



# Rotary Club of Koorringal

Chartered 1969

Wagga Wagga – First Peace Community

## The Bulletin

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**Meetings: Wednesday 6.30pm - Wagga Wagga Country Club**

### Board of Directors 2011-2012

■ President:	Ray Brown
■ Vice President:	Trevor Webb
■ President Elect:	Reg Miegel
■ Secretary:	Doug Masterson
■ Treasurer:	John Roberson
■ Club Administration:	Reg Miegel
■ Public Relations:	Malcolm Nixon
■ Membership:	Dennis Bishop
■ Foundation:	Peter Rushbrook
■ Service:	Gavin Davies
■ Youth:	Rod Francis
■ Immediate PP:	Peter Rushbrook
■ International:	Greg Guttler



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

District Governor 9700: Ian Simpson – Orange North

RI President 2011-2012: Kalyan Banerjee – Vapi, Gujarat, India

### The “Four Way Test” of the things we think, do and say:

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## Attendance:

**Members:** 22 attending 75%

**Apologies:** 7. Absent 1

**Guests:** Margaret Gardiner, Darrell Kelly & Mathew Fox

## Reports

**President:** Ray Brown

Ray welcomed all members and guests and called upon Henry Gardiner to propose a Toast to the Queen.

Greg Guttler proposed an International Toast to the Rotary Club of Rutherglen Scotland.

We will require a Program Coordinator to relieve Secretary Doug of this task. To commence 1<sup>st</sup> December, all enquiries to Reg Miegel.

**Secretary:** Doug Masterson

- Humanity in Motion books are available for collection, please read and then distribute.
- Can Assist Sydney Male Choir concert 18<sup>th</sup> September St Johns Church 2pm
- Volunteer Declaration forms need to be completed
- Sid Clarke is currently on leave
- Kevin Warden is back at home awaiting test results
- Visited Wal Breust
- Peter Keith is our Conference Organiser
- Vocational Excellence Awards need to be submitted by 31<sup>st</sup> October
- Keep collecting batteries, boxes available , see Mike Haggar
- **Position Vacant: Program Co-coordinator to commence 1<sup>st</sup> December Enquiries to Reg Miegel**

**Treasurer:** John Roberson

- New receipt books printed
- Banners and Pull-up sign ordered
- Donation made to 2AAA FM
- Funding sought for Solomons Project

**Service:** Gavin Davies

- Rugby Union Grand Final BBQ 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2 to 5.30pm
- Races 6<sup>th</sup> September 12.30 start , Captain is Mike Haggar
- Jazz Festival passes will be issued next week
- Group 9 Grand Final car parking is being organised
- Harry Nixon o coordinate RYDA
- Awaiting outcome of our grant application for Steve O'Halloran park

**Youth:** Rod Francis-No Report

**Membership:** Dennis Bishop- Please complete your membership plan

**Foundation:** Peter Rushbrook-No Report

**Sergeant:** Dennis Bishop fined the following members

- Ray Brown-Starting late again
- Gavin Davies-Spilt Wine
- Rod Francis-Playing golf on Plumpton road
- Arthur Garthon-Winning both raffles last week
- Ray King-Not happy with Tri nations Rugby result
- Malcolm Nixon-No Delhi Belli
- Ken Post-Tall but true farm stories
- Pop Power-Now our shortest member in "Rushbrook's" absence

**The Raffle was won by:** Mike Haggar

**What's On and When:**

- September 7<sup>th</sup> John Roberson-Solomon Islands trip
- September 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Jazz Festival
- September 14<sup>th</sup> Eamon Purcell Japanese Tsunami Aftermath –Ladies welcome 8:30pm finish
- September 21<sup>st</sup> Club Discussion
- September 21<sup>st</sup> RFFA Presentation (Fred Loneragan)
- September 26<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting
- September 27<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Koorinal Rotary Club 27/09/1969
- September 28<sup>th</sup> Club birthday celebration dinner
- October 5<sup>th</sup> RAAF Base Heritage Centre Visit & Dinner
- October 19<sup>th</sup> AGM
- October 26<sup>th</sup> Lisa Glastonbury Power Station visit preview
- October 31<sup>st</sup> Board Meeting
- November 2<sup>nd</sup> Origin Energy Power Station visit
- November 6<sup>th</sup> Presidents Forum Young
- November 12<sup>th</sup> Yalbalingada Reunion Dinner
- November 23<sup>rd</sup> Greg Knight Dinner
- November 28<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting
- December 7<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party

**Guest Speaker: Mathew Fox**

Mathew was introduced by John Roberson; he is a practicing Solicitor and gave an interesting overview on planning ahead and the need to have a valid will and to review it regularly.

- Valid Wills
- Power of Attorney
- Enduring Power of Attorney
- Enduring Guardianship

After numerous questions the vote of thanks was made by Phillip Tome.

Club Roster	7 <sup>th</sup> September	14 <sup>th</sup> September	21 <sup>st</sup> September
Furnishings	Reg Miegel	Mike Haggard	Reg Miegel
Greetings	Harry Nixon	Wayne Hooper	Rod Francis
Introduce Speaker	Ray Brown	Gavin Davies	Ray Brown
Thank Speaker	Wayne Hooper	Phillip Tome	Ray King
Sergeant	John Goodwin	Rod Francis	Bill Shaw
<b>What's On</b>			
Guest Speaker	John Roberson	Eamon Purcell	Fred Loneragan
Topic	Solomon Islands	Japanese Tsunami	RFFA

Please Note: If you are unable to personally fulfill your role as set out in the Club Duty Roster it is your responsibility to arrange a replacement.

## 4000 Things You Should Know

### \*Star Fact\*

Where Washington and London are today the ice was 1.5 km thick 18,000 years ago.



## Question Time



Who said: "you can fool all the people some of the time, and some of the people all of the time, but you cannot fool all the people all of the time?"

**Answer next week!!**

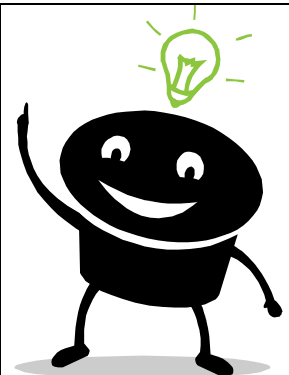
### Answer to last week's question

Which early explorer discovered the American mainland first, and gave his Christian name to the continent?

Was it:

1. Amerigo Magellan
2. Amerigo Vespucci
3. Amerigo Cabot
- 4. Amerigo Columbus**

**Answer: Amerigo Vespucci**



## Something Fishy

Two men were preparing to go out for a day's fishing on the bay. While one of them got the boat ready, the other went to his friend's house to pick up some gear that had been left on the veranda. While he was there, he saw a man in bed with his friend's wife. Back at the boat he announced that he had some bad news and said what he had seen. His friend took it calmly:  
Is that all? I was afraid you were going to say the fish weren't biting!



**Meetings are each Wednesday at the Wagga Wagga Country Club 6:30pm**

Apologies to Ken Post at 6922 6418 or 0418 693 648

