

Rotary



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ROTARY CLUB of

WAGGA WAGGA KOORINGAL

ABN: 72 322 824 525

Chartered - 23rd July, 1969

Initiated First Rotary World Peace Community

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JULY



Happy **ROTARY** NEW YEAR

'Everyone of us has something to give - whoever we are, whatever our place in life. We can give our talent, our knowledge, our abilities, and our effort: we can give our dedication and our devotion.

Our time is now. It will never come again.

Be a Gift to the World' K.R. 'Ravi' Ravindran, RI President 2015-16



MEETING 46 - 02

01 JULY, 2015

Attendance

Members - 18 Apologies - 18 Leave - 1 Absent - 0 Make ups - 0

Clarke, Davies, Foster, Francis, Garthon, Goodwin, Guttler, Hooper, King, Markham, Morgan, H. Nixon, M. Nixon, Pascall, Post, Pottie, Shaw, Tome,

Visiting Rotarian

Nicole Clarke (South Nowra RC)

PROGRAM

IN HOUSE DEBATE

President Richard Pottie has planned a varied meeting program for the coming year and is looking to re-introduce 3 minute speeches as well as other opportunities to speak publicly within the club. The topic for the first in-house debate was

Viagra should be on PBS for men over 50.



Arguing for the affirmative team were Gavin Davies, Rod Francis and Ray King (pictured above left in reverse order) while the team for the negative was Tim Markham, Harry Nixon and Richard Pottie. Chairman for the debate was Nicole Clarke, a visiting Rotarian from South Nowra Rotary Club.

Determined by a show of hands, the debate was awarded to those arguing the negative - Viagra should NOT be on PBS for men over 50.

The first of the 3 minute speeches presented providing an overview of a member's life was given by **Sid Clarke**. Sid updated members with the state of the dairy industry and how producing milk is more expensive than the payment received. Sid's father came from Ireland and had a dairy farm near Dapto. Sid moved to the Wagga area in 1956. He and Patricia have four children who have all been advised against dairy farming.

REPORTS

Community Service: Kevin Pascall

- *Harness Racing* Friday 3 July from 5:00-7:00pm Pascall, Markham

Youth Service: Harry Nixon

- *Apex Youth Public Speaking* Harry informed members that he had heard 19 students give well-researched presentations of a high calibre.

Peace Communities Program: Phillip Tome

- *Funeral of PP Tony Quinlivan* Tony's funeral was held at St Bernard's Catholic Church in Batehaven and then Broulee Lawn Cemetery and Crematorium. The club was represented by Phillip Tome and Deidre. As Secretary of the District 9700 Peace Communities Program committee, Phillip was also the district representative as PDGs are committed with their responsibilities at club changeover dinners. Kerry and Pat Power also attended as Pat worked for Tony and Kerry Flinn of South Wagga RC and Kaylene were there as friends of the family. Past club member, John Lindner who has retired to the coast also attended.
- Tony was responsible for establishing the *World Peace Communities Program* which would be this club's greatest achievement internationally, especially as there are now 60 communities in 19 countries worldwide.



President: Richard Pottie

- informed members that the International Toast would not be continued. It will be replaced on a monthly basis when Director Peter Keith would provide information about Rotary.
- Please review the program attached to the bulletin last week and provide Richard with suggestions or ideas and any overlooked dates.
- Next week's meeting - **8 July** has been changed to our **Ten Pin Bowling Night Please note a 6pm sharp start** with a meal at the **Thirsty Crow** afterwards.
- mentioned that a progressive dinner was being planned for Sat 1 August or possibly 15 August TBC. The intention is to have soup at one house and then move to several other homes for main meal and then move again for dessert before moving onto a final venue.

DID YOU KNOW?

PAST YOUTH EXCHANGE STUDENT



Nicole Clarke, a former outbound exchange student visited the club this week.

Nicole lived in Norway in 2003 in Hadeland Syd, learning Norwegian and has travelled back to Norway twice to visit her host families and friends. At the time past club member David Crossweller was her counsellor. Gary Roberts was counsellor for Lars Olaf the reciprocal inbound student.

Nicole joined Rotaract while studying at the University of Wollongong and

has since joined Rotary and is Youth Director at South Nowra RC. She is a casual Science teacher with a business tutoring in maths, science and English and returned to Wagga during the school holidays.

FOR YOUR CALENDAR

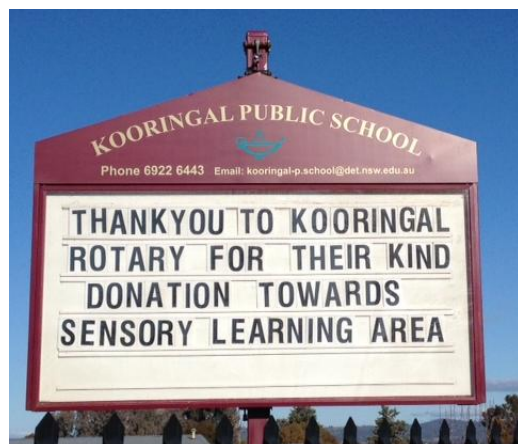
IMPORTANT DATES to CELEBRATE

Celebrate in style !

06 Jul	Board	Meeting
08 Jul	Meeting	Ten Pin Bowling Night
08 Jul	Changeover	Inner Wheel
08 Jul	Changeover	Lockhart RC
10 Jul	Service	MTC Races
15 Jul	Meeting	
22 Jul	Vocational	Kurrajong Recyclers
29 Jul	Meeting	Foundation Information Night

03 Jul	Lesley Masterson
05 Jul	Brenda Roberts
05 Jul	Sally Wolfe
06 Jul	Tim & Suzanne Markham
06 Jul	Phillip Tome - 10 yrs
07 Jul	Clare King

Check this out - Great publicity!
The sign at Koorungal Public School on Lake Albert Road.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

MEETING	46-03	46-04	46-05
COMING UP	08 Jul	15 Jul	22 Jul
Program Topic	Ten Pin Bowling		Vocational Visit
Guest Speaker			Kurrajong Recyclers
	6:00PM START		
Set Up / Pack Up		Greg Johnson	
Toast to Australia	Wagga Ten Pin	Doug Masterson	
Grace	Bowling	Bill Shaw	
Fines Session	and	Doug Willers	
	Entertainment		
Introduce Speaker	Centre	Gavin Davies	Malcolm Nixon
Vote of Thanks		Arthur Garthon	Lance Gillespie

2015 – 2016 - Dinner Program Co-ordinator - Richard Pottie & Greg Guttler
Bulletin Reporters - Phillip Tome & Ted Wolfe / Photographer – Greg Guttler & Phillip Tome

REMINDERS

Apologies – Ken Post on 0418 693 648 by noon on Tuesday.

MEETING Wednesdays - Wagga Country Club, Plumpton Rd - 6:00pm for 6:30pm

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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?

Peace Communities Program – An initiative of Koorungal Rotary Club