



Rotary

CLUB OF TAMWORTH FIRST LIGHT BULLETIN

2016-2017

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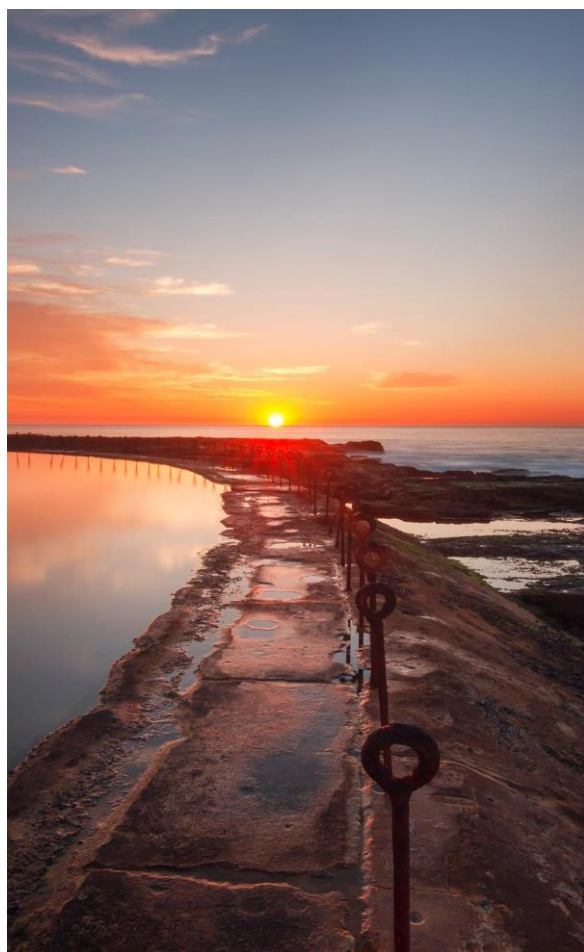


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NOTES & DIARY DATES 2016



District conference- 24th-26th March 2017 at Laurieton

Social nights- This will be a regular occurrence on the 3rd Friday of the month, join us for drinks and dinner at the Post Office Hotel.

Social- lunch at Goonoo Goonoo's Glasshouse restaurant. See Peter Ryan to put your name down. Sunday February 26th

The Coastal Golf trip is on from 3-5 March, we welcome all male golfers to join us for a weekend of golf & fun. Depart Tamworth Friday morning, return Sunday night.

Bowel Screening Program -2017

Dates for First Light's involvement

Saturday **29/04/2017** to Saturday **06/05/2017**

Shoppingworld sales site

9am to 3 pm in 2 hour blocks

Combined with West Tamworth Rotary

Coordination of roster with Des Keech & Ian Howle

Tamworth Pharmacies will be selling kits all of May.

Wednesday, 15th February 2017

Meeting # 1344

Quote of the week: *"Before you speak or do something, do the "THINK" test.*

T – is it true

H – is it helpful

I – is it inspiring

N – is it necessary

K – is it kind"

ROBBO'S RAMBLINGS

At our most recent meeting, we had a Club Assembly to review where the club is up to.

I can report that the club is in good shape and we have an extremely busy next four or five months.

Please assist your fellow Rotarian members with the many functions and events we are involved in.

Many hands do make light work and I can assure you that you always get more out of being involved in Rotary than you put into it.

Each of us joined Rotary for different reasons, but principally to give back to the community and I encourage you to become an engaged and involved Rotarian.

Because we have so much happening, I will list in date order, upcoming events.

Please put them in your diary and help where you can.

1. Board meeting Monday, 13 February at my office at 6:45 am.
2. Rotary's farewell to Tony Young at Café 2340 on 17 February at 6:30 pm or alternatively on 24 February at the Tamworth Hotel at 6:00 pm onwards.



3. Polio Fundraiser – Hidden Figures – a blockbuster movie already nominated for three Academy Awards. \$15,000 per head. Please obtain your tickets from Jane Bradford. We need to sell about 150 seats.
4. Club Social at the Post Office Hotel on 17 February at 6:00 pm.
5. Pride of Workmanship presentations at West Leagues Club on 23 February. If you wish to nominate someone please let me know.
6. The Glasshouse Restaurant at Goonoo Goonoo Station on 26 February. Please let Peter Ryan know if you are attending.
7. The Coast Golf trip, 3 March to 5 March.
8. Joint meeting with the Rotary Club of Sunrise on 8 March at Diggers, Kable Avenue.
9. The Science and Engineering Challenge on 14 March to 16 March.
10. Our breakfast meeting on 15 March will be at TREC for the Science and Engineering Challenge.
11. Vocational visit to the Newcastle University Rural Health Campus at Tamworth Hospital on 22 March.
12. District Convention at Laurieton - 24-26 March. Be inspired, become engaged, register now!
13. Pedal The Peel - Cycling Challenge on Sunday, 2 April at Moore Creek Tennis Club. A full effort club if it required. We need assistance coordinating the sale of raffle tickets and distribution of brochures and flyers. You will be either riding the event or assisting the event.
14. RYLA – commencing 1 April.
15. First week in May – Bowelscan - sale of detection kit.
16. Careers Expo - 17 May.
17. Club changeover – 16 June 2017.

It will be a very busy first six months of the year.

Next week, Richard Hardwick will provide his personal profile.

Have a great week.

Cheers

Robbo

Dear Tamworth and surrounds Rotary Clubs

You are invited to our annual fund raiser for the elimination of Polio

This is a true story.....

Polio Plus Movie Night

THE MOVIE

- HIDDEN FIGURES is the incredible untold story of Katherine Johnson (Taraji P. Henson), Dorothy Vaughn (Octavia Spencer) and Mary Jackson (Janelle Monae)
- Brilliant African-American women working at NASA, who served as the brains behind one of the greatest operations in history:
- The launch of astronaut John Glenn into orbit, a stunning achievement that restored the nation's confidence, turned around the Space Race, and galvanised the world.
- The visionary trio crossed all gender and race lines to inspire generations to dream big.



We aim to run it on **Wednesday, 22 February at 7:00pm at a cost of \$15.00pp** - \$5.00 donation pp – an easy little fund raiser for such an important program...

The trailer looks excellent. The film actually launches on Thursday, 16 February – Australia wide and has already been nominated in “best picture category”.



To be free

To be away from us

Stormy waters

They are sailing

Cross the sea

Home again

They are sailing, they are sailing

Farewell Tony and Lindsey

Our dear Rotary friends **Tony Young** and **Lindsey Bagust** have decided to sail away. Let's farewell them in style!



- When: **Friday 17th February 2017**
- Where: **2340 Café, 15B White Street, Tamworth NSW 2340**
- Time from: **6:30**

Dress code: **summer party, sailing, tropical or pirate theme,**



The event will be a finger food affair supplied by 2340

A bar will operate (user pays)

RSVP essential for catering purposes

ruyth1.dufty@gmail.com.au or 0428217932

Cost: \$10 pp Payment to **Ruythe Dufty** would be appreciated to guarantee your attendance.

(Partners and significant others welcome)



In lieu of a money collection, bring a jar, packet, bottle of something; i.e. gourmet food in a tin or bottle - olives, truffle salt, olive oil etc. and add it to the gift box. (Tag the gift in some way to



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Meeting Roster	Wednesday 15 th February	Wednesday 22 nd February	
Venue	West Diggers 6:30am	West Diggers 6:30am	
Topic	Richard Hardwick-personal profile	Shalini Pratap-my journey to Tamworth	
Door Team	Laurence Hearne Chris Watson	Rob Sharp James Treloar	
Meeter & Greeter	Tom Hellmann	Les Jacobs	
Welcome	Peter Ryan	Val Hellmann	
President Assist	Peter Hyde	David Hinwood	
Visitor Assist	Stephen Massey	Di Ford	
Corporal Assist	Phil Lyon	Dennis Johnson	
Bulletin Notes	Michael O'Connor	Paul Stevenson	
Introduction	Michael O'Connor	Paul Stevenson	
Vote of Thanks	Brian Thompson	Ian Howle	
Post Office Raffle Roster			
17 February	24 February	3 March	10 March
Terry Robinson Peter Ryan	Christine Shewry Brodie Shields	Brodie Shields Paul Stevenson	Paul Stevenson Christine Shewry
17 March	24 March	31 March	7 April
Brian Thompson Maureen Thornton	Maureen Thornton Christine Shewry	Brian Thompson Brodie Shields	Brodie Shields
Corporals for February		Corporals for March	
Tim Coates & Ander Beer		Jim Raymond & Peter Ryan	
Birthdays, Anniversaries and Inductions			
Members Birthdays	Diane Ford (16/2)		
Partners Birthdays	Bernadette Hyde (18/2)		
Anniversaries	Brett and Trudy White (33 years, 18/2)		
Club Induction	NIL		
Attendance	55%		
Make-Ups	NIL		
Visiting Rotarians	Ian Peacocke, John Clements.		
Visitors	NIL		
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
 Wests Diggers
 Kable Avenue
 TAMWORTH NSW 2340
 Phone: 6766 4661

Club Officers and contact details

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Other Clubs meet:

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| Monday | Tamworth West, West Tamworth Bowling Club, 6:30pm |
| Tuesday | Tamworth Rotary Club, Service Club, 6:15pm |
| Wednesday | Tamworth on Peel – (Calala Rotary), Calala Inn, 6:30pm |
| Friday | Tamworth Sunrise, Sanctuary Inn, 7:00am |