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Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully

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IVAN GIGOVIC,
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Rotary Club of Fern Tree Gully



WEEKLY BULLETIN



DISTRICT ASSEMBLY

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Considered the most important District event of the year. It was well attended with lots of shared information, discussions and networking.
Great morning! Well spent.

Seven members of our club were there with each of us taking part in different sessions. It will be interesting to hear everyone's opinion at the meeting on Monday.

See you all then!

Cheers.....

Enid Hughes
Bulletin Editor

UPCOMING MEETING RESPONSIBILITIES

Date & Time:	Monday 22nd May [6.30 for 7.00]	Monday 29th May [6.30 for 7.00]	Monday 5th June [6.30 for 7.00]	Monday 12th June [6.30 for 7.00]	Monday 19th June [6.30 for 7.00]
Venue:	FTG Bowling Club	FTG Bowling Club	FTG Bowling Club		FTG Bowling Club
Program:	Club Visioning	Club Visioning	Hypnotherapist & Counsellor	Queen's	Committee Meetings
Speaker:	Lachlan Fennen	Lachlan Fennen	Mike Welsh	Birthday	GROUP A
Chair:	Bob H	Paul McA	Paul W		Ray H
Rotary Toast	John F	Mike S	Fran M	No	Martin B
Cashier:	Graeme A	Graham F	Martin B	Meeting	Gary B
Scribe:	Paul W	Gary B	Ray H		Mike S
Rotary Knowledge	N/A				John F
Topic:					Rotary's 6 Areas of Focus
Sergeant-At-Arms:	John F	John F	John F		Paul W
Partners' Night	Yes	No	No	No	No

<i>Birthdays:</i>	None
<i>Wedding Anniversaries:</i>	None
<i>Induction to RC of Fern Tree Gully</i>	None



CHRISTINE'S CHATTERBOX

I am eagerly looking forward to our first session of our Club Visioning next Monday, you would all have received the comments on the questionnaire,
Thank you for all your vision ideas, from our next two weeks sessions our small but very focused hard working and vibrant members we will be given the opportunity to see a clear direction of your ideas to make us a much stronger club over the next three years
I would love to see as many partners join us over the next two weeks as we know they support us in all our projects and social events, we value their ideas.
By the time you receive this, many of us would have attended the District Assembly, please share your thoughts and ideas from the various breakout sessions.

Our club fellowship committee is on "Fire" we have many exciting social events coming up in the next few months.

What a way to keep away the "Winter Blues" check out the bulletin for all the dates

Enjoy your weekend

Looking forward to seeing you and your partners on Monday evening.

Yours in Rotary

Christine Anderson

President 2016-2017



"THE WEEK THAT WAS"

Monday, 15th May 2017

The meeting opened at 7 pm with President Christine welcoming all members.

President Christine announced:

Knox cluster is having a joint foundation event in the form of a trivia night.

Letter from Eastern Domestic Violence Foundation thanking us for our donation.

Letter of appreciation from Rotary Health in recognition of our support.

Next Sunday the 21st May is District Assembly and Christine would like as many members as possible to attend.

Chairman: Ray Hollis

CHAIRMAN'S REPORTS:

Secretary: Paul McAloney

Mail has been distributed and there are no apologies

Treasurer: (Enid Hughes) It is tradition in the club that the annual report is available on changeover. As changeover is on the 18th June, it may be difficult to have it completed in time.

Enid and Ray are going overseas from August to October, and during their absence they will require someone to publish the bulletin.

Community (Ray Hollis) Garden beds have been completed at Knoxbrooke.

Grants that Community have under consideration are:

Scholarship for MLDC.

District Global grant

District grant to assist us with domestic violence

Youth: (Paul Wilson) Meeting on the 17th May at Fairhills High School regarding Interact.

Paul W and P Mc interviewed Steve Robertson on the 12th May. Steve is our RYLA candidate.

Fellowship: (Fran Mandergeddes)

28th May is lunch at Martin & Emma's place.

11th June is Jazz day at the Royal hotel.

18th June is changeover lunch.

25th June visit to Art Gallery to see the Van Gough exhibition.

Fundraising (Graeme Aspinall) Bunnings BBQ on the 12th May raised \$550.

Sergeant-At-Arms: (Graeme Aspinall) Graeme asked us some questions about general knowledge.

Skill: Enid won the swindle but drew the king of spades.

We live again.

PROGRAM: (Use back of sheet) Paul Wilson gave us a talk on RYLA as apart of Rotary Knowledge.

We then had our committee B meetings.

OTHER: President Christine advised everyone that next weeks meeting is the 1st of our meetings to plan the future of our club.

Christine reminded everyone to keep collecting stamps.

She also advised the meeting that Barbara Tapper intends to Join the club.

Meeting closed at 8.25pm.

Scribe: Paul McAloney



Why Join Rotary?

Realization of "Service Above Self"

Opportunities to be involved with community and international projects

Team up with other volunteers to make a difference

Appreciation for your contribution

Respect, fellowship and fun

Our skills and talents are shared

COMMITTEE / BOARD REPORTS

May 2017 Board Meeting

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

- We have a potential candidate for RYLA—Stephen Robertson—thanks to the assistance of Enid H. Paul W and I need to plan a time and venue to interview Stephen.
- I have firmed up our visit to Rotary *Donations in Kind* for Saturday, 22nd July. I have suggested to Laurie Fisher that we will arrive at around 10.00 a.m. and have offered about 2 hours of labour. This will be followed by lunch and is planned as a partners' event.
- "About Me" talks to be scheduled for the second half of the year. Those who have already participated are: Martin B, Fran M, Gary B and Ray H. We need to nominate other members to speak and arrange dates.

Gary Braddock
Vocational Chair

FUNDRAISING REPORT

GREAT COMMUNITY RAFFLE:

Permission has been sought from the management group for the Upper Gully Plaze (Maxi's) to sell raffle tickets during May and June. Hoping it will come through soon as tickets will be available next week. We will have 75 book to sell. Potential profit is \$1,500.00

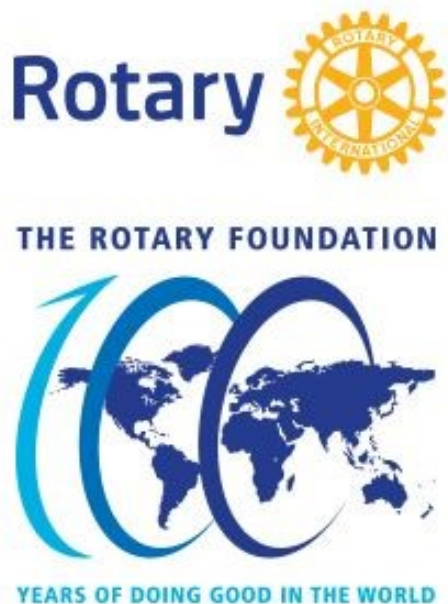
PROPOSED ANTQUE FAIR

Since our last meeting I have obtained the cost of hiring a proposed venue. The Hungarian Community Centre, Boronia Rd, Watirna. They have two halls available:

- Main Hall 40m x 16m [640 sq.mtrs] \$1,500
- Medium Hall 30m x 15m [450 sq.mtrs] \$1,200

Mount Albert & Surrey Hill Rotary Club (MASH) are conducting their Antique Fair in late May/ I will be suggesting our committee goes and has a look at what is involved.

Graeme Aspinall
Fundraising Chair



Rotary's early emblem was a simple wagon wheel (in motion with dust). It was designed in 1905 by Montague M. Bear, a member of the Rotary Club of Chicago who was an engraver. He designed the emblem to represent both civilization and movement. Most of the early Rotary clubs adopted the wheel in one form or another. The present emblem, 24 cogs and six spokes, was adopted in 1924. A keyway was added to signify usefulness. An official description of the emblem was adopted at the 1929 International Convention.



IMPORTANT DATES TO DIARISE.....

22-May	Club Visioning	Lachlan Fennen
28-May	Fellowship Lunch	Emma & Martin Boettcher's Home
29-May	Club Visioning	Lachlan Fennen
June	is Rotary Fellowship month	
5-Jun	Hypnotherapist and Counsellor	Mike Welsh
9-Jun	Bunnings Sausage Sizzle	
10-14 Jun	International Convention	Atlanta, Florida
11-Jun	Jazz At the Royal	Royal Hotel, Upper Gully
12-Jun	Queen's Birthday - No Meeting	
18-Jun	CHANGEOVER	Yering Meadows Golf Club
19-Jun	Committees' Meeting	Group A
25-Jun	Art Gallery Visit (Van Gogh)	10.00 a.m. Meet at the National Art Gallery
26-Jun		
Goodbye Christine, WELCOME Christine		

Legend:

	Partners' Night
	Fundraising Event
	District Event
	Fellowship Event
	Community Event



Eight years ago, no one was talking about pads as a priority. Today, Days for Girls has reached over 650,000 women and girls. Here's to sparking conversations and redefining what's possible. Thank you for being a part of the movement.



One
Of
Next
Year's
Projects
For
RC Fern Tree Gully????

