



**ROTARY CLUB OF TAMWORTH
FIRST LIGHT 2014-2015**



**President
Diane Ford**

Wednesday, 11th March, 2015 Meeting # 1250

Quote of the Week: *In the animal kingdom the rule is, eat or be eaten while with humans it's define or be defined.*

From President-Elect Graeme:

The visit to the new Tamworth Sale Yards was a pleasant surprise for all who attended, especially Phil Heffernan who was in his element. What impressed most was the level of automation and how the facility has embraced modern technology to improve the handling of livestock.



MEETING NOTES

Working With Children Check: URGENT, forward these to Maureen by April.

Science and Engineering Challenge: 17th, 18th, 19th March - Volunteers needed for full days or half days, see Steve Massey, David Hinwood or Phil Heffernan if you can help.

No morning meeting on 18th March. The Science and Engineering Dinner is on at Frog and Toad, 6.30pm for 7.00pm, \$45.00, payment to Phil Heffernan by this Wednesday.



DATES TO REMEMBER....

13th – 15th March: Rotary District Conference Inverell

17th, 18th, 19th March: Science and Engineering Challenge.

Wednesday, 18th March: No morning meeting, Science and Engineering Dinner at night.

Sunday, 22nd March: Lunch at Willow Tree Inn, bus leaving Tamworth Train Station at 11.00am, back about 5.00pm, alternate drop menu \$50 per head, bus \$12-13 per head. **Please pay to Steve Massey by this Wednesday.**

Wednesday, 15th April: Vocational visit to the Coledale Community Centre

Sunday, 19th April: Annual cricket match with Sunrise, at Riverside 8 starting at 4pm with a BBQ after. See Steve Massey.

Saturday 23rd May: Sunrise Club Casino Royale Ball - Eurovision, 6pm – 12am, Tamworth Town Hall, \$50 per head, payments by end of April, tables of 10. Contact Terry Melville gouville@tpg.com.au, or see Terry Robinson if you're interested in making a First Light table.

Saturday, 20th June: First Light Changeover

Member's Messages

From Treasurer Phil:

- 1. Fine Income Year-to Date is \$6,677 which includes \$1,410 from the Tamworth Tennis Fanatics and \$1,229.40 from fines collected on 2014 Golf trips.**
- 2. Pub Raffle Income Year-to-date is \$4,050 to end of February.**

Angels.....AS EXPLAINED BY CHILDREN.

I only know the names of two angels, Hark and Harold. - Gregory, age 5

Everybody's got it all wrong.
Angels don't wear halos anymore. I forget why, but scientists are working on it
-Olive, age 9

It's not easy to become an angel! First, you die.
Then you go to Heaven, and then there's still the flight training to go through.
And then you got to agree to wear those angel clothes.
-Matthew, age 9

Angels work for God and watch over kids when God has to go do something else.
-Mitchell, age 7

My guardian angel helps me with math, but he's not much good for science.
-Henry, age 8

Angels don't eat, but they drink milk from Holy Cows!!! -Jack, age 6

Angels talk all the way while they're flying you up to heaven. The main subject is where you went wrong before you got
dead. - Daniel, age 9

When an angel gets mad, he takes a deep breath and counts to ten.
And when he lets out his breath again, somewhere there's a tornado.
-Reagan, age 10

Angels have a lot to do and they keep very busy.
If you lose a tooth, an angel comes in through your window and leaves money under your pillow.
Then when it gets cold, angels go south for the winter.
-Sara, age 6

Angels live in cloud houses made by God and his
Son, who's a very good carpenter.
-Jared, age 8

All angels are girls because they gotta wear
Dresses and boys didn't go for it. -Antonio, age 9

My angel is my grandma who died last year. She got
A big head start on helping me while she was still down here on earth. -Ashley, age 9

**Some of the angels are in charge of helping heal
Sick animals and pets. And if
They don't make the animals get better, they help the child get over it.
- Vicki , age 8**

What I don't get about angels is why, when someone
Is in love, they shoot arrows at them. - Sarah , age 7

How Could I Not Send This To All Of You So Awesome!!! And As they Say

No One Say's it Better Than A Child.....

Meeting Roster	Wednesday, 11th March	Wednesday, 18th March	
Guest Speaker	Rob Harrison	Science & Engineering Dinner at 6.30pm	
Topic	Export Support		
Door Team	David Baddams Val Hellmann		
Meeter & Greeter	Graham Dooley		
Welcome	Richard Walker		
President Assist	Peter Pulley		
Visitor Assist	Peter Ryan		
Corporal Assist	Steve Massey		
Introduction	Terry Burgess		
Vote of Thanks	Brian Thompson		
Post Office Raffle Roster			
13th March	20th March	27th March	3rd April
Helen Tickle Peter Bell	Peter Bell Peter Pulley	Peter Pulley Bob Baddams	Good Friday
10th April	17th April	24th April	1st May
Bob Baddams Graham Dooley	Graham Dooley Vicki Cooper	Vicki Cooper Dave Baddams	Dave Baddams Brian Logan
Corporals for March		Corporals for April	
Chris Celovic and Peter Hyde		Phil Heffernan and Max Cathcart	
Birthdays, Anniversaries and Inductions			
Members Birthdays	15/3: Max Cathcart, 17/3: Michael O'Connor		
Partners Birthdays	11/3: Michael & Brenda Smith, 16/3: Barry & Carolyn Murphy		
Anniversaries			
Club Induction	13/3: Graham Nuttall (24 years)		
Stats for last meeting			
Attendance	50%		
Make-Ups			
Visiting Rotarians			
Visitors	S.Hawkins, E. Alcock, B. Filby, Simon Chamberlain		
Heads & tails			
Raffle			

The Object of Rotary

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- **FIRST.** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- **SECOND.** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- **THIRD.** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- **FOURTH.** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Rotary Grace

O Lord and giver of all good
We thank Thee for our daily food
May Rotary Friends and Rotary ways
Help us to serve Thee all our days

The Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Tamworth—First Light

Meets Wednesday morning,
6:30 for 7:00 am at
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Other Clubs meet:

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Friday

Tamworth West, West Tamworth Bowling Club, 6:30pm
Tamworth Rotary Club, Service Club, 6:15pm
Tamworth on Peel, Calala Inn, 6:30pm
Tamworth Sunrise, Sanctuary Inn, 7:am