

Issue 14

28th February 2022



A message from President Glenys

Lake Mac Autumn Fair in on April 30 – make sure its in your diary!!!
At our last meeting, members shared memories of our inaugural Lake Mac Autumn Fair in 2021. From these memories, we been planning our club's activities for the Fair.
Thank you to those members who joined me last Monday to continue our club's planning.

We have been invited to share Clean Up Australia Day on two occasions. Sunday 6th March with Warners Bay Landcare and also on Saturday 13th March with Warners Bay Sustainable Neighbourhood Group. One of Rotary's focus areas is *supporting the environment*. I hope you can come along to one or both of these days to take part and share our beautiful environment.

The Science and Engineering Challenge is on again after 2 years of Covid dramas. This week long challenge for High School students is being held at the Forum, University of Newcastle. Volunteers are needed each day. A great opportunity to share with Rotarians from other clubs and to be amazed at the ingenuity of high school students. [More information in this newsletter]

So much happening in the next few months, make sure you have events added to your diary and come along as often as you can.

NEXT MEETING

Monday, 28th February

Venue: Club Macquarie

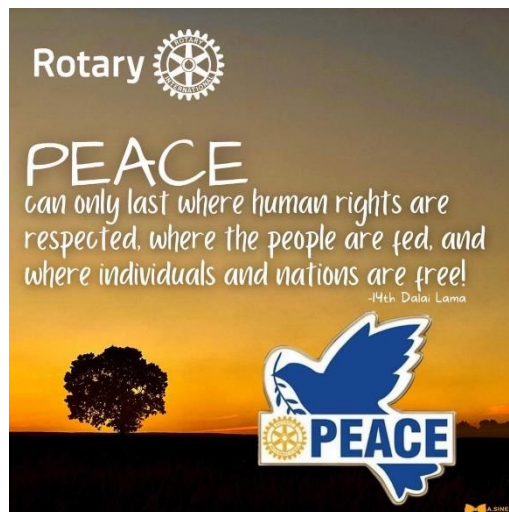
Time: 6.15pm for fellowship
6.30pm - dinner

7.00pm – Zoom meeting option

Join Zoom Meeting

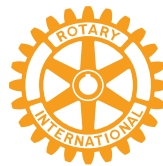
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March





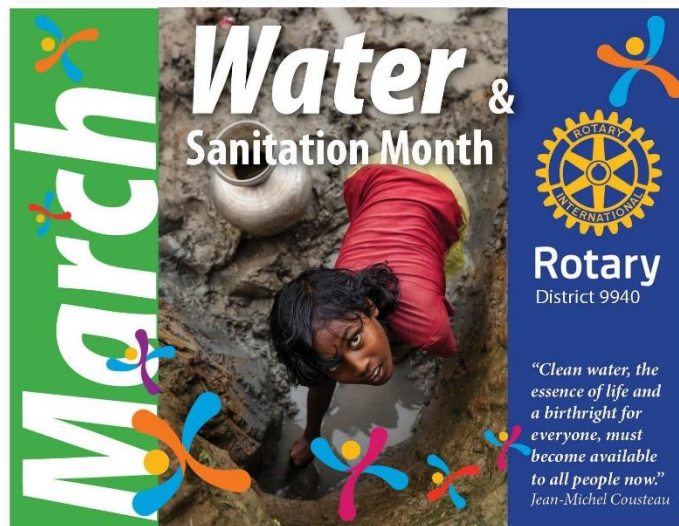
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COMING EVENTS - OVERVIEW

Whats on in March...

- Sun, 6th Mar Clean Up Australia
With WB Landcare group
Medcalf St – opposite McDonalds
9.00am – 11.00am
- Mon, 7th Mar Board Meeting
7.00pm @ Glenys
- Thur, 10th Mar Survivors R Us Breakfast
8am – 10 am
[Coordinator – Kerry]
- Mon, 14th Mar Dinner meeting
- Sat, 12th Mar Clean Up Australia 8.30am
With WB Sustainable
Neighbourhood Group
Creek Reserve Rd, Boolaroo
- Sun, 13th Mar Lake Mac Women's Sport Festival
We will have a Hot Dog stall and
sell drinks
- Sat, 19th Mar Warners Bay Markets
RCWB Hot Dog stall
[Coordinator – Christine]
- Wed, 23rd Mar **End Polio MOVIE NIGHT**
"The Duke" Glendale Cinema
- Thu, 24th Mar Survivors R Us Breakfast
8am – 10 am
[Coordinator – Kerry]
- Mon, 28th Mar Dinner Meeting
- Monday, 28 March, 2022- Friday, 1 April
Science and Engineering Challenge



Whats on in April...

- Mon, 7th Mar Board Meeting
7.00pm @ Glenys
- Thur, 7th Apr Survivors R Us Breakfast
8am – 10 am
[Coordinator – Kerry]
- Mon, 11th Apr Dinner meeting
- Thu, 21st Apr Survivors R Us Breakfast
8am – 10 am
[Coordinator – Kerry]
- Mon, 25th Apr ANZAC Day
- Wed, 27th Apr Dinner Meeting
FAIR ORGANISATION
- Sat, 30th Apr LAKE MAC AUTUMN FAIR




**"A RIDICULOUSLY CHARMING
★★★★★ BRITISH COMEDY" ★★★★★**
THE DAILY TELEGRAPH THE PLAYLIST DAILY MAIL

★★★★★ THE GUARDIAN **★★★★★** FINANCIAL TIMES **★★★★★** THE I **★★★★★** THE TIMES

THE DUKE

A PRICELESS TRUE STORY

JIM BROADBENT
HELEN MIRREN



Rotary 
Club of Newcastle Enterprise
for District 9670

**IT'S TIME WE
HAD SOME FUN!**

Join us at the
pre-release screening
of this feel-good movie

at 6:30 pm on Wednesday
23 March 2022
at Events Cinema in Glendale

Tickets \$25
Book by contacting Howard
Bridgman 0425 281 387 or
habrotary@gmail.com
or Merrie How 0498 970 140.
merrie@dragnet.com.au

Proceeds
support
Rotary's



Check the Classification

TOGETHER, WE WILL

END POLIO NOW

Rotary  

**END POLIO
MOVIE NIGHT**

\$25.00 [proceeds go to End Polio]

Money to be paid to RCWB
BSB 646 000
Acc 1000 679 93
Reference – Movie-your
surname

Please pay by Internet banking
OR
If you are paying Christine at a
dinner meeting, CASH is
preferred.

A fun evening to share with
Rotarians from many clubs in
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie.



LAKE MAC AUTUMN FAIR Saturday, 30th April

The day is fast approaching, so here are a few things you can do...

1. **Write it in your diary** – its important that we have all hands on deck.
2. Think about where **you are happy to help**.
3. Research/Think about some **fun games** that we can play at the Fair.
4. Research **prizes** that can be used for the games at the Fair.
5. **Equipment** – what will we need?
 - i. Do you have a gazebo that could be used at the Fair?
 - ii. Can you help with collecting equipment from the shed prior to the Fair/ and returning after the Fair?
 - iii. Do you have a blow up kiddies pool? Or similar? We have a couple of games ideas that need one?
6. Are you handy with the tools? Check out this idea. Can you make it?

<https://youtu.be/btqzeCIRXPs>



If you can't see
the sunshine,
BE the sunshine.

Paul Harris Fellow Presentations

President Glenys was delighted to present Paul Burchell with a Paul Harris Fellow [blue] for his continued service to Rotary and RCWB.

Paul has been a Rotarian for almost 40 years beginning as President of Hurstville Rotaract. Recently, Paul had sponsored Lake Mac Autumn Fair and his continued support for MHERV is awesome.



President Glenys was delighted to present PDG Graeme Hooper with a Paul Harris Fellow [red] for his continued service to Rotary. Graeme contributes regularly to the Rotary Foundation and is Team Leader for MHERV. Graeme has also been in Rotary for many years and RCWB is delighted to have him as a member of our club.



MHERV'S ON TOUR!

Mens Health Education Rural Van

Some snippets from RC Kiama's newsletter ...

ROTARY TID-BITS:

- **The Men's Health Van:** Rotarians *Bobbie East, Bill Humphreys, Helen Sterling, David Russell and Marilyn Jarrett* assisted with the Rotary Men's Health Van during its two-day operation in Terralong Street on 12 & 14 February 2022. The van provides a free health screening service primarily for men and, promoted and developed by Rotary, has been visiting rural centres since 2008.

Some 50 screenings were undertaken during the Kiama visit

and Bill Power, the nurse operator of the van, indicated his pleasure at the number of men who attended (50 in total). Bill and his wife Debbie attended our dinner meeting where Bill spoke on the program (see photo). A great initiative initially sponsored by Warners Bay Rotary and sponsored by the Royal Freemasons Benevolent Institution. The Kiama visit was also assisted by Kiama Council who provided the location near the Old Fire Station. *Maree McLaren* was thanked for thanked for her work in organising the operation of the van in Kiama.

Bill Power speaks to the club



Marilyn & Helen at the Van

Promoting the Rotary Men's Health Van in Kiama



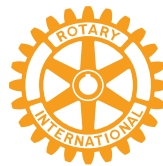
More MHERV news ...

The MHERV website has been built by Michael and friends over the last few years. As MHERV gets back on the road again, we are excited to have the MHERV website brought up to today with the assistance of Electrodry's advertising team. Thanks to Paul Burchell for his continued support of this RC Warners Bay Project.

Where's MHERV this week ... Sat – Mon 28th Bombala

1 st – 3 rd Mar	Cooma	6 th – 8 th Mar	Yass
4 th Mar	Tumut	9 th – 10 th Mar	Goulburn
5 th Mar	Batlow	11 th – 13 th Mar	Glenbrook

Have a look at
www.mherv.com.au



ENVIRONMENTAL BITS

Julie

Clean Up Australia Day: Sunday 6th March

Warners Bay Landcare will be at their usual site – come along and help them!

Details:

Where: Medcalf St & Macquarie Rd, Warners Bay NSW, Australia

Time: Sunday 6th March 09:00 - 11:00

Meeting Point: Carpark opposite McDonalds at roundabout Medcalf St and Macquarie Rd



No need to register – just turn up. But be sure to wear covered shoes, hat and gloves if you've got some.

- **The Warners Bay Sustainable Neighbourhood Group is also holding a clean up event on Saturday, 12th March.**

Details:

When: Saturday the 12th of March at 8:30am

Meeting Point: Creek Reserve Road, adjacent to the change sheds for Walters Park, Boolaroo

Further Information &

RSVPs: <https://www.cleanupaustaliaday.org.au/fundraisers/dennisarchibald29283/cockle-creek>

- How did you go in the Sustainability quiz in the latest issue of ChitChat (under the heading "Ecobabble")? If you missed it, here's the link:

<https://onedrive.live.com/?authkey=%21ANjoGbCgFZFS00Y&cid=41DA568E7209D00E&id=41DA568E7209D00E%2144481&parId=41DA568E7209D00E%2144213&o=OneUp>

Services Director

Kerry

SURVIVORS R US COMMUNITY BBQ BREAKFAST

We are back again assisting Survivors R Us with their Hearty Starts Breakfast every second Thursday.

If you are able to assist, add your name to the roster and come along and meet new friends. Take a tour of Survivors R Us and you will see what an amazing community facility it is

57 Pendlebury Rd, Cardiff

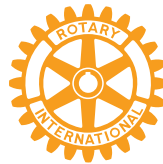
Thursday, 10th March

8.00am – 10.00am

Coordinator: Kerry

[Survivors R Us Roster](#)





SCIENCE and ENGINEERING CHALLENGE

Monday, 28 March, 2022- Friday, 1 April, 2022.

Venue: The Forum

Good morning President Glenys, Secretary Brian, PDGs Steve, Janette and Graeme, and Kerry from the Rotary Club of Warners Bay

Firstly, it's great to touch base with you for the first time in 2022, and on behalf of our 2022 SEC Coordinating Committee, we are excited to push forward in a positive way with our confirmed arrangements for our 2022 Newcastle SEC events.

Our appreciation is extended to Warners Bay Rotary Club for agreeing to hold over their Iron Level Activity Sponsorship of \$200 for our 2022 Newcastle SEC Program event.

The venue for our 2022 Newcastle SEC and NSW State Final Newcastle events will be Forum Sports and Aquatic Centre at the University of Newcastle.

For your information and assistance I have enclosed the following documentation.

The Event Guide Newcastle Science and Engineering Challenge Monday, 28 March, 2022- Friday, 1 April, 2022.

The current list at the 15 February 2022 of the 40 confirmed March-April competing Newcastle SEC high schools.

Risk Assessment - Covid-19 Safety Measures for Science and Engineering Challenge(SEC) and SMART Program Events.

We are now calling for volunteers to help from 8.00am to 3.00pm as activity assistants at this years Newcastle SEC event. Parking at the UoN is available with morning tea and a hot lunch provided. Secretary Brian, it would be appreciated if you can please circulate the attached 2022 Newcastle SEC Volunteers Activity Roster to your members to complete. Please return the completed form as soon as possible to Laurie McGrath by email as shown on the document. "Come and experience Rotary in Action"

Should you require further information or assistance please contact me at your convenience.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Regards and Thank You

Brian

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MARCH-APRIL 2022 SEC CHALLENGE SCHOOLS at 15 February 2022					
	Monday 28 March	Tuesday 29 March	Wednesday 30 Mar	Thursday 31 March	Friday 1 April
1	Newcastle Grammar School	Belmont HS	Lakes Grammar - An Anglican School Warnervale	Avondale School Cooranbong	Maitland Christian School
2	Kotara HS	Maitland Grossmann HS	Warners Bay HS	Callaghan College Waratah Campus	Merewether HS
3	Morisset HS	Hunter Christian School Mayfield	Newcastle Waldorf School	Cardiff HS	Hunter Valley Grammar School Ashtonfield
4	Belmont Christian College	Callaghan College Wallsend Campus	Rutherford Technology HS	Lake Munmorah HS	Bishop Tyrrell Anglican College Fletcher
5	Charlton Christian College Fassifern	Whitebridge HS	St Philip's Christian College Port Stephens Salamander Bay	St Paul's Catholic College Booragul	St Bede's Catholic College Chisholm
6	Macquarie College Wallsend	Tomaree HS Salamander Bay	Dungog HS	St Philip's Christian College Waratah	Toronto HS
7	Medowie Christian School	St Pius X HS Adamstown	All Saints College St Peter's Campus Maitland	San Clemente HS Mayfield	St Mary's Catholic College Gateshead
8	Hunter School of the Performing Arts Broadmeadow	Newcastle HS Hamilton South	Mount View HS West Cessnock	Maitland HS	Lambton HS



S.M.A.R.T.

NEWS

Social
Media
And
Rotary
Talk



ROSTERS and PROGRAMS

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.

[Survivors R Us BBQ Breakfasts](#)

Watch this space – new program and Dinner meeting rosters on the way

Can't find your *In the Loop* or looking for minutes or other information for RCWB?

Try our website ...

www.warnersbayrotary.org.au



The next *In the Loop* will appear in your email prior to our next Dinner meeting.

If you have an article, joke, photo, report on a project, coming event etc that you would like included please email to Glenys glenystomkins@gmail.com by Thursday, 10th March