



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Rotary



Club of Tamworth First Light

MEETING 1605 ISSUE 44 Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June 2022



## 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>

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## What's important in a Rotary Club Changeover?

Late June every year is a time of change in the Rotary world.

At that time of the year, all 34,000 Rotary Clubs around the World conduct a Changeover ceremony which brings NEW leadership, NEW ideas, a NEW theme, and renewed vitality to each Club. This changeover of leadership occurs throughout Rotary at Club, District, and international level.

**Celebrating Accomplishments** are integral to Changeovers and being able to look back on a year of hard work. Such reflection shouldn't just be a vanity for the President and Board, but something all Rotarians can take pride in.

**Acknowledging Service** follows on to this. Honouring those Rotarians who stand out among us remains ever so important. Hard work in service to the club and their community, and generous to our Rotary Foundation are things to be celebrated.

**Looking Forward** to the year ahead, where we can see new opportunities for Service above Self and working together to build an even brighter future for the world.

**Fellowship and Banter** can be more difficult over Zoom but is even more critical than ever. Let's remember why we love doing what we do, joined with our fellow Rotarians not just as partners in service, but as dearest friends.

# Marina's 2 cents worth

Quote of the week:

Regret is worse than failure. Set your goals high and give it all you've got.

Joke of the Week:

What sits at the bottom of the sea and twitches?

A nervous wreck.

**Please RSVP to Changeover asap, bring the other half!! It will be a fun night, a trip down memory lane, celebrating all that was D9650 for First Light.**

A great way to finish my breakfast meetings with one of my favourite programs – Dolly Parton Imagination Library.

Please keep 8<sup>th</sup> July available for a NAIDOC BBQ – 2 BBQ's will be on the go as they are expecting a huge number of attendees.

Fun day out - RCTFL are supporting the Westpac Helicopter. Barry Biffin is organising a table for a day at the races on 24 June for their charity event. Contact Barry on 0439449888.

No breakfast meeting next week.

## **Positions to be filled!**

~ **Richard Hardwick is in search of a Program Coordinator and Bulletin Editor. Program doesn't require too much time other than contacting to book and confirm the guest speaker, generally members will inundate you with potential speakers.**

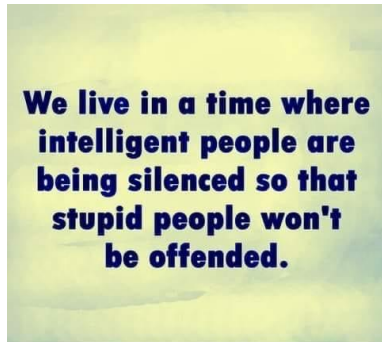
**Bulletin does require an hour or two a week depending on how much is to go in the bulletin and organise rosters. Both extremely important roles for the club, so if someone could kindly put up their hand, we would all be very appreciative, and Richard can stop worrying ~**

Thank you for being an amazing Rotary Club. See you all at Changeover 😊

*Marina*



## Fun Stuff



Rotary Events Calendar	Date

Social Calendar	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Post Office Raffles Social Night</li> </ul>	3 <sup>rd</sup> 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> Rotary District 9650 - Technology Committee Chairman and Webmaster

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- **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.
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### 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?

	18 <sup>th</sup> June	22 <sup>nd</sup> June	29 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Topic Location</b>	<b>Changeover</b>	<b>TBE</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>Guest speaker</b>		TBA	TBA
<b>Sergeant</b>		TBA	TBA
<b>Corporals (fortnightly)</b>		Steve Martin Stephen Massey	Peter Ryan Brodie Shields
<b>Meeter &amp; Greeter</b>		Louise Mathews	Michael Smith
<b>Door Team</b>		Dennis Maunder Sue Oconnor	Mitchell Soree
<b>President Assist</b>		Terry Robinson	Paul Stevenson
<b>Visitor Assist</b>		Brodie Shields	Helen Tickle
<b>Welcome</b>		Peter Ryan	Brian Thompson
<b>Bulletin Notes &amp; Introduction</b>		Philip Penman	James Treloar
<b>Vote of Thanks</b>		John Rouvray	John Treloar
<b>POST OFFICE RAFFLE – FRIDAYS - 6:00 – 7:00PM</b>			
<b>17<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>24<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> July</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> July</b>
Stephen Massey Louise Mathews	Louise Mathews Peter Leonard	Peter Leonard Sue O'Connor	Sue O'Connor Philip Penman
<b>BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES AND INDUCTIONS</b>			
<b>Members Birthdays</b>	Brodie Shields 21st June		
<b>Partners Birthdays</b>			
<b>Anniversaries</b>			
<b>Club Induction</b>	Louise Mathews 17 years and Brett White 24 years		
<b>Attendance</b>	62%		
<b>Make-Ups</b>			
<b>Visiting Rotarians</b>	Jane Bradford (Honorary)		
<b>Visitors</b>	Courtney Priestly, Hannah Woods		
<b>Heads &amp; Tails</b>			
<b>Raffle</b>			