



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Rotary



Club of Tamworth First Light

MEETING 1560 ISSUE 3 WEDNESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> July 2021



## Rotary Year 2021 - 2022

District Governor	<a href="#">David Mayne</a>
President:	<a href="#">Marina Hearne</a>
Secretary:	<a href="#">Sue O'Connor</a>
Treasurer:	<a href="#">Michael Smith</a>



Find our guest speaker Ian Howle from the class of '57'!

Dennis Maunder Granddaughter Lucy, testing her climbing skills.



## Marina's 2 cents worth

### Quote of the week:

The purpose of life is not to be happy. It is to be useful, to be honourable, to be compassionate, to have it make some difference that you have lived and lived well.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

### Joke of the week:

A pharmacist is going over the directions on a prescription bottle with an elderly patient. "Be sure not to take this more often than every 4 hours," the pharmacist says. "Don't worry," replies the patient. "It takes me 4 hours to get the lid off".

**If you are allocated a role for breakfast meetings or raffles, please make sure you find a replacement. This is your responsibility, especially when it's short notice. Much appreciated. If you are away for 2 weeks or more, please email Sue O'Connor.**

To those who filled in for roles short notice this morning, thank you ever so much!

***Congratulations Bruce Hemmett!! He tried to sneak it by us, but we can't let that happen. Bruce has been awarded his 5<sup>th</sup> Paul Harris Fellow by the E-Club. You do amazing work for us and the district Bruce and everyone is very appreciative.***

Word has spread we have received \$20,000 for our Centenary Project – keep your eye out for an article in ND. A snapshot is in the bulletin of Deb & I for the photo, graciously taken by the wonderful Bryson (Deb's grandson) and another photo of Deb with Kevin Anderson receiving the official grant letter.

- We have received a donation of \$90 from The Tamworth Visitor Information Centre.
- Upcycle are asking if our Club can take on what Rotary Club of Tamworth provided (man power and some monetary). It's a great initiative where the public recycle and create some amazing artworks. More info to come, but if interested, please contact Terry Robinson.
- Waste Warriors Expo will defer to next year.
- If you have an idea for a small project, we could perhaps do in the community, please let us know!

**Meetings will continue as normal but with masks when standing and wandering through Wests. If you are not attending due to COVID – please contact us.**

Have a fabulous week!

Marina





**Congratulations Bruce Hemmett, a well-deserved 5<sup>th</sup> Sapphire Paul Harris**



E-Club of District 9650 president PDG Ken Hall presenting a 5th Sapphire Paul Harris Recognition to Bruce Hemmett

## Liz Gill thanks our Guest speaker Ian Howle



### Personal profile – Ian Howle

- Ancestors came from the United Kingdom around the 1900s.
- Ian's parents met in Bathurst.
- His father was in the RAAF in Darwin during WWII and went AWOL to get married.
- After the war Ian's parents came to Tamworth and Ian was born in 1945.
- Ian went to Calrossy preschool followed by Tamworth Primary School (1951-1957), Tamworth High School (1958) The Scots College (1959-1962).
- He graduated with a Bachelor of Pharmacy Sydney University in 1967.
- He worked for a while as a pharmacist in Sydney and then took on short and long-term pharmacy locums in the city and around country New South Wales and ACT.
- Married Leigh in 1971.
- Ian and Leigh have a son and daughter. Scott, also a pharmacist, was born in 1977 and has taken over the family pharmacy in Shopping World. Shelley was born in 1980 and is a physiotherapist.
- There is a medical theme in Ian's family - Ian's father was a doctor, Ian was a pharmacist, brother Peter a dentist, brother Steve a doctor and his sister is married to a grazier. This medical theme has continued with his son Scott and daughter Shelley.
- Ian has spent 50 years as a pharmacist. 1970-2010 owner and pharmacist in charge Howle's Pharmacy Tamworth. The pharmacy was then taken over by his son Scott and Ian continued to work part-time in the pharmacy until 2020.
- 9-time winner/finalist in Tamworth Chamber of Commerce Business Awards
- Ian has been active in pharmacy and community organisations throughout his career.
- He did have a short-term small venture with sheep but decided it was not worth it.
- Ian advised Pfizer not only makes the Covid vaccine but also Viagra.
- In his retirement Ian likes to spend time with his extended family and have the occasional game of golf with friends.

Ian's talk reminded us that some of our most interesting speakers have come from within our own membership



## WHO'S INTERESTED IN GETTING ON BOARD?

### HELP US PROVIDE OUR COMMUNITY WITH EDUCATION AND TRAINING THAT TRANSFORMS LIVES!

Tamworth Community College is currently seeking diverse individuals to join our Board of Directors. We are looking for creative and passionate people who want to share their life skills and knowledge to ensure that the vision and strategies of the College are achieved.

#### ABOUT TCC

Tamworth Community College has been a part of the Tamworth community since 1984. A community based not-for-profit Registered Training Organisation, managed by a voluntary Board of Directors and passionate staff that are professional and dedicated.

## WHAT'S INVOLVED?

Six Board Meetings per year (bimonthly) on a voluntary basis. Currently meetings are conducted Wednesday afternoons at 3.45 pm and each member is also required to support one ongoing sub-committee.

Whilst our current Board members have extensive work experience and qualifications, it is the less tangible qualities of our Directors, such as passion, preparedness, desire for stewardship and service, and collegiality, that really motivate and inspire the management team and advance our mission.

**Our staff truly appreciate the time, knowledge and skills volunteered by the Directors to support and lead the College into the future.**

## TO APPLY

Please **email a cover letter** expressing your interest to the join the Board and resume to [admin@tamworth.nsw.edu.au](mailto:admin@tamworth.nsw.edu.au) or alternatively call Linden Ross, Chairperson of The Board on 0417 161 548.

**More information about the College can be found at [www.tamworth.nsw.edu.au](http://www.tamworth.nsw.edu.au)**



# Australian Rotary Health Announces New Research Funding Focus



Australian Rotary Health (ARH) is undertaking a new initiative to improve the mental health of our youngest Australians, announcing today that their research funding will now focus on the 0-12 age group.

The new research area will be introduced at a symposium titled, ***'Healthy Children, Bright Futures: Improving the Mental Health of 0-12 Year Old's'***. The symposium will take place in Sydney in late March next year.

ROTARY CLUB OF D9650  
YOUNG LEADERS, NEW  
SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA

INVITES YOU TO

## OUR CHARTER NIGHT

AUGUST 7TH, 5:30PM FOR A 6:00PM START, AT PORT MACQUARIE PANTHERS

TICKETS: \$80 (THREE COURSE MEAL INCLUDED)

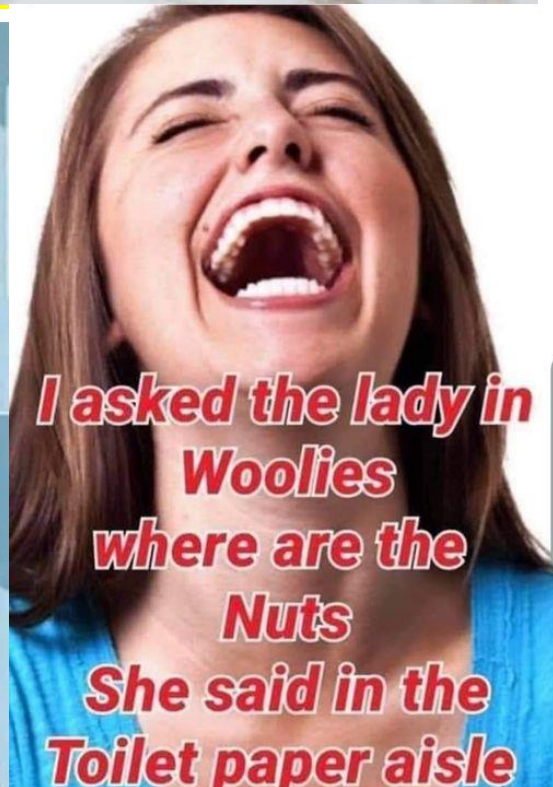
PLEASE RSVP TO THE BELOW EMAIL ADDRESS BY **25TH JULY** AND WE WILL RESPOND WITH PAYMENT DETAILS:

[YOUNGLEADERS.ROTARYCLUB@GMAIL.COM](mailto:YOUNGLEADERS.ROTARYCLUB@GMAIL.COM)

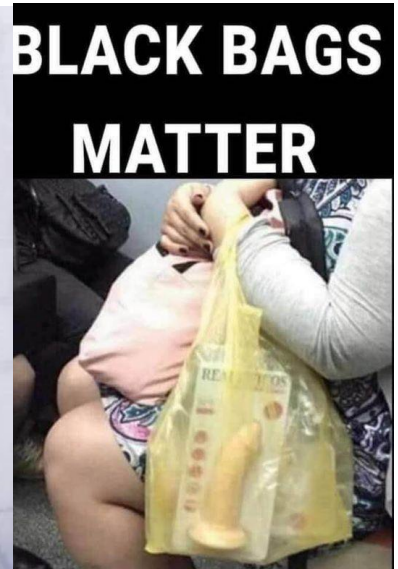
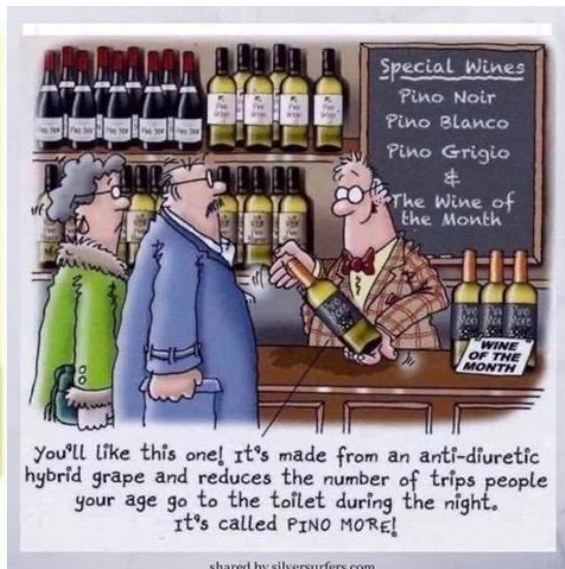


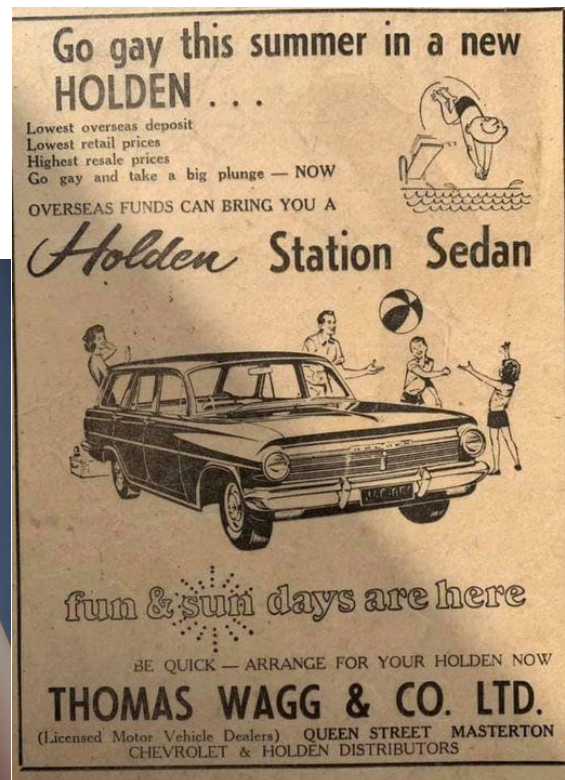
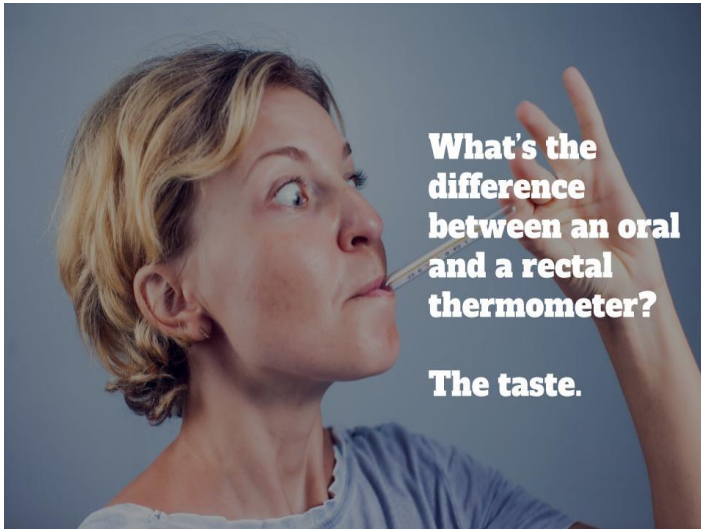
My wife just farted so loud she woke herself up, then turned over hit me and called me disgusting. This is what love after 18 years of marriage is like boys.

**MOTHER IN LAW  
CAME FOR DINNER  
AND SAID "WHY DOES  
YOUR DOG KEEP  
LOOKING AT ME"  
  
I SAID "IT'S BECAUSE  
YOU'RE USING HIS  
PLATE"**



"I LIMIT MYSELF TO ONE GLASS OF WINE A DAY."





Rotary Events Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• October 'Lift the Lid'</li> <li>• Science and Engineering</li> <li>• RYLA</li> <li>• District Conference</li> </ul>	<p>10 October 2021            14- 18 March 2022            29th April 2022 – 7th May 2022            18- 20 March 2022</p>

Social Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Post Office Raffles Social Night</li> <li>• Guess Who's Coming to Dinner</li> </ul>	<p>3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the Month</p>



## 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.

### Tamworth - First Light

Meets each Wednesday

6:30 for 7:00 am

West League Club

Chillingworth Room

Phillip Street

South Tamworth

### Club Officers and contact details

[President — Marina Hearne](#)

[Secretary — Sue O'Connor](#)

[Treasurer — Michael Smith](#)

### Other Clubs meet:

Monday PM – Tamworth West

Tuesday PM – Tamworth

Wednesday PM - Calala

Friday AM - Sunrise

### Seven Areas of Focus



### 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?

	14 July 2021	21 July 2021	28 July 2021
<b>Topic Location</b>	<b>Meeting Chillingworth, Wests</b>	<b>Meeting Chillingworth, Wests</b>	<b>Meeting Chillingworth, Wests</b>
<b>Guest speaker</b>	Youth Task force Ryan Barry	Tamworth Business Chamber Steph Cameron	Sydney Business Park Bryan Singh
<b>Sergeant</b>	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin
<b>Corporals (fortnightly)</b>	Stephen Hawkins Bruce Hemmett	Stephen Hawkins Bruce Hemmett	Ian Howle Dennis Johnson
<b>Meeter &amp; Greeter</b>	Anne Jacob	Peter Bell	Philip Knight
<b>Door Team</b>	Philip Penman Brian Thompson	Deb Barnes Ron Allen	Peter Leonard Stephen Massey
<b>President Assist</b>	Helen Tickle	Vicki Cooper	Dennis Maunder
<b>Visitor Assist</b>	John Treloar	Richard Hardwick	Glen McIntosh
<b>Welcome</b>	Chris Watson	Mandy Fisher	John Rouvray
<b>Bulletin Notes &amp; Introduction</b>	Brett White	Bev Fletcher	Brodie Shields
<b>Vote of Thanks</b>	David Hinwood	Naomi Blakey	Mitchell Soree
<b>POST OFFICE RAFFLE – FRIDAYS - 6:00 – 7:00PM</b>			
<b>9th July</b>	<b>16 July</b>	<b>23 July</b>	<b>30 July</b>
Richard Walker Bruce Hemmett	Phil Penman Richard Walker	Peter Ryan Phil Penman	Denis Johnson Peter Ryan
<b>BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES AND INDUCTIONS</b>			
<b>Members Birthdays</b>	Michael Smith 15 <sup>th</sup> July		
<b>Partners Birthdays</b>	Kerry, partner of Dennis Johnson 15 July. Sue, partner of Terry Robinson 15 July		
<b>Anniversaries</b>			
<b>Club Induction</b>			
<b>Attendance</b>			
<b>Make-Ups</b>	Nil		
<b>Visiting Rotarians</b>	Sam ?		
<b>Visitors</b>	Nil		
<b>Heads &amp; Tails</b>	Nil		
<b>Raffle</b>	Nil		

Now you have read the roster, make sure you read the rest of the bulletin!! Marina ☺



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