



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Rotary



Club of Tamworth First Light

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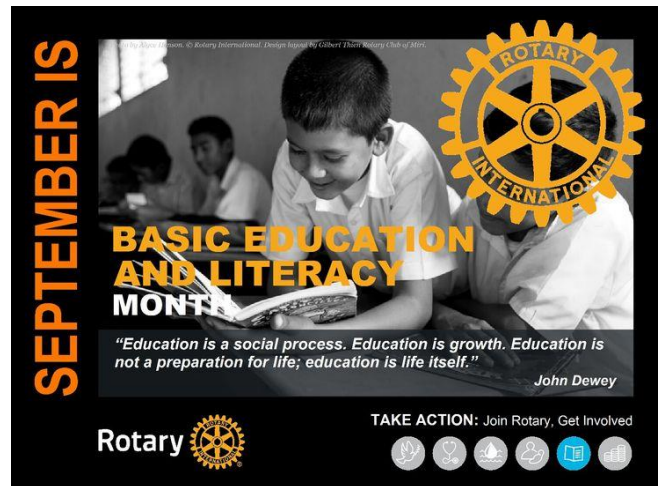


Rotary Year 2021 - 2022

District Governor [David Mayne](#)
President: [Marina Hearne](#)
Secretary: [Sue O'Connor](#)
Treasurer: [Michael Smith](#)



My old school mate Sam Flaherty and Sister Louise.



Rotarians worldwide are committed to supporting the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 4 to ensure inclusive and quality education for all and promoting lifelong learning through education-oriented projects that provide technology, teacher training, vocational training teams, student meal programs, and low-cost textbooks to communities. Rotary's goal is to empower communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy.



Worldwide, 67 million children have no access to education, and more than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate.

Incoming Board Positions

I am looking for interested parties from the club to take on a Board role with the **2022 – 23 Rotary Year**. There is a small-time commitment for each position, but it is a great opportunity to participate in the direction of the Club.

At this point all positions are available and if you would like to contact me on 0438 623 429 to discuss the roles further.

Richard Hardwick



Marina's 2 cents worth

Quote of the week:

Almost every successful person begins with two beliefs: the future can be better than the present, and I have the power to make it so.

-David Brooks (David Brooks is a conservative political and cultural commentator who writes for The New York Times.)

Joke of the week:

We were marching to the chow hall when we spotted a pathetic-looking recruit standing at attention by a mailbox, a whole book of stamps plastered to his forehead. When our drill instructor demanded an explanation, the man bellowed, "This recruit has proved himself worthless and weak and is being mailed home to his mother!"

An exciting day today! Not only did we all get to see each other in person, but we added a new member to our crew. Welcome to Mal Turnbull who was inducted today. Congratulations, we look forward to having you involved in our Club. Members, please make sure you introduce yourselves if you haven't already. (No goats were harmed in this process)

- Sunrise to Santa, currently 1,587km's into the mission – located just over the NT border, nearest landmark being the Marshall River.
- Tree planting day Sep 26th from 8.30am to 12.30pm. More information on what to bring for the day will be sent out soon. Rob Chandler will be digging the holes for us as Council have run out of time.
- Our database has moved – A quick how to log in & find contact details is in the bulletin.
- **World Polio Day is 24 October** – if anyone has suggestions on how we can raise funds as I'm not sure we can run our normal movie night, but if someone would like to take this on, please let me know.
- Combined Club signage should be completed very shortly, see below.
- **IT'S SOCIAL WEEK!! 3rd Friday of the month this week, get down to the PO for our social night!**

Have a great week
Marina

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Rotary Club of Tamworth
NORTH TAMWORTH BOWLING CLUB, BLIGH ST
1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 6:15pm
tamworthrotaryclub@yahoo.com

Rotary Club of Tamworth West
WEST TAMWORTH BOWLING CLUB, BELMORE ST
Mondays at 6:00pm
facebook.com/tamworthwestrotary

Rotary Club of Tamworth Sunrise
TAMWORTH CITY BOWLING CLUB, NAPIER ST
Fridays at 6.45am
facebook.com/tamworthsunrise

Rotary Club of Tamworth First Light
WEST TAMWORTH LEAGUE CLUB
Wednesdays at 6:30am
facebook.com/tamworthfirstlightrotary

Rotary Club of Calala
CALALA INN & SOUTH BOWLING CLUB
Alternate Wednesdays at 6:00pm

Rotary Club of Manilla
POST OFFICE HOTEL MANILLA
2nd & 4th Mondays 7:00pm

Rotary e-Club
ONLINE - 2nd & 4th Thursdays
eclub9650@gmail.com





Guest speaker incoming president Richard Hardwick speaking on the Middle East and the hurdles they face in the years ahead.



Congradulations, Members please make our newest Rotary member Malcom Turnbull welcome



**LIFT
THE LID
WALK**

**FOR MENTAL
HEALTH 2021**



More ways to **LIFT** **THE LID**

Lift the Lid on Mental Illness is Australian Rotary Health's overarching campaign brand for mental health research.

The campaign, founded by ARH Chairman Greg Ross, started in 2016 in partnership with Rotary Clubs of Victoria. The events were such a success that it has now been extended to all Rotary Clubs across Australia.

Each year approximately 1-in-5 Australians will experience a mental illness and in order to help future generations of young Australians, we need to look ahead through research and find out how we can prevent this type of illness occurring.

You can support this wonderful initiative by walking or getting involved in one of our other campaign initiatives such as:

[HAT DAY](#)

On World Mental Health Day, **October 10** you are invited to hold an event and wear your most eye-catching hat.



Fun Stuff



*I tried cooking wth wine
last night ...
After 5 glasses I forgot
why I was in the kitchen*

BREAKING NEWS:
Keith Richards has just tested positive for everything except Covid 19



The Hills are closed



My husband is of the opinion that I am absolutely crazy. But if he is the one who decided to get married to me, then that makes him even crazier than I am.

My friend surprised me for my birthday with a book called 'Road-Kill Recipes'. I did find some road-kill the other day, so I cooked it according to one recipe and it was delicious.

I'm just not sure what I should do with the bicycle.



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Rotary Events Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • October 'Lift the Lid' • Science and Engineering • District Conference • Waste Warriors Expo • RYLA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 October 2021 • 14- 18 March 2022 • 18- 20 March 2022 • 25th March 2022 • 29th April 2022 – 7th May 2022

Social Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post Office Raffles Social Night • Guess Who's Coming to Dinner 	<p>3rd 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?

	22nd September	29th September	6th October
Topic	Meeting	Meeting	Meeting
Location	Chillingworth, Wests	Chillingworth, Wests	Chillingworth, Wests
Guest speaker	NYSF Candidates – Joe Melville and Heramb Dayandara	Friendship Vouchers - Greg Barton	Making sense of energy in a power-hungry world Raymond McLaren
Sergeant	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin
Corporals (fortnightly)	Naomi Blakely Vicki Cooper	Naomi Blakely Vicki Cooper	John Worldon Graham Dooley
Meeter & Greeter	Mandi Fisher	John Rouvray	Louise Mathews
Door Team	Ian Howle Peter Leonard	Brodie Shields Mitchell Soree	Michael O'Connor Terry Robinson
President Assist	Richard Hardwick	Paul Stevenson	Stephen Hawkins
Visitor Assist	Dennis Maunder	James Treloar	Bruce Hemmett
Welcome	Steve Massey	Richard Walker	Anne Jacob
Bulletin Notes & Introduction	Glen McIntosh	Elizabeth Gill	Philip Penman
Vote of Thanks	Bev Fletcher	Val Hellmann	Peter Ryan

POST OFFICE RAFFLE – FRIDAYS - 6:00 – 7:00PM

24th September	1ST October	8th October	15th October
Bev Fletcher Deb Barnes	Deb Barnes Philip Knight	Philip Knight Brian Logan	Brian Logan Brian Thompson

BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES AND INDUCTIONS

Members Birthdays	
Partners Birthdays	
Anniversaries	Phil and Margaret Lyon, 26 th September 51 years James and Lisa Treloar 27 th September 13 years
Club Induction	Peter Leonard 27 th Sept. 4 years Mitchell Soree 27 th Sept 4 years

Attendance	79%
Make-Ups	Nil
Visiting Rotarians	Malcom Turnbull and Jane Bradford
Visitors	Nil
Heads & Tails	Richard Hardwick
Raffle	Louise Mathews

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

