

**Invocation.** For good food, for good friendship and the privilege to serve we give thanks.

**Four Way Test of the things we think, say or do.** Is it the **TRUTH?** Is it **FAIR** to all concerned? Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?** Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

#### SHIRL'S SHENANIGINS

I was reading *Club Runner* and front page was the statement below.

# D9705 Rotary - Respect in relation to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

Rotary International has committed to promoting diversity, equity and inclusion and has stated that:

... Rotary values diversity and celebrates the contributions of people of all backgrounds, regardless of their age, ethnicity, race, colour, abilities, religion, socioeconomic status, culture, sex, sexual orientation, and gender identity.

Co-incidentally at the Christmas Party for the Carers Group at the Moruya Catholic Church a similar message was high on their agenda.

We hear this term but what is It? Also on ClubRunner's front page,

**Uluru Statement From the Heart**, recited by Thomas Mayor at a Rotary dinner in Melbourne.

The 4 minute video gives understanding. Copy and paste into your browser.

#### https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0Xxlwlv2vYQ

Shirl's comment – anyone with a heart will be moved by

Editor's comment: if you google D9705Club Runner you will probably get to the Statement more quickly.

The board is having a short impromptu meeting before this wook's Club Mooting to discuss changes to the Palliative

week's Club Meeting to discuss changes to the Palliative Care Vehicle Project and Australia Day. Shirl



The CAERH table at the Health EXPO manned by Lions. We will give it another run on Australia Day. Shirl



## Last Week- Amelia Seymour

Sheldon Jones of Merit Aviation has been promoted to Moruya Airport Manager and Amelia has been recruited to be the Chief Flying Instructor.

She has years of experience in flying round the world. Two years in the Navy introduced her to helicopters. She was able to combine University study in psychology and statistics with practical work for pilot's licences. Included in



this general flying experience was the surrogate production of two babies.

In the last two years before moving to Moruya she was a senior instructor in the Caboolture Flying Club. She formed a relationship with Blake, who has a family connection with Ulladulla and it became a strong reason for bringing her to our coast. Blake accompanied her talk with a variety of photographs emphasizing the beauty of our coast when seen from the air.

Merit Aviation receives no State or Federal money, relying on structured learning, from basic one on one flying to Commercial Pilot Licence. The latter involves hours of desk work and lectures.

Amelia has a particular interest in introducing disabled people to the delights of flying.

President Shirl's Board. Vice President Andrew Elek; Immediate Past President Chris Manahan; Secretary Andrew Elek Treasurer Jeff Proud Director Club Service Keith Armstrong; Meal Numbers John Hayes; Program John Gillett; Bulletin John Sewell; Membership Peter Smith; Director International Shirl Hayes; Director Vocational Pauline Gleeson; Director Community Service Col Jay; Director Youth Service Rhonnie Sourh Rotary Foundation Keith Armstrong; Catering Projects Ward Hack, Jan Young and Allan Veness; Protection Col Jay; ShelterBox Alan Shephard.

### The 2022 AGM—Agenda

- 1. Acceptance of the Minutes of the AGM held on 30 November 2021 as printed in last week's Bulletin.
- 2. Acceptance of the Annual Report for 2021-2022 as published in the Changeover Bulletin of 7 June 2022.
- 3. Acceptance of the Financial Statement for Rotary year 2021-2022 as printed in last week's Bulletin.
- 4. Election of officers to serve under President Andrew Elek for Rotary Year 2023-2024.

Vice President Allan Veness Secretary **Vacant** Treasurer Jeff Proud Club Service **Keith Armstrong** Community Service Chris Manahan and Steve Picton International Service **Shirley Hayes** Youth Service **Rhonnie South** Progam John Gillett **Vocational Service** Peter Smith Protection Col Jay Bulletin John Sewell Tony Armstrong Catering Plus Crew Foundation Phil Armstrong ShelterBox Alan Shephard **Partners** Sue Proud

## Our Scholarships—see below

We had four of our brightest young people at our meeting last week—two looking forward to University life and two recounting a character changing year at the ANU, living in Student quarters.

Ava Weymans was a NYSF



She has been awarded the \$4000 scholarship to assist in

her study of medical science at Newcastle University. She was school captain at Moruya High and has done a lot of volunteering with Broulee Surfers Surf Life Saving Club, including work with the nippers program. She hopes to become a rural GP.

Ryle Schuchmann: Carroll College, has been awarded the \$5000 scholarship to as-



sist with his Bachelor of Health and Physical Education at Wollongong University, where he has already gained early entry.

His sports include basketball and cricket and he is also a keen surfer.

Duty	This Week December 6	Next Week December 13
Badges	David Collis	
Invocation/toast	Steve Brogan	
Meet & Greet	Andrew Elek	Christmas
Cashiers	John Gillett Pauline Gleeson	Party
4 Way Test	Rohan Gleeson	\$35-00
Introduce		Per Head
Thank		

Birthday Jeff Proud Anniversary None

MEAL NUMBERS John Hayes will assume that you ARE attending unless you let him know by Sunday noon that you are not. The details are .

> Phone 0413 015 776 or, if that fails, Shirl on 0419 404 220

Email hayesim40@hotmail.com

**Program** 

December 6	AGM	
December 13	Christmas Party	Board Meeting
December 18	Races	Narooma Cup
December 20	No Meeting	
December 27	No Meeting	
January 2	Races	Moruya Cup
January 10	The Youngs	
January 12	Races	
January 17	The Prouds	

Amanda Emery, now eligible



the second half of her \$4000 scholarship found life at the

to receive

ANU challenging. She has switched courses from Bachelor of Commerce to business management and has become active in the Women's movements and the LGBTQ community.

Thomas Derwent, also eligi-



ble to receive \$2000, has completed first year International Relations and will be adding law

to make a double degree. He enthusiastically participates in many campus activities including the "Inward Bound" endurance, running and orienteering competition