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ROTARY CLUB of

WAGGA WAGGA KOORINGAL

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Initiated First World Peace Community

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FEBRUARY

WORLD UNDERSTANDING MONTH

World Understanding Month is a chance for every club to pause, plan and promote the Fourth Avenue of Service - Rotary's continued quest for goodwill, peace and understanding among



MEETING 44 - 32

people of the world.

12 February, 2014

Attendance Members - 27 Apologies - 5 Leave - 1 Absent - 0 Make ups - 0

<u>Guests</u> Michael Westerdale, Ted Wolfe

PROGRAM FELLOWSHIP NIGHT

Earlier this Rotary year, the board agreed to nominate the fifth Wednesday of the month as the club's **Fellowship Night** – an evening to enjoy fun, frivolity and friendship at a different venue.

On the fifth Wednesday in January, the mother of our exchange student, Fiona Koeck was visiting from Austria so **Fellowship Night** was held over until this week. Club members enjoyed a barbeque at Wiradjuri Reserve on the banks of the Murrumbidgee River.



Membership Director, Richard Pottie and President Elect, Greg Guttler at the 'helm'. Photos - Dennis Bishop

This gave club members the opportunity to see the club's recently purchased barbeque in operation.

Those members instrumental in bringing this project to fruition, Board directors Richard Pottie and Reg Miegel demonstrated how to 'unfold' the barbeque for use and how to maintain the stainless steel plate to meet occupational health and safety standards.

The equipment required to barbeque such as gas bottle, eskies and utensils are all stored in trailer.

In addition, a first aid kit, fire blanket and fire extinguisher have been purchased for the trailer.



Enjoying fellowship at Wiradjuri Reserve while learning how to use the club's new barbeque – Doug Willers, John Goodwin, Bill Shaw, Henry Gardiner, Ray King, Doug Masterson (behind), Arthur Garthon, Sid Clarke, Peter Keith, guest Ted Wolfe, 'Pop' Power (obscured), John Roberson, Wayne Hooper, Ray Brown, Greg Guttler and Richard Pottie (front) Photos - Dennis Bishop



Wayne Hooper, 'Pop' Power, Ray Brown, Malcolm Nixon, John Roberson



Bill Jones & Richard Strong

REPORTS

President: Phillip Tome

- thanked Reg Miegel and Richard Pottie for the barbeque demo and also Doug Masterson and Greg Guttler for organising the evening.
- NO Club meeting Wednesday 19th as it has been transferred to Friday 21 February.
- reminded members about the End Polio fundraiser next week 'Last Vegas' .

- asked those members interested in having coffee at the Pavilion following the movie to phone him by Monday at motel management's request so that sufficient staff will be rostered to meet the club's needs.
- requested that those volunteers assisting with relocating club equipment to the new storage to be at 9 Lawson Street at 8:00am.
- the latest membership list to accompany newsletter.

MEETING 44 – 33



Thursday 20 February - End Polio Fundraiser – 'Last Vegas' - Forum 6 Cinemas - 7:00pm - followed by coffee at The Pavilion.

Please ph or message Phillip (0402 463 102) by Monday if you are having coffee

With the latest outbreak of polio in Afghanistan recently, this is as important as ever. Remember ... we are this close!!!

Friday 21 February - Meeting 44 – 33 Inaugural Recognition Dinner - transferred to RSL Club – Doors open at 6:30pm.

This is being held to acknowledge the significant contribution of members to Kooringal Rotary **Club** and as a reminder of the club's achievements since 1969.

DID YOU KNOW?

This Friday is St Valentine's Day, usually a day of 'love' but that love and goodwill takes on new meaning for the members of 1,580 Rotary Clubs from Delaware to Trinidad. 67 000 Rotarians are being asked to feed a child this Valentine's Day.



This project is, first and foremost, an effort to put food on an empty plate, to fill an empty stomach, to bring a ray of hope to a hungry child. It is also provides a chance to show thousands of communities what Rotarians can do when we **engage Rotary change lives**.

Rotary has heart and there is no better day to show this collectively than on Valentine's Day.



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?



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FOR YOUR CALENDAR

IMPORTANT DATES to CELEBRATE

Happy Birthday to you both !

14 Feb	Marge Elliott	

19 Feb Margaret Foster

19 Feb	Meeting - transferred to 21 Feb	
20 Feb	Rotary Foundation fundraiser - Film Night - 'Last Vegas' \$20	
21 Feb	KRC Inaugural Recognition Dinner - RSL Club - 6:30pm	
22+23 Feb	PETS - President Elect Training- Young	
23 Feb	Rotary Peace Day Ceremony - Victory Memorial Gardens	
26 Feb	Meeting - Guest Speaker Deirdre Moulden St Vincent de Paul (Botanic Gardens)	
28 Feb	Service - MTC Races	
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02 Mar Service – Clean Up Australia Day 05 Mar Meeting – Guest Speaker DC Max Burmeister

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

COMING UP	19 February	26 February	5 March
Program Topic	Meeting transferred	Changing Lives	Capture of Wantabadgery Bushranger
Guest Speaker		Deirdre Moulden	DC Max Burmeister
	21 February	Elements at the Park	
Set Up	Inaugural	Michael Haggar	Michael Haggar
Toast to Australia	Recognition Dinner	Richard Strong	Doug Willers
Grace	6:30pm	Rod Francis	Digby Foster
Fines Session	RSL Club	Jack Morgan	Ray King
Introduce Speaker	20 February	Doug Masterson	Reg Miegel
Vote of Thanks	'Last Vegas' 7pm	Ray King	Malcolm Nixon
	Forum 6 Cinemas		

REMINDERS

- Next week Change of Venue and date Friday 21 February at RSL Club
- RSVP for Recognition Dinner now overdue
- Following Week Change of Venue meeting at Elements at the Park, Botanic Gardens

MEETING Wednesdays - Wagga Country Club, Plumpton Rd - 6:00pm for 6:30pm
Apologies – Ken Post on 0418 693 648 by noon on Tuesday.
Absence without an apology will require payment.