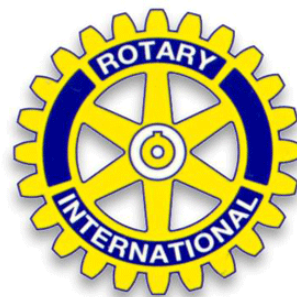


The Keyway



ROTARY CLUB OF WAGGA WAGGA SUNRISE Inc.

DISTRICT 9700

PO Box 5430 Wagga Wagga 2650 NSW

Meeting Venue: Thyme Out Restaurant, The Manor,
38 Morrow Street, Wagga Wagga

Meeting Time: Breakfast 7.00am for 7.15am
Completed by 8.30am



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

25 October 2011

October is Vocational Service
Month

ATTENDANCE NO: ?

MAKE-UPS:

APOLOGIES: Yvonne Braid, Deborah Braines, Joe Fealy, David Gilbey, Jennifer Weale.

LEAVE: Jan Gray, Anne Pattison.

GUEST SPEAKER: Peter Brown.



VISITING ROTARIANS None

MEMBERS' GUESTS: None

BIRTHDAYS: David Gilbey

ANNIVERSARY/S: None

COMING EVENTS/FUND RAISERS:

- 1 Garden Festival 29th & 30th October
- 2 AGM & Succession Planning 22nd November
- 3 20th Anniversary Dinner 29th November

PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Alan Sharp

- 1 RYDA was a great success with broad school participation, experienced presenters and Alan will be attending a Presidents forum in Temora on Sunday 6th November
- 2 The Christmas party is to be held on Tuesday the 13th December
- 3 Alan has been pleased to see strong support provided to the Garden Festival committee and John and Dave have ordered a fine weekend
- 4 It is proposed to display a shelter box at the Garden Festival and a volunteer is required to display the equipment
- 5 A leader is needed to organise the Christmas Party at Thyme Out on 13th December, Sue McAlpine volunteered.
- 6 Alan asked all Charter members to prepare a profile on themselves re their community involvement over the years, asap which will be put into the booklet being prepared for the night.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: Marilyn Walter

1. Outward mail: 114 invitations to former Sunrise Rotarians, official community and Rotary guests and present members
2. Inward mail:

All Patios and Skylights	Garden Festival Booking
Care Flight	Annual Report
Anne Pattison	Thanks for bouquet of pink and white rosebuds from Sunrise

TREASURER'S REPORT: none

DIRECTORS' REPORTS:

John Wood, We need more people for the various tents over the weekend of the Garden Festival
Sell Raffle tickets before the weekend

Does anyone need more raffle tickets ?

Val ... thanked all those who helped sell raffle tickets at Woolworths over the weekend

Noelene ...thanked Bronwyn Hills and PRD Nationwide Real estate for their \$150 donation for shelter boxes

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS: An entertaining fine session initiated by Val Samuelson.

- Anyone who did not get an invitation to a party during the week

- Noisy table ,very, very noisy All Mem
- All men who John Wood does not think can make a sandwich
- Ian for needing a new badge already
- Patrick for being out of Australia last week
- Anyone who did not go out of Wagga last week
- Anyone in the club who has not been a guest speaker
- Anyone who does not have a cat
- Men not wearing long sleeves
- Men not wearing a tie

X Fines Denise anyone not wearing a Pink Breast cancer badge

FINES \$76.60

BARRELL DRAW: Dizzy

GUEST SPEAKER – INSURANCE AND WHERE DOES IT FIT INTO OUR LIVES.

Peter commenced with a history of insurance and its development and effect on our lives and its place in business.

The first methods of transferring or distributing risk were practiced by the Chinese and Babylonian traders as long ago as the 3rd and 2nd millennia BC

Peter explained that Lloyds of London is not an insurance co , it is a market and commenced in a coffee shop by Edward Lloyd, a popular place for merchants to meet for shipping news and commenced primarily as Marine Ins. In 1691 they moved to larger premises and in 1713 when Edward passed away his son took over the business.

The business changed in 1771 when merchants and ship owners put up 100 pound each and basically formed a co.op and today Lloyds of London remains the leading market for marine and other specialist types of insurance , but it works rather differently than the more familiar kinds of insurance.

Insurance of today can be traced to the Great Fire of London, which 1666 devoured 13,200 houses. In the aftermath of this disaster, Nicholas Barbon an opened up an office to insure buildings. In 1680, he established Englands first fire insurance company. THE FIRE OFFICE to insure brick and frame homes .In the late 19th century, accident insurance began to be available ,which operated much like modern disability insurance.

Cuthbert Heath started at Lloyds in 1859 on 100 pounds a year and by 21 he had become an underwriting member and is recognised as being the father of non-marine insurance , creating the first burglary, earthquake and hurricane policies

Lloyds was backed by rich individuals with all of their private wealth since 1994 Lloyd,s has allowed corporate members into the market. The losses in the early 1990,s devastated many Names with 1500 out of 34000 Names being declared bankrupt.

Peter began work in insurance on the 17th Dec 1966, worked with the Co from 1970-1972 in PNG, came back to Wagga and worked with QBE until 1982 when he resigned and started Peter Brown and Assoc in Wagga, he was the State Brokers Rep for the District for 18yrs and currently is working on the correct wording for insurance on the redevelopment of the MILL

Peter spoke proudly of his and his families achievements in building up the name of Peter Brown and Assoc in the Riverina and their recognition within the Insurance Industry in Australia.

Darren Verus thanked Peter for his speech.

MEETING CLOSED: 8.30 am.

Roster for October / November

Date	1 November	8 November	15 Nov	22 Nov	29 Nov
Venue	Thyme Out	Thyme Out	Thyme Out	Thyme Out	RSL
Meet & Greet	Ian MacDonald	Ian MacDonald	Len Wade	Len Wade	
Meeting setup	Alan Sharp	Alan Sharp	Alan Sharp	Alan Sharp	
Meeting pack up	Tessa Bremner	Tessa Bremner	John Wood	John Wood	
Attendance Desk	Dennis Blackett Max Chapman	Dennis Blackett Max Chapman	Yvonne Braid Sue McAlpin	Yvonne Braid Sue McAlpin	
Sergeant-at-Arms	David brady	Dennis Blackett	Darren Verus	Helen Allen	David Gilbey
Bulletin Reporter	Jennifer Weale	Jennifer Weale	D Desailly	D.Desailly	
Program	Melbourne Cup Call	District Committee Foundation Speaker	Geoff Simpson	Club AGM	Evening Celebration Our 20 th Anniversary
Introduce Speaker	Alan Sharp	Fred Loneragan	Denise Flockton		
Thank Speaker	Alan Sharp	Noelene Hogan	Jennifer Weale		

****Reminder:** If you are rostered on for a job but can't make the meeting, please make arrangements for someone to replace you

Board Members 2010/2011:

President:	Alan Sharp	Secretary:	Marilyn Walter
Treasurer:	Sandra Rootes	President Elect:	Val Samuelson
Club Administration:	Val Samuelson	Rotary Foundation:	Noelene Hogan
Membership/Vocational:	Jo Wilson	Public Relations:	Yvonne Braid
Service Projects:	Dave O'Grady	Youth:	Peter Gissing
Immediate Past President:	Denise Flockton		

District Governor: Ian Simpson & Jean [Rotary Club of Orange North]

Assistant Governor: Gary Roberts [Rotary Club of Wagga Wagga Murrumbidgee]

Club Members involved at District Level:

Director, District Foundation: Fred Loneragan (Rotary Foundation)

Director, District Rotary Service Projects: Noelene Hogan

District Chairperson: Fred Loneragan (Rotarians Fighting for Aids, Peace Communities)

District Committees: Noelene Hogan (Director, District Rotary Service Projects)
Marilyn Walter (Rotarians Fighting For Aids)
Denise Flockton (Vocational Services & Awards)

International Peace Communities Conference: Fred Loneragan (Chairman), David Gilbey

New Members Inducted for 2011/2012:

Ndungu Mungai. Ian MacDonald, Tessa Bremner

THE FOUR WAY TEST:

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Make Ups A member can make up absences 14 days before or after the usual meeting time by attending and participating in a club service project, a club sponsored community event, a meeting of the club's board, a meeting of a service committee to which the member is assigned, official Rotary business or a Foundation remote area project. Please give Rotary make up cards at the attendance desk so they can be recorded.

Bulletin Reporter: **Bernie Benson**

Keyway Editors: **Jo Wilson**

An Email from David:

Just a note to let you, and my friends at Sunrise, know I'm OK. I'm just past the half-way point and will be soon back in Wagga - I know only too well that it will seem as if I've never been, though the memories and pics will help it stay in my mind.

The Japan Writers Conference I attended was fine (one speaker was the Indian novelist who wrote the book on which the film Slumdog Millionaire was based). My own editing workshop went well and was appreciated - there were seven in the group: such a mixture of talented, insightful and varied poems.

Because I was asked, I have given an 'encouraging' speech at Sendai Toastmasters - after the earthquake and tsunami in March. Some of the Toastmasters took me on a drive to the areas around Sendai port and to the north where the brunt of the tsunami hit. I had a palpable sense of emptiness - reinforced by the grey day, the grey concrete house and building foundations remaining after their 'charges' had been wrenched away. I've drafted a poem - will work on it. Maybe I can speak at the Club one morning when I'm back. I'd like to say I have some vivid pics but my phone camera just doesn't do the devastation with sufficient gravity.

I've met up with many friends (I'll catch up with John Morris on Saturday), eaten some fantastic, exotic food (eg pig intestine and horse sashimi), given radio interviews for a bi-lingual cultural program, and spoken about Australia to an adult language and culture group, using a power point presentation in which I announced Dame Edna Everage (born in Wagga) was the Queen of Australia!

I hope you are all well and thriving! See you soon,

david

David Gilbey

Dear District 9700 members

This is a final call for members to take advantage of the great opportunity to experience India in the safe homes & hands of host Rotarians. Due to unforeseen circumstances we have lost several of our travelling partners & would very much like to add at least one more couple or single to our team. Even more would be very welcome! The date of departure has been put back a week to the Friday 3rd February to arrive in time to spend a day at District 3040 Conference before joining our host families. The length of the Friendship Exchange is 10 days & after that it is the intention of the team members to travel together on a 6 day guided tour of the Golden Triangle of India taking in the sights of the Taj Mahal, Old Delhi, Agra & the Red Fortress. Closing date for joining this exchange is 31st October.

Please give this matter some thought & if you are at all interested please contact me as soon as possible.

*Lance Gillespie
Rotary Friendship Exchange Chairman
District 9700*

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BREAKING NEWS

To save the economy, on October 30, 2011

The PM will announce that the immigration department will be ordered to start deporting old people (instead of illegal's) in order to lower Social Security and Medicare costs.

Old people are easier to catch, and most will not

remember how to get back home!

I started crying when I thought of you.

RUN, YOU OLD BUGGERS, RUN!!

Well..... Someone sent it to me and I'm not going alone ...