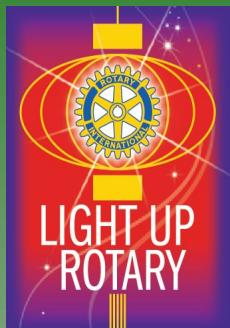


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Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully



WEEKLY BULLETIN



CFA INTERSECTION COLLECTION

This year members of the Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully were helpers rather than the organisers of the annual CFA tin rattle. Fries from both Ferntree Gully and Upper Ferntree Gully undertook to “rattle the tins” while Rotarians supervised the money count. **A whopping \$18,871.00 was raised.** Proceeds will be split between the two brigades.

What an achievement!

Well done everyone. Funds will go to helping both brigades in their efforts to keep their equipment absolutely “top notch”.

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UPCOMING MEETING RESPONSIBILITIES

| Date & Time: | Monday 3rd November [6.30 for 7.00] | Monday 10th Nov {6.30 for 7.00} | Monday 17th Nov [6.30 for 7.00] | Monday 24th Nov [6.30 for 7.00] | Monday 1st Dec [6.30 for 7.00] |
|-------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Venue: | | FTG Bowles | FTG Bowls | FTG Bowls | FTG Bowls |
| Program: | No | Committee Meeting | CFA Home Fire Safety Session | First Aid - St John's Amb. | Committee Meeting |
| Speaker: | Meeting | N/A | TBA | Gonzalo | N/A |
| Committee Subject | | TBA | N/A | N/A | TBA |
| Chair: | Melbourne | Mike S | Greg D | Graham F | Mike S |
| Cashiers: | Cup | Greg D & Fran M | Graeme A | Paul McA | Graham F |
| Grace & Toast: | Eve | Rob D | Christine A | Enid H | Paul W |
| Rotary Knowledge | | Fran M Rotary Peace Fellowship[| | Rob H Aust.Rotary Health | Rob D RAWCS |
| Sergeant-At-Arms: | | Lee M | Lee M | Lee M | Paul McA |
| Scribe: | | Christine A | Rob D | John F | Christine A |

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| <i>Birthdays:</i> | 5th—Rob Hurst |
| <i>Wedding Anniversaries:</i> | None |
| <i>Induction to RC of Fern Tree Gully</i> | 10th—Graeme Aspinall—'88 |

“MIKE’S MUSINGS....

Hi, all!

The meeting at the Civic Centre for the annual recognition of volunteer groups by the Knox Council went very well, and those that attended seemed to be busy talking to a wide range of groups (including the Fries) - and of course the Councillors and staff – well done, all!

This Monday’s meeting (3 November) won’t happen because of the Tuesday Public holiday for Cup Day. Good luck with your annual betting spree!

Our first meeting back will be a “club meeting”, and I ask you to form your committee group and discuss progress and projects, etc. over your meal and drinks. We will then adjourn to the conference room to perform the formal meeting procedure, after which the Board will meet while the others can continue fellowship in the lounge or bar if they so desire.

Since we cannot perform a proper toast without liquid refreshments in our hands, I suggest we now dispense with the “Grace and toast” component of our formal agenda. I can mention our commitment to “Rotary and Australia” at the start of the President’s welcome each week, if you wish.

Remember to think about a potential new member whom you would like to join “our happy little crew in our new home”!

Keep well, and happy! TTFN from Mike.



Mike Spark
President

"THE WEEK THAT WAS"

Monday 27th October 2014

Members of the Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully along with all the other Service organisations operating in the city of Knox were invited to attend a Volunteer's Evening being held at the Council Offices. Several of our members took advantage of the invitation and found it was a couple of hours well spent as we got to network with a number of people we hadn't met before as well as catching up with other Rotarians.

As the Volunteers evening clashed with our normal club meeting night it was agreed this evening would be a "make-up". No Minutes therefore were taken.

Enid Hughes
Bulletin Editor



PLEASE NOTE
Monday 3rd November
Is Cup Eve

There will be no Club Meeting.



**Next meeting will be held at
Ferntree Gully Bowling Club
On
Monday 10th December**
and will be a Committee Meeting night.

**There will be no Bulletin issued
on 10th December**

District Conference Presentations

The District Conference Committee will be contacting clubs to make arrangements to visit and deliver a presentation on the Conference during the period August through to November. Clubs are asked to allow some space in their program for this presentation and to advise preferred dates to District Conference Chair, Trevor Dawson.

**Bob Hurst (Program Director) —
take note.**

Community Kitchen Roster - 2014

Guide Hall

Underwood Rd
Ferntree Gully (Next to train station car park)
Rotary roster - every second Wednesday, 5.30pm

| DATE | ROTARIAN |
|---------------|--------------------|
| 5th November | Christine Anderson |
| 19th November | Graeme Aspinall |
| 3rd December | Paul Wilson |
| 17th December | Enid Hughes |

Dinner provided
Contact Graeme Aspinall for more
information
0425 432 290

CFA COLLECTION

A great turnout of CFA personnel. Terrific job everyone—the best collection we've had since *Black Saturday*

