



## 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, 13 April*

*Speaker: Brendan Cook*

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

*On Duty 13/4/22:*

*Speaker intro & thanks: John Gartlan*

*Square Pupil: Cate Barlow*

*Set up/Pack up: Rory Beattie*

#### **GENERAL NEWS ITEMS**

- Jeremy reported on the Bunnings Sausage Sizzle at Homebase last Saturday during which around 470 hot dogs and 150 drinks were sold, as well as the Bunnings Raffle at Innaloo. Thanks were extended to all who helped on the day. Financial figures are imminent and hopefully we'll net around \$1,250 all told!
- Jim Berry is asking for people to man the RSL collection table at the Floreat Forum on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April. Please contact Jim right away (0408 911 939) if you can help.
- Similarly we'll be helping the Salvos with their collection by manning a table at the Forum on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May. More details to follow, but put it in your diary now please!

### *Coming up soon: Wednesday, 20 April 2022*

*Speaker: Michael Hammond*

*Topic: Groundwater Re-balancing*

*Speaker intro & thanks: Frank Nathan*

*Set up/Pack up: Peter Burns*

#### **NEWS FROM OUR LAST MEETING**

Our meeting this time was unique in that it took place at the Lake Monger Community Shed premises in Gregory Street Wembley, and it was a most interesting experience for all present. Our Rotary Club has been active in the establishment of the Shed since 2013, and Max Puddey has played a very prominent role throughout. He took the floor to explain what we could see around us, and he acknowledged all the hard work and commitment that has been displayed, including by the Town of Cambridge which owns the building itself. The Shed owns the equipment and leases the premises from the Council, and over time our Club has facilitated contacts rather than having to invest its own money in the project. Max gave a thorough explanation of the situation, covering topics such as safety, progress on the building itself, the refurbishment of equipment (both purchased and donated), and the establishment of four groups so far – namely Pottery, Steel, Wood and Turning. Each group has its own special requirements, and management is considering extending the groups to include Beehives and Cooking. Safety is the primary issue which understandably attracts great emphasis, but apart from that there are also maintenance and administrative needs. The Shed is examining various relevant revenue streams to maintain cash flow, and supervisors are being trained. After the talk Max, Peter P and Shed member Kim broke us into 3 groups for a tour of the facilities. It's very impressive indeed – well done to all involved!



***Does reading whilst sunbathing make one well red?***

*Birthdays: Mike Mullin (8 Apr); Roger Veary (14 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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