



# The Rotary Club of Tawa Inc.

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## NEWSLETTER JULY 18 2023

### MEETINGS

Apologies to [tawa.rotaryapologies@gmail.com](mailto:tawa.rotaryapologies@gmail.com) by 12midday on the Monday prior to the meeting.

<b>18 July</b>	<b>Brendan Nally</b>	Fire & Emergency NZ
	At Tawa Bowling Club	Meal \$25
	Board Meeting 8pm	
<b>20 July</b>	<b>Tawa College Musical “Be Our Guest”</b>	
<b>25 July</b>	<b>TBC</b>	
<b>1 August</b>	<b>Mike Howard</b>	Adventurer
<b>6 August</b> (Sunday)	<b>Life Flight Trust</b>	All family members welcome
	10:30am at 17 George Bolt Street, Rongotai,	
	followed by lunch	
<b>8 August</b>	No meeting	
<b>15 August</b>	Bernadette Pallister	Tawa Business Group Manager

### ROSTER

If you are not available to do your duty it is up to YOU to find a replacement

<b>18 July</b>	<b>Brendan Nally</b>	<b>FENZ</b>
	Set up	Tim & Euon
	Front Desk	John Melville
	Greeting Guests	Liz Sutton
	Raffles	Tim Davin
	Open/Parting	Peter Lockery
	Intro/Thanks	Judith Gray
	Photographer	Richard Hutchinson

## **PRESIDENTS PIECE**

Thank you to everyone who attended the meeting at my home last week. Also thank you to Peter Lockery for your feedback – Peter commented that it felt like the “Keys of Friendship” that Rotary used to use to encourage camaraderie amongst members and I’m all for more of that. How about you?

Please note THE HEATER HAS BEEN FIXED at the Bowling Club so we can proceed with our meeting this week and will only need are usual winter layers – not arctic wear this week. Apparently the experts found the spare parts needed in the old unworking heater so that’s called Recycling I think!

Despite this progress I think we should still consider making an offer to the club as discussed at our meeting. I have added it to the Board Agenda meeting notes – if anyone has a particular point to make in regards to this please be in touch before the Board meeting this week.

If any club members have information or reports they wish to be tabled to the new ‘pared down’ Board please submit to Club Secretary Judith Havill or myself.

Have a good week. I look forward to a full turn out to hear our speaker who will discuss (I believe) response to recent floods as well as Volunteer Brigades in the community.

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Cheers,  
Judith

## **NEXT MEETING**

### **Brendan Nally, Fire and Emergency NZ**

Brendan Nally is Deputy National Commander at FENZ. Brendan’s career in the fire and emergency sector spans 26 years, starting as a recruit in Invercargill and moving through the ranks. This includes Area Commander roles in three Areas and four years as a Fire Region Commander.

Brendan became part of the FENZ Senior Leadership Team as the Director People and Capability in October 2017. He was appointed as Deputy National Commander in March 2022.



## LAST MEETING

Thank you to President Judith for hosting the meeting at her house. As there was no heating at the bowling club it was so much more pleasant to have such a warm, friendly and sociable environment. The new club structure was discussed for the year and we watched a video of from the new International President. Gordon McNally. The new club structure has "Leads" taking responsibility for various aspects of Rotary.

They are the following

Club Services	Tim Davin
Foundation	Richard Herbert
Youth	Gaylene Lines
Events	Liz Sutton
Vocation	Judith Gray
Projects	Pat Waite
Public Image	Ian Munro
Governance	Laura Sommer
Membership	

Each of the leads will have other members working alongside them.



## PROJECTS

**Book Fair** from 23 September till 8 October at the Tawa Scout Hall Coronation Park, Tawa.

**Primary School's Leadership Awards** on 7 August

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