



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Rotary
Club of Tamworth First Light



**MEETING 1574 ISSUE 17 WEDNESDAY 20th October
2021**



Rotary Year 2021 - 2022

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



Terry Burgess and Girlfriend Louise Mathews

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.

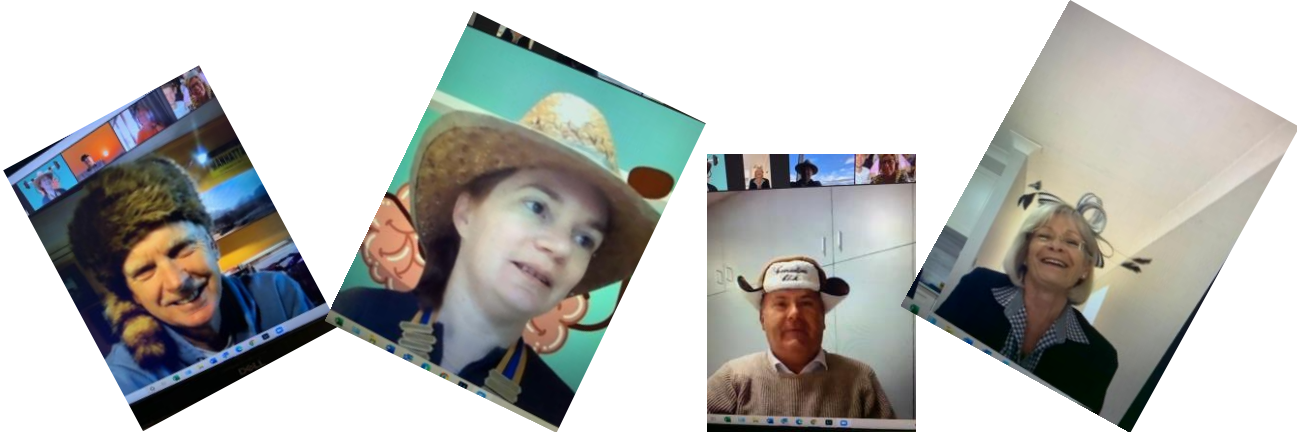
At this point all positions are available and if you would like to contact me on 0438 623 429 to discuss the roles further.

Richard Hardwick



Guest Speaker Haranb Bayowanda

Zoom Breakfast



Marina's 2 cents worth

Quote of the week:

What mental health needs is more sunshine, more candor, more unashamed conversation.
Glenn Close.

Joke of the week:

My husband told me to stop impersonating a flamingo. I had to put my foot down.

- **Our mental health fundraiser Be Fit For You is up to a whopping \$1,661. Well done and thank you so much to those who are participating and raising these funds for mental health! Still, plenty of time to join the team!**
A reminder that this fundraiser is separate to Sunrise's Santa Challenge. Your kilometres can still count for both fundraisers, but the funds raised for Be Fit For You go directly to **OUR** Club for mental health charities. I have created a team for First Light. **\$5 entry fee only (your normal donation you give to mental health on hat day)**, get your kids, friends and the community to donate. Please like and share our fundraiser on Facebook and email to help make this a success. [Link here](#)
<https://befitforyou.raisely.com/>
- Heramb was fantastic with his public speaking speech. A very interesting topic; Cultural and Generational Change on Life Balance. We look forward to hearing it in person next year. It was also lovely to hear Vicki's personal profile and how she came back to Tamworth. We are so lucky to have you back Vicki
- A number of things coming up over the next couple of months: **Tree planting day on 17 October (this weekend), tree maintenance training on 31 Oct – talk to Peter Ryan for more info. Public Speaking Cluster Final – now moved to 9 Feb 2022, Nov 10 is now a combined club trivia night at Tamworth City Bowlo. Rotary Golf Day on Fri 12 Nov. Xmas party 27 November (also the same weekend as District Showcase) to be held out at Moore Creek Hall. Somewhere in December the Polio movie night will be, waiting on further details for that, the movie is called Duke.**
- **8 December is the AGM – help Richard Hardwick out, give him a ring him to discuss board positions that need to be filled. We know you all want to bust out the travel bags when restrictions ease further, but most positions are flexible and require very minimal time commitment. Chat to the current board if you'd like to know more.**
- Next week's meeting will be at the City Bowling Club on Napier Street. Same cost as normal \$23.

Make sure you read the bulletin and check emails as things can change quickly! Stay safe, stay sane! Get vaccinated pretty please 😊

Marina

More Help Required

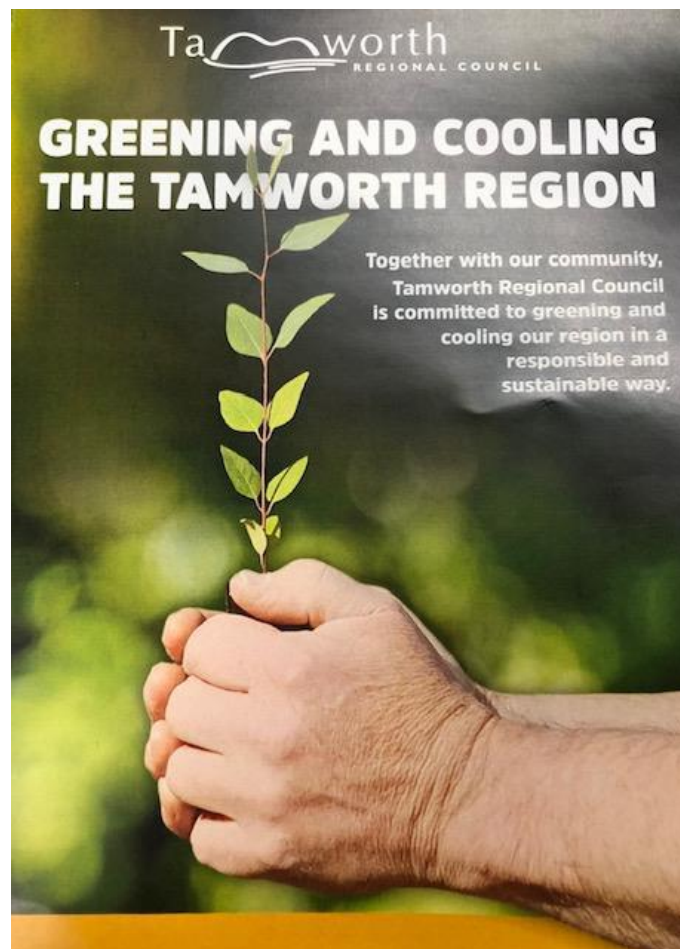
Next tree planting projects

The next tree planting project will be Sunday the 17th of October at 8.30 am at Moore Creek Road near Browns Lane.

Depending on numbers, we should be able to plant, mulch and water the 80 trees in about 2 hours. Please bring gloves, spade, shovel, wheelbarrow & we will need a couple of cordless drills.

Our third project will be maintenance & training morning on tree maintenance at Chauvel Park in Waree Drive Tamworth on **Sunday 31st October at 8.30 am** for a couple of hours where Rob Chandler will show us how to prune, mulch and maintain young trees which we will be doing for the trees we plant for the first couple of years. Please email Peter Ryan - pryan@inlandtechnology.com.au if you are able to assist at one or both mornings of the tree planting or maintenance mornings

The last tree planting was a huge success let make this even better.





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- **Be in the running to win the “STUNNING Gold & Blue Jacket”**
- Friday 12th November 2021
- Tamworth Golf Club
- \$40 per person
- Shotgun Start
- Individual Stableford
- Book and pay at the Pro Shop with Brock Sampson, individually or as a 4 phone 6765 9980
- Sponsor a hole for \$100 or you may like to donate a prize
- Lots of prizes and fun, BBQ lunch included
- Presentation and drinks to follow the golf
- **PROCEEDS to LOCAL CHARITIES**

Further information:

John Worldon – 0412 374 371

John Treloar – 0418 659 052

Deb Barnes – 0411 770 552



Fun Stuff

IF YOU STILL WON'T
WEAR A MASK
BECAUSE YOU BELIEVE
IT WILL BLOCK THE
OXYGEN TO YOUR BRAIN -
DON'T WORRY, THAT
SHIP HAS ALREADY SAILED

So today, in church,
a guy in a dress tried to drown me

And, I kid you not,
my family just stood there
taking pictures!

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I'll never forget how
happy I was when
I saw my missus
walking down the
aisle.

My heart was
beating fast and
the excitement was
unbearable.

It seemed to take an
age but eventually
there she was, stood
beside me.

I gave her a cheeky
wink and said,
"Get that trolley over
here love, they're
doing 3 cases of Stella
for the price of 2!"

5 WAYS FOR A MAN TO BE COMPLETELY HAPPY

1. Be with a woman who makes you laugh
2. Be with a woman who gives you her time
3. Be with a woman who takes care of you
4. Be with a woman who really loves you
5. Finally, make sure these four women don't know each other!



Yesterday, a 45-year-old man was going to bed and heard thieves in his garage. He called the police. Unfortunately, the officer on the phone told him they don't have any police officers free at the moment. The guy hung up and then called again in a moment and tells the officer:

- it's about these thieves in my garage.
- Don't bother coming anymore I've shot them.

After literally 2 minutes, 4 police cars, Armed response, counter terrorists, ambulances,..... Thieves were obviously caught. Police officers had a chat with the gentleman

Officer says - " You said you shot them! "
Gentlemen - " And you said you don't have a free police car " ..





Do not let them take the temperature on your forehead as you enter the supermarket, because it erases your memory. I went for macaroni and cheese and came home with two cases of beer.



Rotary Events Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be Fit for you. Mental Health Fundraiser • Rotary spring Golf Day, Tamworth Golf Club, Mixed Stableford, shotgun start, \$40 includes lunch, Book at the pro shop. • Christmas Party • AGM • Science and Engineering • District Conference • Waste Warriors Expo • RYLA • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All of October • 8th December 2021 11am Friday 12th November 2021 • 27th November 2021 • 8th December 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?

	20 th October	27 th October	3 rd November
Topic	City Bowling Club	City Bowling Club	City Bowling Club
Location			
Guest speaker	Critical appraisal in Drug Trials Madeleine Ferraro	Personal Profile Malcolm Turnbull	Smart Technologies and Micro Factories Prof Veena Sahajwalla
Sergeant	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin
Corporals (fortnightly)	John Treloar Brett White	Leonard Brian Logan	John Rouvray Peter Ryan
Meeter & Greeter	Naomi Blakey	Philip Lyon	Michael O, Connor
Door Team	Ron Allen Graham Dooley	Anne Jacob Philip Knight	Brodie Shields Mitchell Soree
President Assist	Mandy Fisher	Steve Massey	Paul Stevenson
Visitor Assist	Liz Gill	Louise Mathews	James Treloar
Welcome	Richard Hardwick	Denis Maunder	Brian Thompson
Bulletin Notes & Introduction	Steve Hawkins	Michael O,Connor	John Treloar
Vote of Thanks	Bruce Hemmett	Glen McIntosh	Helen Tickle
POST OFFICE RAFFLE – FRIDAYS - 6:00 – 7:00PM			
22nd October	29th October	5th November	12th November
Denis Johnson Brian Thompson	Denis Johnson Ian Howle	Ian Howle Philip Penman	Philip Penman Terry Robinson
BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES AND INDUCTIONS			
Members Birthdays	Ronald Allen 22 nd October		
Partners Birthdays			
Anniversaries			
Club Induction			
Attendance	Zoom 60%		
Make-Ups	Nil		
Visiting Rotarians			
Visitors	Haranb Bayowanda		
Heads & Tails	Louise Mathews		
Raffle			

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

