



# ROTARY CLUB OF CAMBRIDGE CAMBRIDGE COURIER 2021 - 2022



District 9455 Western Australia

We usually meet at the Cambridge Bowling Club, Howtree Place, Floreat (near the Forum), at 7.10 am for 7.30 am.

## Our next Rotary Meeting: Wednesday, 6 April

**Speaker:** n/a – Club Forum

**Topic:** n/a

**THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD AT THE LAKE MONGER COMMUNITY SHED AT 7.15 FOR 7.30 AM**

On Duty 6/4/22:

**Speaker intro & thanks:** n/a

**Square Pupil:** Sue Brown

**Set up/Pack up:** n/a

### GENERAL NEWS ITEMS

- Everything is organised for this coming **Saturday, 2nd April**; firstly there is the **Bunnings Sausage Sizzle at Homebase** which basically runs from 7.30 am to 4.00 pm and involves more than a dozen Members, Partners and Family, and then there is the **Bunnings Raffle Table at Innaloo** between 9.00 am and 2.00 pm. Thanks to all who have volunteered to assist at these two fundraisers.
- We inducted a new Member today, and the formalities were conducted by Graham. We welcome Sue Brown as our newest Member and we wish her a long and fruitful time with our Club.
- The next meeting is the same as usual EXCEPT THAT IT WILL BE HELD AT THE COMMUNITY SHED PREMISES.

## Coming up soon: Wednesday, 13 April 2022

**Speaker:** Brendan Cook

**Topic:** To Their Credit – Pay Masters in WWI

**Speaker intro & thanks:** John Gartlan

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

### NEWS FROM OUR LAST MEETING

A sign of the times – our Guest Speaker on WA's hay industry had to bail out at the last moment after becoming a Covid close contact. Undaunted we had several impromptu stories from various Members, starting with Jeremy who talked about his encounters with elephants in Botswana and Zambia, and they are certainly fascinating beasts which must be treated with respect! Brian then followed with tales about his dealings with Italian migrants out in African bush camps, and the Bosazzas and Bocellis of this world certainly add colour and interest. Graham McH gave us an insight into his growing up in and around Norseman, and how he and his mates rode around free of parental supervision on horses that they had saddled up themselves! Cate brought us back to the city with anecdotes from her Director of Nursing days, including the sensitivities encountered when one is involved with admitting a patient into respite care. Peter B took us back to his schooldays when he was involved in State Schoolboy Rugby, including a train trip to Sydney to play in a tournament which ended with the Possibles versus the Probables ahead of announcing a National Schoolboy team. Rod, an erstwhile sport reporter, told us about comments made by the late Rod Marsh in relation to a stay in a dilapidated '5 star' hotel in India, and finally Ross told us about Harry Readford who operated as a stockman, drover and cattle thief out of Queensland in the second half of the 1800s. Thanks to each and every speaker for a very entertaining session!



***A bloke down the road is addicted to brake fluid; he says he can stop any time***

**Birthdays:** Mike Mullin (8 Apr)

**Wedding anniversaries:** none this time

**Rotary anniversaries:** Peter Pearse ('87)

**IF A MEMBER CAN'T ATTEND, OR WANTS TO BRING A VISITOR, PLEASE ADVISE LIBBY LARSEN BY EARLY MONDAY MORNING  
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