Club of Warners Bay

Rotary Club of Warners Bay – Members page.

This one is just for RCWB members to get updates on events.

RCWB WEBSITE

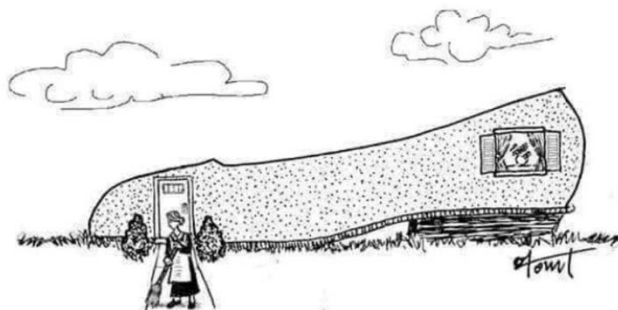
www.warnersbayrotary.org.au

Have you browsed our website lately?

Tell us what you think!

Suggestions, articles and photos welcome

Email to warnersbay@outlook.com



After the last child moved out, the old woman sold the shoe and moved into a flat.

ENVIRONMENT LIAISON - Julie

District 9670 have an Environment Group that meets the first Tuesday of each month. These Zoom meetings are led by District Environment Chair Pam Dean-Jones.

The Environment Group – what's happening

• 26COP


World Leaders, including our Prime Minister, met in Glasgow this week for the 26th United Nations Conference of Parties (COP26). The conference brought the parties together to accelerate action towards the goals of the Paris Agreement and the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change.

COP26 was seen as a game changing event for our environment, with the commitments made determining the trajectory of action on emissions by countries across the globe and climate change impacts on vulnerable communities and economies for the next decade, the next four decades and beyond.

The IPCC Fact Sheet for Australasia highlights 10 aspects of climate change for our region.

Warming land areas	↑	Australian land areas have warmed by around 1.4°C and New Zealand land areas by around 1.1°C between ~1910 and 2020 (very high confidence), and annual temperature changes have emerged above natural variability in all land regions (high confidence).
Extreme heat events	↑	Heat extremes have increased, cold extremes have decreased, and these trends are projected to continue (high confidence)
Rising sea level	↑	Relative sea level rose at a rate higher than the global average in recent decades; sandy shorelines have retreated in many locations; relative sea level rise is projected to continue in the 21st century and beyond, contributing to increased coastal flooding and shoreline retreat along sandy coasts throughout Australasia (high confidence).
Less snow	↑	Snow cover and depth have decreased and are projected to decrease further (high confidence).
Extreme fire weather days	↑	Frequency of extreme fire weather days has increased, and the fire season has become longer since 1950 at many locations (medium confidence). The intensity, frequency and duration of fire weather events are projected to increase throughout Australia (high confidence) and New Zealand (medium confidence).
Heavy rain and floods	↑	Heavy rainfall and river floods are projected to increase (medium confidence).
Marine heatwaves	↑	An increase in marine heatwaves and ocean acidity is observed and projected (high confidence).
Ocean currents	↑	Enhanced warming in the East Australian Current region of the Tasman Sea is observed and projected (very high confidence).
Sand and dust storms	↑	Sand storms and dust storms are projected to increase throughout Australia (medium confidence).



More warming brings higher risk		Changes in several climatic impact-drivers (e.g., heatwaves, droughts, floods; see Introduction fact sheet) would be more widespread at 2°C compared to 1.5°C global warming and even more widespread and/or pronounced for higher warming levels. This means our agriculture and our urban communities will be more vulnerable to extreme temperatures, droughts, floods, storms and rising sea level as temperatures rise. Our Pacific neighbours are more vulnerable to rising seas than we are in Australia.
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• **Citizen Scientist Projects**

You may have heard references to Citizen Scientist in the media over the past months. Two weeks ago it was National Backyard Bird count, coming up next week is Australian Pollinator Week, including the wild pollinator count <https://wildpollinatorcount.com/>, and November is Turtle Month.

Citizen Science programs provide a very important source of data about biodiversity. Data and insights gained through the efforts of citizen scientists help scientists to learn more about environments by creating additional data sources. While citizen science has been around for decades, thanks to forced stay at home orders due to the pandemic, there has been a growing interest in the local environment in the last two years.

District 9670 Environment group is working on a list of projects that Rotarians may be interested in.



- **National Recycling Week (8-14 November)** was established by Planet Ark in 1996 and is held during the second week of November. The campaign aims to help us reduce our waste and recycle right. Watch the media for more information.



- **Did you know** that **Costa Georgiadis** (host of ABC Gardening Australia) is our **Rotary Environment Ambassador?**





A great day on the Lake
Thanks for organizing Adrian.

