



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



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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: 23 attending 79%

Apologies: 5 **Absent** 1

Guests: Bill Roche (South Wagga)

Reports

President: Ray Brown

Ray welcomed all members and guests and announced the passing of Club Foundation member Kevin Warden, club members to form a Guard of Honor at the funeral Friday 10th February.

Brian Parsons proposed a Toast to the Queen.

Greg Guttler proposed an International Toast to the Rotary Club of Bremen-Weser Germany.

Ray reported on the recent Group 5 presidents meeting.

- District 9700 requires 1200 members to prevent amalgamation; family membership will be available with partners able to join.
- Photos of Club activities required
- Bus will make a day trip to the conference
- Malcolm Nixon advised PHF's have been published in RDU and notification of Kevin's passing will be advised to RDU
- Harry Nixon advised that he caught up with Andre during his trip to Brazil.
- This year's Hat Day is to be held in May
- Bill Shaw advised that this year's Gold Cup Carnival is May 3rd & 5th, will require all hands on deck

Secretary: Doug Masterson

- St Vincent de Paul Society is in need of Fabric Shopping Bags, please bring to our next meeting

Special General Meeting: New Club Constitution

The Board has agreed to a new Club Constitution and By-Laws which are necessary to accommodate recent changes in State Association Laws and also RI's latest requirements.

Accordingly, notice is here given that there will be a Special General Meeting held during the regular Club Meeting on Wednesday 29th February next. The sole business will be the consideration of the new Club Constitution and By-Laws accepted by the Board.

If they so wish, members may obtain an electronic copy of the proposed Constitution and By-Laws (41 pages) from the Club's Public Officer, PDG Henry Gardiner, on

henrygardiner@bigpond.com (Signed) Henry Gardiner, Public

Treasurer: John Roberson-Final notice for Subs

- Cowra RAWKS meeting was very well attended with District Projects highlighted

Service: Gavin Davies-Given by Doug

- Rugby League parking is from 2.30 pm to 7.30 pm
- Movie Night tickets need to be prepaid, Darren Kelly is coordinating
- RYDA Media release advising of the change of name to Road Safety Education Limited

Youth: Rod Francis

- RYLA is being held at Easter and nomination forms are now available.
- RYDA is 26th to 30th March 9 members will be required

Membership: Dennis Bishop-GSE Update provided

Diary / Important Dates

Birthdays: 14th February Marg Elliott

Anniversaries: Club Anniversaries for February are: Arthur Garthon 49 years, Peter Keith 22 years, Bill Shaw 17 years & Brian Roberts 13 years

Sergeant: Ray King was his usual quirky self and fined the following members

- Ray Brown-No wearing the chain of office
- All the Men's Shed Absentees
- Rod Francis-Golfing exploits
- Brian Parsons-Dropped all the Bunnings BBQ takings
- Harry Nixon-On his return to the country
- Henry Gardiner-\$800.00 spectacles
- Sid Clarke-Winning the raffle
- Wayne Hooper-Destroyed the Rotary T Shirt display

The Raffle was won by: Sid Clarke

What's On and When:

- February 15th Neil Molineux GSE Report
- February 18th- NRL Match Bulldogs v Raiders Car Parking duties
- February 19th Peace Day Wagga Wagga
- February 22nd- Meeting Transferred to 23rd Feb Movie Night
- February 23rd- Movie Night / Rotary Birthday
- February 25th & 26th PETS Young
- February 27th – Board Meeting
- February 29th Christina Brunskill Digital TV Changeover
- March 4th Clean Up Australia Day
- March 7th GSE Team from Scotland
- March 10th – Rotary Peace Communities Lockhart Shire Bus Trip
- March 23rd to 25th – District Conference Young-Registration forms from Ray Brown
- September 21st to 23rd – Rotary Peace Communities International Conference Wagga
- March 26th Board Meeting
- March 28th Night at the Trots

Club Roster	15th February	23rd February	29th February
Furnishings	Mike Haggar		Mike Haggar
Introduce Speaker	Dennis Bishop		Sid Clarke
Thank Speaker	Dennis Bishop		Reg Miegel
Sergeant	Greg Guttler		Ray King
What's On			
Guest Speaker	Neil Molineux	Movie Night	Christina Brunskill
Topic	GSE Report	Forum Cinema	Digital TV

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

In 1879, a Kansas tornado tore up an iron bridge and sucked dry the river beneath it.



Question Time



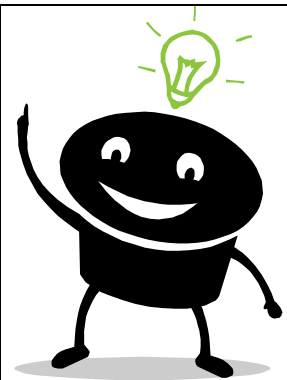
Where is the House of Keys?

Answer next week!!

Answer to last week's question

In which book do you find the Apocrypha?

Answer: The Bible



Something Fishy

This fisherman went to a Scottish doctor and said, "Doctor, I've got a very poor, memory. What do you advise?"

"Well, said the doc, for a start you can pay me in advance."



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

Apologies to Ken Post at 6922 6418 or 0418 693 648



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