

ROTARY CLUB OF TAMWORTH FIRST LIGHT

Year 1997 - 1998

WORLD PRESIDENT

Glen Kinross - Hamilton, Brisbane Aust

DISTRICT GOVERNOR

Neville Clark - Port Macquarie

THEME = SHOW ROTARY CARES

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President - Michael O'Connor
President Elect - Phillip Lyon

Secretary - Allan Forrest
Treasurer - Ian Howle

CLUB SERVICE - Director - Graham Nuttall

Attendance: Mark O'Brien; Terry Burgess
Corporals & Club Equipment: Richard Pepperell; Robert Lewis
Programme: John Worldon
Social, Sporting & Fellowship: Phil Heffernan; Bruce Hemmett; Ross Lobsey; Michael Hall; David Hinwood
Golf Committee: John Ryam, Dennis Maunder; Terry Burgess, Brian Thompson; John Worldon; Les Jacob

Sergeant at Arms: Graham Dooley
Bulletin: Barry Murphy; Patrick Maher
Classification & Membership: Bruce Hemmett; Phil Heffernan
Public Relations: John Sommerlad
History: Allan Forrest
Catering: Brodie Shields
Bowel Scan: Garnet Wood

Committee: John O'Sullivan; Stephen Mitchell; Graeme Makin; Bruce McLean; Eric Kawabe; Dennis Johnson; Ron Allen

COMMUNITY SERVICE - Director - Alan Coates

Committee: Wilton Boyd; Ken Chandler; John Trollor; Garnet Wood, John Ryman, Marianne Murphy; Rod Tanswell; Ian Howle; Bruce K McLean

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Director - Paul Stevenson

Committee: Peter Ranking; John Treloar; Dick Davison; Steve Burrows; Barry Biffen; Peter Best; Leonie Tait

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Director - Doug McCallum

Committee: Graham Dooley; Robert Lewis; John Sommerlad; Ruth Russell; Ian Downs; John Miller

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YOUTH SERVICE - Director - James Volk

Committee: Kevin Binello; Brodie Shields; Dennis Maunder; John Welsh; Richard Pepperell;
Laurence Hearne; Bill Moss; Les Jacob

Meeting Place - Power House Motor Inn - Armidale Road - Tamworth
Changed to Country Comfort Motel - September 1997
Breakfast Cost - \$15.00

Annual Dues - \$140.00
(Includes FAIM contribution of \$10.00)

MEMBERSHIP

New Members		
David Ragg		30/07/97
Roger Rumble		29/10/97
Brian Yeo		15/10/97
Dai Reynolds		11/12/97
Steve Mitchell	Rejoined	12/03/97
Steve Chapman		12/03/97
Bruce McLean (hosp)	Rejoined	18/02/98
Andrew Hosken		18/02/98
Greg Parnell		22/04/98
Brett White		20/06/98
Trevor Hannaford	Honorary	20/06/98

Members Resigned		
Stephen Mitchell		Jul-97
Ian Downs		Aug-97
Kevin Binello	Transferred	Sep-97
Graham Makin		Jan-98
Bruce (Hosp) McLean		Oct-97
Peter Ranking	Transferred	Jan-98
Richard Pepperell		Jan-98
Ruth Russell	Transferred	Apr-98
Leonie Tait		15/10/97
Doug McCallum		28/01/98

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Terry Burgess - Presented - Christmas Party - 20th December 1997
Alan Coates - Presented - Change Over - 20th June 1998

AWARDS

US\$10 contribution per member over 12 months to the Rotary Foundation

MEMBER PROFILES

Brodie Shields
Mark O'Brien
Steve Chapman
Michael O'Connor

John Sommerlad
Barry Biffen
John Trollor

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ACTIVITIES

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Privet eradication
Playground Equipment - Scully Park Pool - Installed Feb.1998 (Alan Coates - Co-ordinator)
Participated Clean up Australia Day - 1/3/98
Bucket collection - Carols by Candlelight
Bowelscan week - Feb/Mar '98
Marshalls - Country Music Festival

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

Club membership of FAIM (first Avenue in Motion) = 100%
Joint meeting with Tamworth West - Malaysian Night - BAE Academy
Wells for Bangladesh - \$500
Raymond Hezkiel - GSE Team to India
Paul & Susie Stevenson - Friendship Exchange to Turkey
T - Shirts for East Africa Fund
Sponsored Dr.Mosey Sau on a study tour from Lae Hospital - PNG

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Tamara Private Hospital (Breakfast in Bed with Marianne Murphy)
Tamworth Hotel - visit
Tamworth Abattoirs - visit

YOUTH SERVICE

Careers Expo - June '98
Ryla Nominees: Rebecca Owen; Alisa Greenfield; Derani Barwick
Siemans Summer School - Stephen Pennings and Iain Hoy
Rypen Nominee: Jessica Foley

SOCIAL, SPORTING & FELLOWSHIP

Supported Tamworth North Charity Bowls Day
Joint meeting with Tamworth West - Prof. Ian Maddox - Palliative Care
Condiki Tours - Coach to "Riverdance"
Condiki Tours - Victorian Venture Tour
7th Annual Gold Coast Golf Classic 5th Annual Bonville Golf Tour - February 1998
Gloria O'Connor Film Night
Participated in Quota Cup cricket competition - Fancy Dress part and Children's Christmas Party

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GUEST SPEAKERS

SPEAKER	TOPIC
Supt. Greg Paff	Commander Oxley Police Command
Chris Power	City Development Officer - Tamworth City Council
Lt. Col. Ian Spence	12/16th Hunter River Lancers - Army 2000
Salvation Army	
James Treloar	Tamworth City Council
Richard Halsted	Advance Australia
Harley Tarrant	Services Manager - Rotary International
John Sommerlad	Northern Daily Leader and Country Music Festival
John Parker	Fire control Officer - Parry Shire Council
John Welsh	"A journey to India"
Phil Heffernan	Stock and Station Agents
Sue Wynes/Graham Ellis	Veterinary Network and Trial
Tony Windsor	MP Tamworth - Workings of Parliament
Ken Truman	Tamworth "Water Based Frogs" - Tamworth Hockey
Freddy	"From Barraba to Sweden"
Gemma Rice	2 1/2 Years in Uganda
Nigel Box	Biada
Neil Foster	Water Reform in NSW
Jane Robertson	Conservatorium of Music Tamworth
Genevieve Maiden	Australian Youth Forum - Canberra
Chris Smith	Blood Bank and Donating
Pixie Jenkins	Country Music
Brett White	Katheine Floods - Insurance Assessment of
Bob Aitken	Editor - Rotary Down Under
Det. Lou Haslam	Drugs
Laurrine Montgomery	Suicide Prevention
Barry Walton	Westpac Rescue Helicopter - Establishment
Brian Singh	Fish Farming
Barry Smith	Youth Exchange Programme