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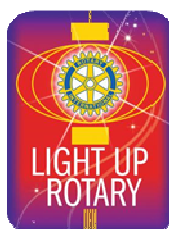
BULLETIN OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF WAGGA WAGGA INC.

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THE 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?

BULLETIN NO: 6

Thursday, 7th August 2014

THE MONTH OF AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP AND EXTENSION MONTH

Club meets at the Jezza Room, The Rules Club, 6pm for 6.30pm **unless stated below**

Duty Officers' Roster

	Thursday 14 th August 2014	Thursday 21 st August 2014	Thursday 28 th August 2014
Programme	Book Sort CSU Sth Campus (See directions below)	New Member Vocational (Kieran)	Partners' Night WW Country Club
Attendance	Karel Bijker N/R	Karel Bijker David Payne	Karel Bijker Ailsa Bowman
Greeter	N/R	Thara Pech	Rob Sharkie
Short and Sweet*	N/R	Bryan Short	Peter Veerhuis
Sergeant at Arms	N/R	John Studdert	Alok Sharma
Introduce Speaker	N/R	David Cannon	John Studdert
Vote of Thanks	N/R	Ellen Brasier	Graham Russell
Bulletin	Brad Bland	Gerry Page	Elaine Almond



If you cannot attend a meeting, please lodge your apology with **THE RULES CLUB** phone 6931 1511 by 2.30 pm Wednesday (or pre-record it in the apology book provided at the meeting attendance table). Also, for catering purposes, please advise if bringing a guest or partner to a meeting.

Please arrange for a replacement if you cannot fulfil your rostered duty, and advise the Bulletin Reporter.

*Short and Sweet Key

Week 1 Inspiration	7 th August
Week 2 International Toast	14 th August
Week 3 Rotary Information	21 st August
Week 4 Show and Tell or a Joke	28 th August

THIS WEEK:

ATTENDANCE: There were 32 members present. Alok Sharma's guests were Peter & Vida Smart. Club Guests were Graeme Anderson and Victoria Dalglish.

APOLOGIES: Were received from Phil Jackson, Gordon Saggars, Tim Crowley, Terry Mecham, Thara Pech, Peter Chenoweth, Elaine Almond, Bryan Short, Paul Galloway, David Payne and Ian Gibson.

REPORTS:

Clean Up Wagga Wagga: 12 members turned out on a beautiful Sunday morning and in three hours managed to traverse the entire length of Redhill Road, leaving it in pristine condition. Thank you to: Tony Hutchinson, Bruce Heydon, Peter Veerhuis, Barry Francis, Mike Murray, Neil Hilpern, Karel Bijker, Fran and David Payne, Bruce and Ruth Barber and Gerry Page. Tony and Lyn Hutch rewarded the workers with a tasty BBQ Lunch and also a tour of their new caravan which has enough headspace for Tony. Graeme Callander advises that this may be our last Red Hill road clean up as the Council is concerned for their liability for our safety on a busy road. Suggestions are invited for a suitable non or low traffic area which would benefit from our efforts.

Bill Prest reported on the successful RDA Trivia Night at the Rules Club, 1st August, the universal horses' birthday. 100 entrants enjoyed the evening & raised \$1900.

CLUB NOTES:

President Ellen asked that we write our apologies in the book in BLOCK LETTERS so the names are legible for the person at the Rules Club reading them.

SHORT AND SWEET: Ailsa Bowman presented her "Inspirational" talk referring to interesting details she gleaned from a book she picked up at a Book Sort, entitled Dinkum Dictionary by Susan Butler. The Australian accent apparently was formed by the children of convicts melding the variety of dialects then, and still, existing across England. There are instances of Regionalism in our language such as referring to Little Lunch in NSW, Play Lunch in Victoria and Recess in South Australia. Paterson's Curse or Riverina Bluebell in NSW is known as Salvation Jane in South Australia. The latter ascribed either to the shape of the Salvos Bonnets or the early green pick provided by the weed at the Spring Break. Words such as Boofhead emerged from a comic strip in a Sydney newspaper in 1940 and Ocker from The Mavis Bramston TV Shows in the 1960s. Kookaburra is derived from the Wiradjuri name and has outlived Laughing Jackass and other names for the bird.

SERGEANT AT ARMS: Brad Bland took us around the world with a fine fines session and mentioned an outlet in the USA where signage prominently displayed the message that no firearms allowed at any time was taken advantage of by being robbed at gunpoint

COMING UP: Club Calendar

- **Thursday 14th August- BOOK SORTING NIGHT at the new room at CSU South Campus from 5.30pm. LOCATION: Enter Hely Ave from Fernleigh Road then take the first turn to the left into the South Campus grounds, take the next left towards the buildings and follow around to a parking area.**

COMMUNITY EVENTS

- August 17, 24, & 31 at 3pm **'PROOF'** A Bee Bags & Wagga School of Arts Production, Basement Theatre. Morrow Street 6926 9688 or 6921 2594 for bookings.
- Saturday 16 August, 7.30 p.m., Wagga City Rugby Male Choir will perform with the Victorian Welsh Choir at the Civic Theatre. Tickets from the Theatre Booking Office.
- **Fund Raising Dinner** This will be held at The Country Club on Friday 5th September to support Koorringal Rotary Club's Youth Exchange Nominee Courtney Smith. Tickets available at Mt Austin High for \$50.
Courtney is living way from home and is supporting herself through work at KFC. She was Dux through years 6-9 & 2nd in Year 10. She aspires to become a Paramedic and is studying a Nursing Subject at TAFE whilst completing her School Years.
- Friday, 5th September, 2014-BEBL: **John Studdert is taking names for a Club Table**



Meet Sam Kekovich & Dr John Tickell at **WAGGA WAGGA'S BIGGEST EVER BLOKE'S LUNCH**

Friday, 5 September, 2014
12:30pm - 4:30pm - the whole afternoon!

Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia

Special Guests

Sam Kekovich
Australian media personality, sports commentator and former Australian rules football player.

Dr John Tickell
International speaker, author and health specialist.

What we need...
The organising committee is seeking sponsors for the auction items, raffle prizes, lucky door items, along with companies prepared to buy tables or individuals prepared to organise a table of 10. We are looking for your support to help make a difference in the fight against prostate cancer.

Supporting  **Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia**



About... As part of the Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia's new Community Service campaign, themed "The Difference is You!", Australians are being encouraged to host a barbecue for prostate cancer during September.

Far too many Australians are, or will, feel the impact of prostate cancer. According to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, it is estimated in 2014 alone, more than 20,000 Australian men will be diagnosed with prostate cancer and more than 3,300 Australian men will lose their life to this disease each year.

A group of Wagga Wagga men have banded together to make a difference by hosting Wagga Wagga's Biggest Ever Bloke's lunch, a barbecue at the Wagga RSL Club on Friday, 5 September, 2014 from 12:30pm - 4:30pm... the whole afternoon!

Who's going...
More than 300 men are expected to attend this sports themed event. Tables of ten are available at \$900 each and all food, beer and wine is included. You don't need to organise a whole table to attend though! Everyone is welcome. Individual tickets are \$95.

What's on offer...
You'll be looked after all afternoon with food, drinks, entertainment from Sam Kekovich, Dr John Tickell, auction items, raffles and lucky door prizes. You won't go away disappointed!

Sponsorship...
For more information on becoming a sponsor or supporter, contact:
Graham Gornel - (02) 6922 4241
gornel@wagga.beb1.com.au
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Ticket Sales
2WG / Star FM Offices
198 Lake Albert Road, Wagga
(02) 6921 1022
Tickets on sale from 1 August



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Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia

GUEST SPEAKER: Graeme Anderson and Victoria Dalglish represented Compact which conducted a recent 4 day program "Feeding the World". The Program is aimed at students from years 9 to 12 to inform them of possible career paths in Agriculture.

The Program is supported by the NAB and The Smith Family to promote Agricultural Careers.

Sixty-four students engaged in 3 activities - Overview & Induction, Individual Talks from 5 Industry Specialists and a Hypothetical Session to discuss critical Issues; this included the presence of young Agriculture Professionals to discuss first hand experiences.

The students were split into small groups and sessions were informal. The purpose of the sessions was to show how the Industries work, demonstrate the chain of "Paddock to Plate", Employment Prospects and level of training, practical and tertiary required.

There were 5 X 2 Day Tours of up to 15 Students at a time.

The response was very good with many questions and an increased appreciation of career options.

Students submitted reports which they presented at their Schools. The Organisers were very satisfied with

the level of commitment from the Industry Bodies and grateful for our Rotary Club's support and Graeme Callander's Bus driving assistance.

The Cost for these Courses was \$14,000. The Federal Government has withdrawn any Funding and partnerships are required to maintain this program. Graham Gorrel thanked our Speakers for a great review and presented each with a Certificate for the Immunisation of 10 children against Polio.



Graham, Graeme and Victoria.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:

15th August to 21st August

Birthdays: Nil

Anniversaries: Nil

Rotary Anniversaries: Nil



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Exercise for over fifties



Begin by standing on a comfortable surface, where you have plenty of room on each side

With a 2 kilo potato bag in each hand, extend your arms straight out from your sides and hold them there as long as you can. Try to reach a full minute, then relax.

Each day you will find that you will be able to hold this position for just a little longer. After a couple of weeks move up to 5 kg potato bags.

Then try 10 kg bags and eventually try to get to where you can get to lift a 20 kg bag in each hand and hold your hands straight for more than a full minute.

After you feel quite confident at that level, put a potato in each bag

The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- FIRST. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- SECOND. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- THIRD. The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- FOURTH. The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.