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Four Way Test of the things we think, say or do:

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



17 SEPTEMBER 2015

VERE'S VERITAS



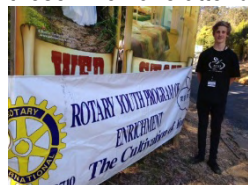
GALA CHARITY CABARET

A huge thank you to David Ashford for his idea to hold the Cabaret and, together with

Chris Watson, for his arrangements in making the evening such a wonderful success. \$5,500 will be distributed to 30 beneficiary charities and service clubs, including Rotary's chosen charity, Batemans Bay Hospital. Watch for the Bay Post story and photos.

MEMBERSHIP NIGHT – 17 SEPTEMBER

We have fifteen people coming to our Membership Night. A lot of planning has gone into the evening. Please make our guests feel welcome and talk to them about why you are a Rotarian. An email will be sent on Monday about the evening and following up those who have attended.



Magnus has had a very enjoyable weekend at RYPEN. New and reacquainted friends and experiences.

BUNNINGS – THANK YOU to those people who filled the roster at short notice to cook sausages on Friday last. We have been invited by Bunnings to conduct a BBQ on Friday 9 October to raise money and awareness for Australian Rotary Health's Hat Day. We have said 'yes' and the roster is included on the next page. **Please check to ensure you are available.**



Batemans Bay All Age Womens Football (soccer) team before their Grand Final on Sunday – wearing jerseys sponsored by our club. Can you see the Rotary logo?

24 September 2015 (Meeting 2753)

Program: RYPEN and MUNA attendees

Invocation & Toast: Pam Thorpe

International Toast: Bruce Gruber

Introduction & Thanks: Alan Russell

Sergeant Session: John Law

1 October 2015 (Meeting 2754)

Program: Jeff Clarke, *This is My Life*

Invocation & Toast: Bruce Clarke

International Toast: Allan Russell

Introduction & Thanks: Allan Russell

Rotary Badge: Ivan Ryrrie to arrange

8 October 2015 (Meeting 2755)

Program: Vocational Visit to ANU Rural Medical School, Pacific Street.

Guest Speaker: Rebecca Irwin ANU Rural Medical Student speaking about her recent posting in the Northern Territory

Dinner afterwards: Thai Restaurant at own cost

Introduction & Thanks: Ivan Ryrrie

15 October 2015 (Meeting 2756)

Program: District Governor Monica Garrett's official visit

PARTNERS NIGHT

Invocation & Toast: Jeff Thorpe

International Toast: Allan Russell

Introduction & Thanks: Vere Gray

ATTENDANCE LAST MEETING

Present: 300 Rotarians, partners and members of our local community

Leave: V Brandenburg, N Simpson, F Southon

DINNER APOLOGIES

Apologies and guests to be emailed or phoned to Vere Gray by 12 noon each Wednesday. 44713468

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We meet on Thursdays at 6 for 6.30 pm at Baywaters Resort, Cnr Kings & Princes Highway, Batemans Bay

REPORTS AND NOTICES

FOR THE DIARY

Friday/Saturday/Sunday 23/25 October

District Conference "On Top, Down Under"

The Station, Jindabyne

Register on District Website www.rotaryd9710.org.au

Thursday 29 October

End Polio Dinner

Guest Speaker Ken Hutt – Paragliding over Mt Everest to raise funds and awareness about Polio

Partners Night

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday 5 December at 7.30 pm

Wind in the Willows – Bay Theatre Players

Fundraiser –we will have tickets for sale next week.

Ask your friends and family. It will be an enjoyable night of entertainment to the same high standard as all Bay Theatre performances. The recipient of our fund raising is yet to be determined.

FROM THE BOARD MEETING ON 8 SEPTEMBER

- **Risk Management Plan** – Jeff Thorpe reviewing for next meeting;
- **Mobile BBQ** (formerly Apex) now with David Ashford who has undertaken some minor repairs;
- Letter from **Batemans Bay Football Club** – gratitude for funding of shirts for All Age Womens Team;
- **Riding for the Disabled** - \$500 contributed with funds from Moruya and Narooma towards required repairs;
- **National Youth Science Forum nominee** funded jointly by applicant and three Eurobodalla clubs;
- **2016 Calendars** – format and quote approved for printing;
- **Cabaret**
 - Thanks – Darren Knight and partner from Bay Office Supplies to be invited to a meeting;
 - \$15 per person to be distributed on a pro rata basis to those attending for the charity of their choice;
- **Grants to be offered to schools** to the value of \$1500 on application – for project of their choice;
- **New Club bannerettes** – the President and Treasurer to decide which quote to accept;
- **Batemans Bay Markets** – the matter to be referred to members at a meeting for comment;

END POLIO UPDATE



Two cases of wild polio virus in Ukraine in the area, bordering Romania, Hungary, Slovakia and Poland. In 2014, only 50% of children were fully immunized against polio and other preventable diseases. Discussions with national health authorities to plan and implement an urgent outbreak response.

ROSTERS

DOOR TEAMS

September: Bruce Gruber (D), Jill Gruber, Sue Leslight, Hugh Scott

October: Alan Russell (D), Peter Kable, Frances Southon, Alison Powell

November: Chris Watson (D), Maureen Law, Valerie Brandenburg, John Haslem

December/January: Ivan Ryrie (D), Robbie Law, Ron Sydenham, Maureen Manning

February: David Ashford (D) Joe Scorer, David Harding, Heidi Pohlsen

ROTARY VAN ROSTER

CORRIGANS BEACH MARKETS (7.30am-1pm)

means buy the ice and lite milk

****means School Holidays-4 people required**

20 September (**School Holidays) *M.Manning, J.Harper, H.Scott, M.Quigley. Tow B.Clarke

18 October *A.Russell, M.Law, A.Powell Tow J.Law

15 November *V.Gray, G.Gray, B.Gruber (+ Tow).

20 Decenber (**School Holidays)*Robbie Law, I.Ryrie, J.Thorpe,P.Thorpe. Tow N.Simpson

17 January 2016 (**School Holidays) *P Richardson V.Brandenburg, F.Southon, H Pradhan, Tow D.Ashford

BBPS BREAKFAST CLUB

TERM 3

Tuesday 13 October: Vere, Margaret

Wed14 October: Maureen M, Chris, Yvonne

Thursday 15 October: Maureen L + friends

Tuesday 20 October: Heidi, Alan

Wednesday21 October: Maureen L, Irene

Friday 23 October: David Ashford

BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE

Sunday 4 October (long weekend)

8.30 – 11am:BClarke,SLeslight,HScott,HPradhan

11-1.30pm: G Gray, V Gray, M Zarling, M Law

1.30 – 4pm: J Harper, I Ryrie, R Law

Friday 9 October (celebrating Hat Day)

8.30 – 11am: V Gray, P Wood, P Kable

11-1.30pm: I Ryrie, J Scorer, A Russell

1.30 – 4pm: J Thorpe, P Thorpe, R Law

AUSTRALIAN ROTARY SUCCESS

CONFERENCE – 5-6 September

The main focus of the conference was on membership. With numbers of Rotarians falling round the world, many presentations covered ideas for retaining membership. Concern centred on the increasing average age of Rotarians and that in seven years or so we as an organisation are in trouble. What will our club be like in seven years time?

What does Rotary mean to you? Many of us would not know each other if we weren't in Rotary. Does it mean friendships? Opportunity to learn and grow? Something else? Give others the Gift of Rotary – turn conversations to actions. We are working more with other groups to do more in our local community. *"Vision without action is just a daydream."*