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President's report

Last Monday we hosted the Pride of Workmanship Awards which were awarded to four very deserving recipients, listed elsewhere in this newsletter. These awards are a wonderful way of recognising the extraordinary efforts and commitment of mountains people and businesses, and our congratulations are extended to all the winners.

On Tuesday we held our monthly Board meeting and addressed the following matters:

- further suggested changes to the by-laws
- several requests for financial assistance
- possible application for a Fire Brigade District Grant
- progress on the sensory garden
- Christmas Party arrangements
- AGM arrangements
- Proposal for a community veggie garden initiative.

Following last Monday's meeting, where it was announced that although approved, there were insufficient funds available for our District Grant application to complete the sensory garden. Following the meeting, we received an anonymous donation to cover the missing funds. Our grateful thanks go to this donor, as this will

enable us to progress with the garden during the upcoming school holidays.

Later this week, our Club will be providing the catering for Alan Cameron's funeral. If you are able to assist, please contact Valda Bray.

Several of our members continue to undergo medical treatment and our thoughts are with them as we wish them a speedy recovery.

Some nominations for next year's Board have been received, but there are still vacancies, including for 2021-22 President Elect. Please give some thought to either nominating yourself or another member.

Just a reminder that this coming Monday is the Ori social dinner, so there will be no Zoom meeting.

Have a good week!

Jenny Kroonstuiver
President



Thought for the week

The best way to cheer yourself up is to try to cheer somebody else up. *Mark Twain*

Pick-a-card!

Peter Sparkes was the winner of pick-a-card this week. Sadly, not a joker winner.



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Planned meetings for November

- 16 November 2020 – Ori social dinner **No Zoom meeting**
- 23 November 2020 – Zoom Guest Speakers
- 30 November 2020 – Annual General Meeting

Planned meetings for December

- 7 December 2020 - Club Zoom meeting
- 14 December 2020 – Christmas Party, hosted by Paul and Sue Erikson

We will then be on break until 25 January 2021.

Ori Social dinner – Monday 16 November: time to reserve your seat

There is still an opportunity for last minute reservations for our Monday night Ori social dinner. Please contact Bronwyn Berriman no later than Saturday pm if you would like to attend.

November is Rotary Foundation Month

November is Foundation Month and it is all about *giving*.

These COVID times have made Club Fundraising most difficult and so Rotarians are encouraged to be generous in supporting Our Foundation, with personal donations, during November.

Giving today enables grants tomorrow..... so that we can continue to do good in the World.

Centurion Week, started Monday 9

November and we are asked to aim for 100% Centurion membership in our Club; it is only \$100 per Member.



Vale Alan Cameron

It was with great sadness that we received the news earlier this week that Alan Cameron had passed away.

Alan was a Foundation member of the Rotary Club of Springwood, Past President and committed Rotary member. A true gentleman, we will never forget his leadership, support and quirky sense of humour.

Our thoughts are with his son Donald as he prepares for the funeral later this week.



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Pride of Workmanship Awards 2020

Sincere congratulations to our deserving winners of this year's Pride of Workmanship Awards. Thanks also to Cheryl Kitto and members of the Youth and Vocational Committee for organizing the event.



Liz Roberts, CEO Bucklands.

Liz was nominated for her extraordinary efforts during the COVID crisis.



Winmalee Carpentry

This company was nominated for continued excellent in service provision.



DARE Disability support.

This organization was nominated for their care and services during the COVID crisis.



Mick Ryan from Mick Ryan's Garden Maintenance

Mick was nominated in recognition of continued commitment and service to his clients.



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Bunnings BBQs upcoming rosters

The next Bunnings BBQ will be **Saturday 21 November**. If you are available to be on the roster, please let Jenny know on jkroonstuiver@hotmail.com There are still vacancies for servers and money takers.



Community Projects Wheelbarrow Raffle

As all tickets are nearly sold, we are no longer running the Winmalee roster. Please remember to return ticket butts to Jenny Kroonstuiver. If you are depositing funds directly into the Community account, please remember to say what they are for and who is depositing, and to let Jenny and Adam know you have deposited the funds.

Invitation to a memorable pre-Christmas lunch in the mountains

The Rotary Club of Upper Blue Mountains Sunrise has secured an amazing marquee for a pre-Christmas lunch on Saturday the 13th of December. The venue is the marquee which was formerly in front of the Hydro Majestic in Medlow Bath used for weddings and balls and is now in place at the Parklands Country Gardens, 132 Govetts Leap Road, Blackheath.

There is an opportunity for our club to book a table of 8 for a COVID-19 safe 2 course alternate serve sit down meal for

\$55 per person. Drinks will be available for purchase at the bar. There will be a door prize, lots of fun and bit of frivolity with a surprise thrown in!

Please let Valda Bray know by Saturday 14 November if you wish to attend.

Rotary Club of Blackheath - 'Misbehaviour' movie night

Thursday November 26th 2020 - 8.00 PM
Funds raised going to local Rotary projects



In 1970, the Miss World competition took place in London, hosted by US comedy legend, Bob Hope. Miss World was the most-watched TV show on the planet with over 100 million viewers. Claiming that beauty competitions demeaned women, the newly formed Women's Liberation Movement achieved overnight famethe result caused uproar: the winner was not the Swedish favourite but Miss Grenada..... crowned Miss World.....the Western ideal of beauty turned on its head.



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On line tickets: \$ 25.00
<https://www.trybooking.com/BMMYX>

Entry from 7.40 pm. Supper treats, wine, coffee & tea included pre the movie
Due to COVID 19 we are limited to 60 tickets. Seating will be checkerboard in small or clusters groups to promote safe distancing.

Please wear a mask while not seated.

Enquiries: Christina Jackson
president.blackheath@gmail.com

Kempsey West Rotary Bush Fore Recovery Raffle

The Rotary Club of Kempsey West are asking for your help to raise much needed funds to support community projects in the Macleay Valley. This year, with COVID-19 limiting our ability to raise funds in a traditional way, our club has decided to run our first online raffle with some amazing prizes.

The 2019/20 Macleay Valley Bushfires burnt for approximately 8 weeks destroying 66 homes, 3 public facilities and 170 outbuildings. they also damaged a further 100 structures throughout the Upper Macleay.

Almost 12 months on from the fires starting, many residents are still living in tents, caravans and other temporary accommodation. Your ticket purchase

you a chance to win fantastic prizes, but it will help us fund some very important community projects in these areas and bring normality back to these devastated communities.

Please go to
<https://www.kempseywestrotary.org/raffle>
e for more information and to buy tickets.

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