

Quo Vadimus

Where are we going?

The Bulletin of the Rotary of Macarthur Sunrise, District 9675
Wednesday 9th September 2020
Solis Ortus (Sunrise) Campbelltown 6:04am



Rotary Opens Opportunities

From the President

Good Morning "Funrisers"

This week is club forum and we will also have input from Denise in regards to the Womens Shelter Project. Your Board and Committees have been looking at what opportunities are available for us to assist within our community and a number of proposals are looking very promising – more about these down the track. It is pleasing that we are considering needs for our fundraising and, of course, we will continue to support our Youth Projects as the time allows.

My sincere thanks to Di Blyth for a very successful Daffodil Day, enjoyed by all who attended and, even more importantly, raised \$500.00 for Cancer Research. Thank you to all who supported and to all who made donations.

Again, my thanks to all who were able to assist with the wood splitting at Malcolm and Carol's home, it just goes to show what a wonderful group of friends we have in Rotary. Our thoughts are with Malcolm, who is still in recovery, we hope that he will soon be back enjoying home life and getting back to Rotary when feeling well enough.

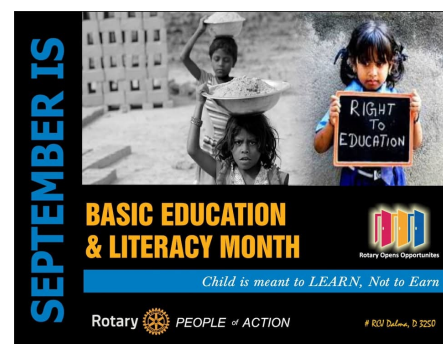
Our evening meetings have been well attended and we thank Camden Golf Club for their support. This month we will be going to Menangle Country Club (same rules as the Golf Club) and October will see us at TAFE.

In past years we have had a regular meeting at TAFE, this allows the students to practise the skills they have learnt in their Hospitality Course. It will be a set menu and you are requested to ensure you make your booking through the 'Green' Book!

Please remember, we must continue to be cognizant of the COVID requirements at any of the venues we attend, keep correct distances, enjoy the camaraderie and have fun.

Don't forget, see where **YOU** can **Open Opportunities**. Keep well, stay safe.

President Barbara



SEPTEMBER Is Basic Education and Literacy Month

Literacy is at the heart of basic education for all, and essential for eradicating poverty, reducing child mortality, curbing population growth, achieving gender equality and ensuring sustainable development, peace and democracy. Literacy is a significant and specific goal for Rotary. It is so important that it is one of the 7 areas of focus for The Rotary Foundations Future Vision – basic education and literacy. Such importance has been placed on literacy that Rotary International has created a "Rotary Literacy Month" that takes place during the month of September.

Everyone has the right to learn to read, write and enjoy the power, pleasures and independence of being literate. For some the journey will be easy, for others it will take much hard work and unfortunately for approximately 18 percent of today's world population it will never happen.





Rotary 2020 Virtual Conference
Zone 8



DAY.1 Saturday 19 Sept. 11.30am-1.00pm



11.30am-11.45am
HOLGER KNAACK
Rotary International President 2020-2021
Welcome address



11.45am-12noon
IAN RISELEY
Past RI President and TRF Trustee
The Rotary Foundation – the charity of choice for Rotarians



12.00noon-12.15pm
STUART HEAL
Past RI Director
Winds of Change



12.15pm-12.45pm
ROTARY SHOWCASE
New Zealand
New Zealand Coordinators



12.45pm-1.00pm
SARAH BROWN
CEO, The Purple House
Continuing story of the Purple House

DAY.2 Sunday 20 Sept. 11.30am-1.00pm



11.30am-11.45am
JENNIFER JONES
Past RI Vice President and TRF Trustee
A Modern Rotary



11.45am-12noon
BARRY RASSIN
Past RI President and TRF Trustee
The Rotary Foundation, doing good in the world



12.00noon-12.30pm
ROTARY SHOWCASE
Australia
Australian Coordinators



12.30pm-12.45pm
MIKE MCGOVERN
New Zealand
Chair End Polio Now, Past RI Vice President and Past TRF Trustee



12.45pm-1.00pm
DR JESSIE HARMAN
RI Director Elect
Member of the Rotary Club of Wendouree
Breakfast in Ballarat, a past Governor of District 9780 and immediate past Chair of the Rotary International Membership Committee

WE ARE ALL WELCOME

ALL AGES
SIZES
RACES
ABILITIES
RELIGIONS
ETHNICITIES
NATIONALITIES
SEXUAL ORIENTATION
IMMIGRATION STATUSES
SOCIO ECONOMIC BACKGROUNDS
GENDER EXPRESSIONS & IDENTITIES

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SOCIAL NIGHT

When: Wednesday 28 October 2020
Dinner 6:00 pm for 6:30 pm

Where: The Restaurant Macarthur
Campbelltown TAFE

Cost \$37.00 pp – 3 Course Dinner Menu, includes 1 complimentary beverage – beer, wine or soft drink

RSVP: Di Blyth

NEWS

It has been officially announced that Africa is wild polio free. For more information:
<https://www.rotary.org/en/rotary-congratulates-african-region-becoming-wild-poliovirus-free>



SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Wayne Dreves	Birthday	8 th
Bec Purcell	Re-joined 2015	9 th
Greg Warren	Joined 2015	9 th
Wendy Underwood	Birthday	10 th
Cathie Richardson	Birthday	17 th
Barbara Edwards	Joined 1996	18 th
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2020/2021 BOARD

President: Barbara Edwards
Secretary: Cathie Richardson
Treasurer: Di Blyth
IPP: Liz Stonestreet
President Elect: Sharon Cook
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Director: Peter Whitford

DG: Warwick Richardson
AG: John Pillay
International Pres: Holger Knaack

CALENDAR 2020

We are back to meeting at Sugar Mint Café in person, but if need be you can still Zoom into our meetings. Just give us a call for the details.

SEPTEMBER

Wed 9th	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café Club Forum & Speaker. Denise Pritchard talking about the Blue Wren House
Wed 16th	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café DG Warwick visit via Zoom
Wed 23rd	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café
Wed 30th	Social Night Meeting at Menangle Country Club

OCTOBER

Wed 7th	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café Board Meeting 8am
Sat 10th	Australian Rotary Health 'Lift the Lid' Day
Sun 11th	City to Surf
Wed 14th	Our Lift the Lid on Mental Health awareness day
Sat 24th & Sun 25th	Set up and dismantle Dressage Arena's at Sugarloaf
Wed 28th	Night Social Meeting at 'The Restaurant Macarthur' Campbelltown TAFE
Sat 31st	Last day of the 'very early bird' price (\$195) for the 2021 District 9675 Conference.

MARCH 2021

Fri 5th & Sat 6th	Dress for Success at Wests
Fri 19th to Sun 21st	District 9675 Conference Sydney Masonic Centre

Information to be included in the newsletter must be received by 5pm on the 2nd & 4th Monday of the month before the meeting. Please send to sharonc3012@icloud.com

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DAFFODIL DAY







LENDING A HELPING HAND



AUGUST SOCIAL NIGHT



DISTRICT 9675 CONFERENCE 2021

Friday 19 March to Sunday 21 March 2021

Sydney Masonic Centre

66 Goulburn St, Sydney, NSW 2000



Call: (02) 9284 2888

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DG Warwick invites you to join him in the centre of Sydney to experience wonderful speakers, to enjoy the fellowship that is Rotary and to open opportunities for your club, your community and the wider world.



Very early bird rate: \$195 – Register and pay before 31 October 2020

Early Bird rate: \$235 – Register and pay before 15 January 2021

Full registration: \$275 – Register and pay after 16 January 2021

Day/event rates are available at <https://rotarydistrict9675.org/>