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16 March 2010 – Meeting #1001

Brett's Banter -

Quote of the week

**“I didn’t mean to be nasty.
I just forgot to be NICE.”**



Brett will have two reports for next week’s Bulletin.... so will have celebratory photos through this Bulletin instead...

1000th Celebration Dinner – great success for all who attended....
Our thanks to Louise Matthews and her team – great night!!!



PDG Jane Bradford, DG Neville Parsons and President Brett White

AND FOR THE NEWS

YOUTH EXCHANGE – Felix has now settled in with the Baddams so a reminder to all members – if you are doing anything special – trip to Sydney, out to Lightning Ridge or Dubbo Zoo – think of including Felix. He does have quite a busy social life so please give him warning to ensure that his social calendar is free to include you!!!!

ANZAC PARK OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE EXTENSION AND BBQ's – Members please note that this will be a breakfast in the park on Wednesday, 31 March at 6:45 for 7:00 am and a fund raiser for the **PolioPlus Final Push campaign...**

ROSEVILLE GOLF CLUB CHARITY GOLF DAY – Wednesday, 24 March 2010 – please speak with **John Treloar** if interested, probably an overnight stay required

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING CHALLENGE celebrating its TENTH year this year. **OUR MORNING MEETING (17 MARCH) WILL BE MOVED TO THE TUESDAY EVENING, 16 MARCH 2010**

USA Consul General will be the guest speaker at the RC of Tamworth North on Thursday, 15 April – if interested, please contact Ron Chorlton – 6766 1663 or email ronvalc@bigpond.com

SUNDAY MARCH 28 AT 2.00PM AT RIVERSIDE NO 6 (END OF CARTER STREET)

- 20 over a side game against Tamworth Sunrise.
- Bring your own meat for a BBQ along with drinks.
- We need plenty of supporters and a willing cook for the BBQ which will be on around 5.00pm for those purely targeting the food and drink part of the afternoon.

The team for First Lighters - those who have indicated that they will be there at 2.00 pm in their “creams” are:

Raymond, Massey, Mathews, White, Hyde, Murphy, Chamberlain, Heffernan, Hearne, Ryan, Robinson, Nuttall, McIntosh, Clifton and Penman.

Any additions or withdrawals (only on form) please let Phil Penman know on either 6766 2431 (W) – 0407 662 438 or philip.penman@hillross.com.au

CALENDAR 2009/2010 EVENTS

- 16 March **Science & Engineering Dinner replaces Breakfast next morning**
- 15 – 17 March Science & Engineering Challenge
- 28 March **Cricket Match – First Light V Tamworth Sunrise – Picnic Day**
- 31 March Official Opening of the extension and BBQ's at ANZAC PARK

- APRIL D9650 PolioPlus Campaign will be held during this month

- 1 / 2 May NSW Cancer Council – Relay for Life
- 19 May Career's Expo – TRECC
- 19 June **Tamworth First Light Changeover**
- 03 July **District Changeover at Wauchope**

GETTING READY FOR THE CELEBRATIONS



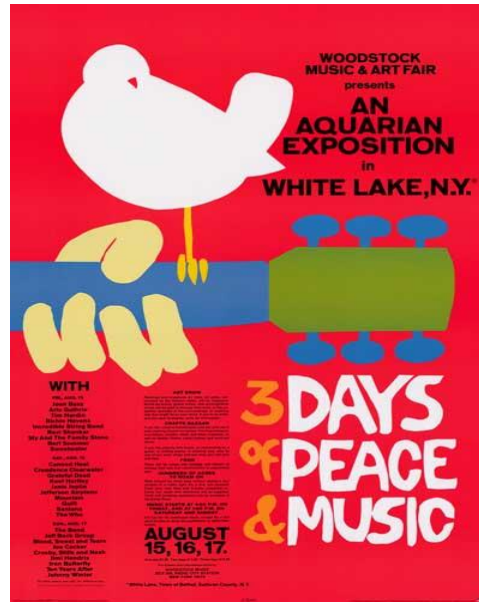
Mike & Gloria O'Connor, Dianna Yeo
Laurie Hearne, Louise Matthews, Barry Murphy & Graham Dooley



ARTIST'S CORNER

*The idea for this section was to find out about “hidden” talents within our Club’s membership and we have had some wonderful insights for the first half of the year.... This week it is **Graham Dooley’s** contribution and next week will be*

Artist Corner by Graham Dooley



Since this concert was held over 40 years ago in August 1969 much has been written about this “once in a lifetime” music event where 500,000 turned up to listen to the music and have some fun. Woodstock was also seen by many as a way young people of the day” the new generation” could stand up and voice their opinion on social issues including the Vietnam War.

Many music artists who performed at Woodstock used this festival to launch and promote their music career. The festival included many music highlights with performances from Crosby, Stills, Nash and Young as well as Carlos Santana, Joe Cocker, Janis Joplin, The Who, The Grateful Dead and Ten Years After to name a few.

However I consider Jimi Hendrix’s performance in the closing act of the festival as one of the best “live” solo guitarists ever recorded. In recognition of the quality of his playing a double album of his complete act was released. If you get the chance have a listen.





President Brett & Andrew –
Our thanks to Andrew for the delightful pictures covering twenty years –
the earlier photos show more hair, slimmer bodies, interesting clothing sense.....



Helen Tickle, PP Les Jacob
Waiting for us to arrive and pay before the
“Celebrations” could begin



PP Allan Forrest, IPDG Ken Hall, PP John Troller



Helen Wood, Gloria O'Connor,
Sandra Moss, Carol McCallum



PP Allan Forrest, IPDG Ken Hall, PP John Troller



PP Bill Moss, Glenn Jones, Barry Murphy & PP Mike O'Connor



Dianna Yeo, Helen Hinwood, Trish Heffernan , Bernadette Hyde



Peter Hyde, PP Phil Heffernan, Brian Yeo



Graham & Tracey Nuttall, Neil Lyon, Tony Windsor MP, Terry Burgess



Robyn Cathcart, Sam, Des Gorman



AG Phil Crossing, Louise Matthews



Wendy Bennett, Annette Chaseling, Noel Bennett – Tamworth West
Dianne Lockwood



Di Hall, Lyn Windsor, PP Phil Heffernan, DG Neville Parsons, Kristy Reading (GSE Team Member)



President Brett presenting PP Brian Thompson a PHF Sapphire pin



PP Brian Thompson receiving his Paul Harris Sapphire pin



PP Dick Davison and MP Tony Windsor cutting the cake



Comedian Barry Murphy making light of our past presidents

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Birthdays, Anniversaries & Inductions



Birthdays

15.03 – Max Cathcart
 17.03 – Michael O'Connor
 22.03 – Maureen Thornton

Partners Birthdays

20-03 – Debra Brooks (Brian Logan)



Anniversaries

11.03 – Michael & Brenda Smith (3 years)
 16.03 – Barry & Carolyn Murphy (14 years)
 17.03 – Simon & Jane Chamberlain(20yrs)

Inductions

13.03 – Graham Nuttall (19 years)



Vocational Profile

Paul Stevenson

Attendance 58% (indicates definitely a Breakfast Club!!)
Make Ups Nil
Visitors Rotarians A number from other Clubs
Visitors Partners of those present
Heads & Tails N/A
Raffle N/A

PRESIDENT ASSIST

To ensure members who are rostered for the duties of, Meeter and Greeter, Door, Visitor Assist, Welcome to our Members & Guests, Introduction of the Guest Speaker(s) and Vote of Thanks are present and if they are not to find a replacement and ensure those people's names are updated on the President's Running Sheet. Select the Table Order (after the head table).

Need to be in attendance by 6.30 am

DOOR TEAM

To record the attendance of our members and guests, collect meeting dues, and if possible balance the cash float i.e. monies paid = money received.

Need to be in attendance at 6.30 am

MEETER & GREETER

To meet & greet our members & welcome guests to our Club at the top of the stairs and to hand name badges to members. Also ensure any guests of members or visiting Rotarians are introduced to the Visitor Assist to ensure they are made feel welcome.

Need to be in attendance at 6.30 am

VISITOR ASSIST

To ensure any visitors to the Club are felt welcome by introducing yourself to them and other members and guests of our Club. To also include them in fellowship before and if necessary make sure they are included with several members for breakfast and are not left on their own.

Need to be in attendance from 6.30 am

WELCOME

To publicly welcome our Members & Guests (following the introduction) to our meeting when called upon by the President or his/her substitute.

Need to be in attendance by 6.50 am (or earlier)

INTRODUCTION

To make yourself known to our Guest Speaker/s, assist them to the head table and sit with them. During breakfast find out some information about the guest speaker which will assist you in your introduction.

VOTE OF THANKS

To move a vote of thanks to our guest speaker, and present a little thank you gift (ensure you have it before the meeting commences and take notes during their presentation to ensure your thank you is informed).

CORPORALS

To assist the Sergeant by putting out all Club Property and putting away at the conclusion of the meeting. Need to be in attendance by 6:30 am.

CORPORAL ASSIST

To assist the Sergeant, by putting away all Club Property at the conclusion of the meeting if the Corporals are unable to do so.

MEETING ROSTER

- When rostered on and you can't make it – **PLEASE** find another member to fill in for you
- Make sure that you let both the President and President Assist know before the start of the meeting
- If the above not organised the **Sergeant will love you**
- The starting time for the **DOOR team and MEETER & GREETER IS 6:30 AM**
- **Leave of Absence** - If members are going to be away for an extended period (holidays etc) please remember that a notification (letter) be sent to the Club Secretary noting date of departure and date of return and requesting "Leave of Absence" from the Club.
- **If you know you are going to be away for an extended period (holidays etc) – PLEASE** advice **Bruce Hemmett** by email at bruce.013@decorama.com.au
- **Please give at least TWO week's notice so the roster can be amended**
- **PLEASE** advice **Terry Burgess** – Attendance Officer by email at ssegrub@westnet.com.au

	Tuesday, 16 March 2010	24 March 2010
Guest Speaker	Science & Engineering Dinner	Peter Ross – Capital Theatre
Meeter & Greeter	Ian Howle	Dennis Johnson
Door Team	Ron Allen & Peter Bell	Steve Massey & Max May
Welcome	Dick Davison	Phil Lyon
President Assist	Campbell McIntosh	Maureen Thornton
Visitor Assist	Phil Penman	Les Jacob
Corporal Assist	Bill Moss	David Baddams
Introduction		Brian Thompson
Vote of Thanks		Meg Larkin

CORPORALS FOR COMING MONTHS

March	Brian Yeo and John Fogarty
April	Bruce Hemmett and Tim Coates
May	Ron Allen and Peter Bell
June	Barry Murphy and Phil Lyon

Strange Job Interview Behaviour

“.... pulled out a digital camera and snapped a picture of me. Said he collected photos of everyone who interviewed him.”