



CAMBRIDGE COURIER

Information about our next Rotary Meeting (usually held at Cambridge Bowling Club, 7.10 for 7.30 am):

Wednesday 4 June 2025

Activity: Lisa Clack, CEO Town of Cambridge – Job and Background Talk

On Duty: Club Host: **Cate Barlow**

Set up/Pack up: **Rory Beattie**

Coming up soon
Wednesday 11 June 2025

Activity: Club Forum
Club Host:
Set up/pack up:

GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

- Please register if you wish to join Scarborough Rotary's Lift the Lid Walk on 22 June.
- 4 members and partners will be travelling to Surabaya on 10 June. They will visit Karya Mulia School and attend the Rotary meeting.
- ToC Volunteer recognition function was attended by Jeremy Wood.

NEWS ABOUT OUR CLUB MEETINGS, ROTARY GENERALLY, & OUR WORLD

Today we heard from our newest member, Christine Tonkin. Christine titled her talk "Wearing Threads". She learned to crochet from her grandmother and loves fabric. Christine initially worked in community services; WACOSS and Anglicare. She then moved into Regional Development in the north-west of WA and Queensland. Her next progression was into Public Sector Management, particularly Public Procurement Management and Reform. Initially in Queensland, this led to Christine travelling the world. She had United Nations, Atomic Energy Agency and Asian Development Bank roles in the Republic of Ireland, Afghanistan (her favourite place!), Belgium, Denmark, Austria (met her Canadian husband), Trinidad and Tobago, Darfur Sudan (a Peace Keeping Mission), Papua New Guinea and Bangladesh. Christine's experiences equipped her to be a Politician, and she was successful in being elected the Member for Churchlands. Her learnings and approach included understanding the challenges of social and economic disadvantage, identifying and encouraging initiative, perfecting the art of credible commitments (do it, follow through), change making and learning to recognise goodness and generosity. Christine enjoys volunteering, cycling, involvement with Friends of Galup-Lake Monger. She is currently writing a book.



Old accountants don't die. They just lose their balance!

Birthdays: None this time

Wedding anniversaries: Max & Jan Puddey (3 June); Peter & Jean McSkimming (6 June); Graham & Anneitta McHarrie (7 June)

Rotary anniversaries:

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