



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Rotary



Club of Tamworth First Light

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Rotary Year 2021 - 2022

District Governor	<u>David Mayne</u>
President:	<u>Marina Hearne</u>
Secretary:	<u>Sue O'Connor</u>
Treasurer:	<u>Michael Smith</u>



YOUTH

In 1949, the Rotary International Board adopted the slogan "Every Rotarian an Example to Youth" as an expression of commitment to children and youth in each community in which Rotary Clubs exist. Serving young people has long been an important part of the Rotary program.

Youth service projects take many forms around the world. Rotarians sponsor Boy Scout and Girl Scout troops, athletic teams, centers for disabled children, school safety patrols, summer camps, orphanages, recreation areas, safe driving clinics, county fairs, child-care centers, and children's hospitals. Many Clubs provide vocational counselling, establish youth employment programs, and promote the use of The Four-Way Test. Increasingly, drug/alcohol abuse prevention and AIDS awareness projects are being supported by Rotarians.

EVERY ROTARIAN AN EXAMPLE TO YOUTH

In every instance, Rotarians have an opportunity to be role models and mentors for the young people of their community. One learns to serve by observing others. As our youth grow to become adult leaders, it is hoped each will achieve that same desire and spirit to serve future generations.

It is the responsibility of each Rotarian to prepare the youth – all young people up to the age of 30 – by improving their life skills to ensure a better future, while recognizing the diversity of their needs. All Clubs and Districts are encouraged to undertake projects that support the fundamental needs of youth: health, human values, education, and self-development. Rotary International's Structured Programs for youth are: Interact, Rotaract, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and Youth Exchange.

The month of September is designated as 'Youth Service Month' to focus on all Rotary activities that support the development of young people up to the age of 30. Rotary Clubs are encouraged to use the slogan "Every Rotarian an Example to Youth" in Club bulletins and publicity material during 'Youth Service Month'

Marina's 2 cents worth

RYLA Dinner – I'm not sure there was a dry eye in the house after last night. The RYLarians and RYLA Leaders had us feeling so very proud and emotional for them. Every year, it's so great to hear how they are taking on board all the information they learn and implement it in their lives. And Shanna Whan, what a woman she is. Go watch her Australian Story. Spread the word that it is ok to say no to a drink. Growing up in a small town and the main social activities were golf and drinks, and 5 o'clock bear time, her story resonated so much with me.

Next year, RYLA will still go ahead with a North and South camp at 2 different times of the year. It is a fantastic program and a huge thank you to Louise for always finding people we are able to sponsor each year to attend as well as all her time and commitment to the event.

Careers Expo update – I'm just about to hit 70 exhibitors!!! Hooray.

Don't forget - June 18th is our changeover – save the date and if you have some fab ideas to make it great event for our last one under District 9650 or would like to join the changeover committee, please **contact Brian Logan or Liz Gill**.

Louise is after a standby chauffeur to assist on Saturday morning (7 May) to pick up a RYLAarian from Lake Keepit at 8.30am and deliver her to the airport. You can text or leave a message for her on 0420 743 083 (service is a bit dodge.)

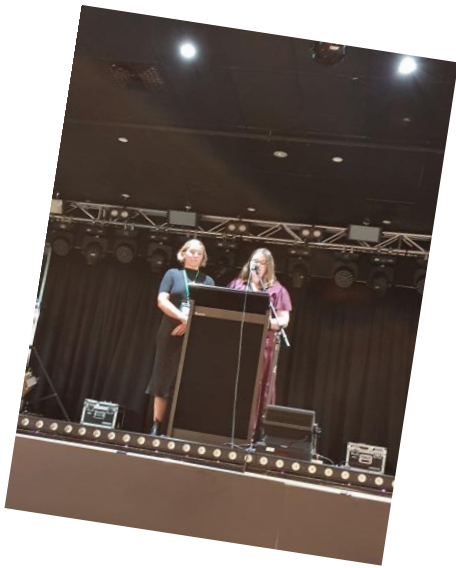
Next week is a normal meeting back at Wests.

It's officially birthday!!

Marina



RYLA Dinner West Leagues





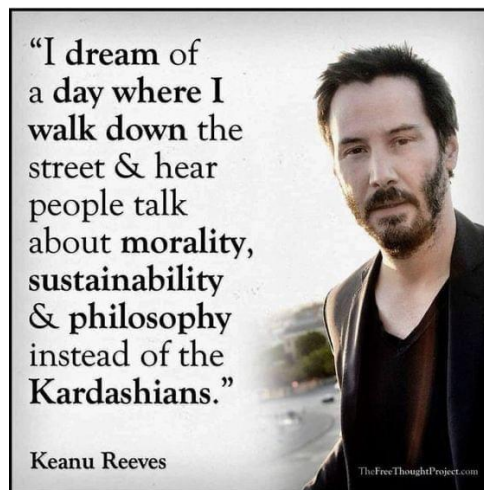
Wednesday 18th May 2022 with a Parents Information Evening Tuesday 17th May 2022. Venue is the TRECC, Greg Norman Drive, Tamworth

Fun Stuff

Marriage is about understanding what irritates your spouse and using it strategically

DOES ANYONE ELSE WISH THE MANUFACTURERS WOULD WRITE SHAMPOO AND CONDITIONER IN A BIGGER FONT SO WE CAN READ IN IT IN THE SHOWER WITHOUT OUR SPECS !!

Me watching re-runs of the Simpsons to find out what we have to deal with next



I Think My Iphone
Is Broken.
I Pressed
The Home
Button
And I'm
Still At Work.



WOMEN ARE LIKE
POLICE, THEY CAN
HAVE ALL THE
EVIDENCE IN THE
WORLD BUT THEY STILL
WANT A CONFESSION.



Behind every husband
who thinks he wears
the pants...
Is a wife who told him
which pants to wear.

Wife: I have a bag full of
used clothing I'd like to
donate.

Husband: Why not just
throw it in the trash? That's
much easier.

Wife: But there are poor
starving people who can
really use all these clothes.

Husband: Honey,
anyone who fits into your
clothing is not starving.

**Husband is recovering
from a head injury now**



My wife wanted to disgrace me in the presence of her friends, she said I wasn't good in bed. She was shocked when they all disagreed with her.



So.....you've been eating hotdogs and McChickens all your life, but don't want the vaccine, because, " you don't know what's in it"?

Rotary Events Calendar	Date
Career expo Changeover	18 th May 18 th June

Social Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Post Office Raffles Social Night 	3 rd Friday of the Month

Tamworth First Light Website - <https://www.tamworthfirstlight.org.au/>
 Our Club Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/tamworthfirstlightrotary/>
 District and Club Database - <https://www.dacdb.com/>
 District 9650 Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/RotaryDistrict9650>

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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



PEACEBUILDING AND
CONFLICT PREVENTION



DISEASE PREVENTION
AND TREATMENT



WATER, SANITATION,
AND HYGIENE



MATERNAL AND
CHILD HEALTH



BASIC EDUCATION
AND LITERACY



COMMUNITY ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT



ENVIRONMENT

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?

	11 th May	18 th May	25 th May
Topic Location	Mental Health First Aid	TREC	COVID and Mental Health
Guest speaker	Kate Arndell	Careers Expo	Paul Riley
Sergeant	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin	Barry Biffin
Corporals (fortnightly)	Deb Barnes Peter Bell	Philip Lyon Steve Martin	Philip Lyon Steve Martin
Meeter & Greeter	Tom Hellmann	Steve Massey	Brodie Shields
Door Team	Bruce Hemmett Val Hellmann	Louise Mathews Dennis Maunder	Mitchell Soree Paul Stevenson
President Assist	Ian Howle	Michael O'Connor	Helen Tickle
Visitor Assist	Philip Knight	Terry Robinson	Malcolm Turnbull
Welcome	Peter Johnston	Philip Penman	John Treloar
Bulletin Notes & Introduction	Liz Gill	John Rouvray	Brian Thompson
Vote of Thanks	Brian Logan	Peter Ryan	James Treloar
POST OFFICE RAFFLE – FRIDAYS - 6:00 – 7:00PM			
13 TH May	20 TH May	27 TH May	3 RD June
Peter Johnston Philip Knight	Philip Knight Philip Penman	Philip Penman Brian Logan	Brian Logan Steve Martin
Members Birthdays			
Members Birthdays	Marina Hearne 13 th May, Brian Logan 13 th May, and Les Jacob 17 th May		
Partners Birthdays	Judy Biffin 13 th May		
Anniversaries	Peter Bell 17 th May 47 years		
Club Induction			
Attendance			
Attendance			
Make-Ups			
Make-Ups			
Visiting Rotarians			
Visiting Rotarians			
Visitors			
Visitors			
Heads & Tails			
Heads & Tails			
Raffle			
Raffle			

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