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# The Pelican News



## ROTARY CLUB OF THE ENTRANCE INC.

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45 years helping the local community

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District Governor: Peter Ward (RC of The Entrance) (Anne)

### CLUB BOARD MEMBERS

<b>President</b> Gordon Crawford	<b>Secretary</b> Con Bartsos	<b>Treasurer</b> Stan Crellin
<b>President Elect (18-19):</b> George Clifford	<b>Foundation:</b> Stan Crellin	
<b>International:</b> David Waterhouse	<b>Club Admin:</b> Robin Hearder	
<b>Youth:</b> Alan Palmer	<b>Vocation/Community :</b> Torben Nielsen	
<b>Membership:</b> Michael Sawczak	<b>Bulletin Editor:</b> George Clifford	
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AUGUST is MEMBERSHIP & EXTENSION MONTH

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### CATERING

To assist with seating could you make your apology or book in any guests to  
**Treasurer Stan** by telephone call or SMS by noon on Monday on 4389 2153 or 0412 454 356

**HAVE YOU REGISTERED YET for CHILD PROTECTION** Apply at [WWW.check.ccvp.nsw.gov.au/Application/Applicants](http://WWW.check.ccvp.nsw.gov.au/Application/Applicants)  
fill in application – names as on drivers licence. Receive a number APPxxxxxx. Attend RMS office with number &  
proof of identity. A WWC number ending with V will follow by E-mail. ie. **WWC1234567**

## SOCIAL EVENING

A very enjoyable evening at Mingara where we dined on a beautiful Chinese Banquet. It proves you don't have to go far from home to have a great night.



Not a one

10th Aug  
18<sup>th</sup> Aug

Anita Crellin  
Krystyne Sawczak



## PCYC Golf Day

\$4000 worth of prizes for the day  
\$3000 plus in raffle prizes  
Trophies are Ned Kelly statuettes

**August 25**

Torben will be asking for volunteers to assist in the event



## PROGRAM – Robin Header

**August 22<sup>nd</sup>** Michael will chair this meeting

Day	Date	Activity	Time	Venue
Friday	18/08/2017	Spin & Win	10,30 am to 1.00pm	Bateau Bay
Tues	22/08/2017	Graham Vale, Pure & Culture	6.00 pm for 6.30 pm	Mingara
Tues	29/08/2017	Stephen Hammond-Parker talk	6.00 pm for 6.30 pm	Mingara
Tues	5/9/2017	Business Meeting	6.00 pm for 6.30 pm	Mingara
Wed	6/9/2017	Bunnings BBQ		
Fri	8/9/2017	Inner Wheel Trivia Night		
Sat	9/9/2017	Spin & Win	10,30 am to 1.00pm	Bateau Bay
Tue	12/9/2017	Mike O'Brien Chapmans Acct's	6.00 pm for 6.30 pm	Mingara
Wed	13/9/2017	Bunnings BBQ		
Sat	16/9/2017	Spin & Win		
Tue	19/9/2017	Community Raffle Tickets	6.00 pm for 6.30 pm	Mingara
Wed	20/9/2017	Bunnings BBQ		
	<b>Diary Note:-</b>			
Tues	3/10/2017	<b>No Meeting -transferred to Breakers</b>		
Thurs	5/10/2017	Rotary Clubs of Central Coast Dinner	6.00pm for 6.30 pm	Breakers Country Club
		R.I. Director Noel Trevakis		64 DoverSt, Wamberal

## BOARD MEETING

A lengthy agenda but we got through it in 2 hours. Of most importance were the:

### **Inquest into the murder victim.**

The funds raised were substantial. With the sponsors covering costs the revenue raised was \$5230.

However, if we are to proceed with this again next year we, as a club must get behind it in a big way. The majority of tickets were sold by Gordon, Sue and Clive. There was very little support from other Rotary clubs in the area.

This is a very worthwhile money raiser but we certainly need to focus on the sales aspect of it.

### **Bunnings BBQ's**

A procedures document was tabled and a healthy discussion arose concerning roles, records, ordering and rosters. David undertook to make a presentation to the club on Tuesday next, August 22.

### **Inner Wheel Trivia Event**

This will be held on 8th September so all you trivia buffs get organised. See the flyer

### **September Social Meeting**

This is in the safe hands of Michael so something to look forward to.

### **October Social Meeting**

We hope to have our social meeting at Camp Breakaway.

### **The Raffle**

Although Con is going down to my home territory this week to visit a friend and great bloke having some health problems he will be back shortly and the community raffle organisation is well under way.

### **Go Trees**

We decided that we would continue with our donations to Rotary Health rather than take part in this project.

### **My Rotary**

President Gordon will be looking at one of our newer members to take on this role of collecting the information from members on what hours they have put in as volunteers.

### **Honorary Membership**

The following have been offered and accepted honorary membership for this Rotary Year:

Lionel Maddams

Rob Unwin

James Sleeman

Charles Zammit

## FREE TRAINING

Jeremy Carter - President of Norwest Sunrise Rotary Club has offered his company's training course for Board Members - *for free to Rotarians and \$50 for Non Rotarians.*

### **Saturday 9 September 2017 - 8.00am-11.30am**

8.00am Coffee & Registration

8.30am - 11.30am Training incl. Morning Tea

Register [HERE](#) by **Tuesday 5 September 2017** for catering and room organisation purposes.

### **Advisory Boards – Unlocking success in your organisation**

Having a great board of advisors is a powerful asset for your Rotary Club (or any organisation for that matter) to get objective advice, identify unexplored opportunities, open new doors and increase profitability and sustainability.

This workshop covers what you need to know in order to establish an effective Advisory Board from inception to succession. Unlike corporate boards, advisory boards do not have fiduciary responsibility and their advice is non-binding.

#### **Topics include:**

- The importance of governance in organisations
- How to setup an effective advisory board
- Choosing the right people for the board
- Setting objectives, expectations and compensation
- Planning for Meetings
- Running effective board meetings
- Best practice communication strategies

**We'd appreciate registration by Tuesday 5 September, so that necessary catering and room organisation arrangements can be made.**

Kind Regards,

Jade

#### **Jade Catherall**

*Rotary Club of Ryde*

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**Wyong District Museum and Historical Society**

**Celebrating History Week 2017**

**presents**

## **Wyong at the Races**



**Highlighting Wyong's colourful winning streaks.**



**Be at the Starting Gate for a fascinating exhibition of racing memorabilia**

**to be held at Alison Homestead, 1 Cape Road, Wyong**

**2 September to 15 November 2017**



Wyong Racecourse c1929

### **Winning Streaks Open Day Special Event**

**As part of the exhibition our Winning Streaks Open Day will be held on Saturday, 2nd September 11am – 2pm. The day will include a light lunch and refreshments with special guest speaker and local historian, Phillip Morley, sharing stories of Wyong's keen racing history as well as the chance to be first past the post to view The Exhibition. Tickets for the day are \$10pp. Bookings are essential.**

**To book for the Open Day or for more information, please call or email us.**

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## SPIN & WIN ROSTER

**Please note: Spin & Wins times are now 10.30am to 1pm**

September 9  
Saturday  
Stephen Hammond-  
Parker  
Robin Hearder  
David Waterhouse  
Con Bartsos  
Torben Nielsen

September 16  
Saturday  
George Clifford  
Gordon Crawford  
Stan Crellin  
Clive Denmark  
Torben Nielsen

**Please let me know if you change with someone**

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1st August**

### *Definitions:*

*Nation*     *A society united by a delusion about its ancestry and by a common hatred of its neighbours*     *Andrew Bierce*

*Memories*     *Like mulligatawny soup in a cheap restaurant. It is best not to stir them.*     *P.G. Wodehouse*

A little old lady who lived on the third floor of a block of units broke her leg. As the doctor put a cast on it, he warned her not to climb any stairs. Several months later, the doctor took off the cast.

"Can I climb stairs now?" asked the little old lady.

"Yes," he replied.

"Thank goodness!" she said. "I'm sick and tired of shinnying up and down that old drainpipe!"

An elderly gentleman had dinner at a very nice restaurant. After he finished his wine, he went to the men's room, then walked out through the bar. It was a beautiful night so he decided to leave his car in the car park and walk home. When he arrived at his front door, he realised he did not have his keys. He finally figured out they were in his jacket pocket, which was still hanging in the restroom.

He walked back to the restaurant, found his jacket in the restroom and realised he had left his hat on the table. He strolled back to the dining room to retrieve his hat, and when he got back to his table, his wife asked, "Is anything wrong, you took such a long time in there?"



**Inner Wheel Clubs  
on the  
Central Coast  
Red & White  
Trivia Night**



**in support of Cord Blood Research**  
for treatment of conditions such as juvenile diabetes,  
cerebral palsy, cystic fibrosis & leukaemia

**Help give a child a second chance at life**

**Friday 8 September, 2017**

Function opens 6pm for a 6.30pm start  
Bistro opens 5.30pm

**Diggers @ The Entrance**  
315 The Entrance Road, The Entrance

**Wear a touch of red & white**

*Fun games - Raffle - Lucky Door Prize - Best Dressed Table*  
*Gold Coin Donation required for games*



**Tickets \$20 per person (10 players per table)**  
nibbles provided

**Businesses - Sponsor a trivia round for \$250**  
**- Bookings essential -**



Attendees RSVP Friday 1 September

1..... 2..... 3.....

4..... 5..... 6.....

7..... 8..... 9.....

10..... Total attending @ \$20 pp..... Amount remitted \$.....

Paid by cash/EFT/cheque (please circle)

Email receipt to: Name..... Email address.....

**Payment options:** EFT - No A52 Inner Wheel District, BSB 082 574, a/c 130178640. Please include surname as reference.

**Cheque** - please make payable to A52 Inner Wheel District Committee Inc. and post to:  
Pat Matthews, 2/40 Wattle St, East Gosford. 2250. ph. 0417 480549, email r\_pmatthews@bigpond.com

## Rotary Information Trivia

*How much were annual dues at the first Rotary Club? There were no dues at the first Rotary Club. The group voted there would be no dues and all club expenses would be paid from 50-cent fines. Sounds like an excellent idea, Treasurer Stan*

*For how long was Rotary primarily a friendship and business reciprocity organization?  
Only about two years; then the club added a third objective to perform civic service.*

*At the first Rotary Convention in 1910, keynote speaker Daniel Cady of the Rotary Club of New York told the audience that Rotary, then with 16 clubs, would have 1,000 clubs around the world within 80 years. Sorry Daniel, you got it very wrong. The 1,000th Rotary Club was added in 1921, only 11 years later.*

*In 1911 Paul Harris gave Chesley Perry a budget of \$25.44 to complete a daunting task. What was the task? To print and mail a new publication, The National Rotarian, to all 2,000 Rotarians in the 23 clubs nationwide.*

*What is the greatest distance from Chicago that a Rotary Club banner has been displayed? Astronaut Frank Borman, of the Rotary Club of Space Center Houston, took a club banner on his orbit around the moon in Apollo 8.*

*Rotary International's official motto is "Service Above Self". But what is Rotary's secondary motto, adopted in 2004? "They Profit Most Who Serve Best"*

### THE 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?

## We thank our Sponsors

