

# Quo Vadimus

## *Where are we going?*

The Bulletin of the Rotary of Macarthur Sunrise, District 9675  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Solis Ortus (Sunrise) Campbelltown 5:42am



Rotary Opens Opportunities

### ***From the President***

Good Morning "Funrisers"

Two weeks since our last Newsletter and, once again, I need to reflect on what has been an extremely busy time. We were most privileged to have, ever interesting, Jeff McGill speak at our meeting on 4 November, where he told us of his journey to trace his past and some of the wonderful information he has uncovered. Jeff is currently writing this memoir and it will be published in the very near future, from what he told us, it will be a wonderful account of his forebears, one worth reading.

We followed Jeff's talk with our monthly Board Meeting and, as advised at last week's forum, the board considered a number of proposals and we will be helping West Kempsey Rotary with their fundraiser. Again, this year, our club will be providing puddings for the Combined Churches Christmas lunch (something we have been doing for as long as I have been a member). We have secured a safe storage facility to house our BBQ equipment, historic documents, regalia etc., this means that everything will be in one location and there will be no need to visit several members homes when particular items are required.

We are still working on the proposed Rotary Centenary Grove and the Blue Wren House Joint Venture, with other Macarthur Clubs, further information will be forthcoming. There is also an opportunity for us to be involved with the other clubs on Australia Day and this project is currently in discussion.

Before proceeding with last week's club forum, we commenced with a very short, but reverent, Remembrance Day Service, a time for remembrance and reflection.

The club has been successful in securing a District Grant to allow us to continue with our Dolly Parton Imagination Library programme and Camden Council have allowed us to carry over their donation for our Christmas Discobility to when we can conduct the next function.

Our Christmas function "Barefoot Bowls", next Wednesday evening, is being well supported and, remember, you are asked to bring a gift. We have been in contact with WILMA and they have requested hamper items as many of their traditional supporters are not able to assist this year.

Our final meeting for the year will be breakfast on Wednesday 16 December and will be held at the Campbelltown Art Centre Café where we can have all members and friends in attendance. It will be a set breakfast and cost \$25.00, please let Cathie know if you will be attending and make payment direct to the Treasurer. Always a lovely morning with great company. We will resume at Sugar Mint on Wednesday 13 January 2021.

On a very sad note, our thoughts and prayers are with Wendy and her family following the passing of Wendy's father in England.



Our AGM is being held on 2 December, please take the opportunity to nominate for a position on our Board.

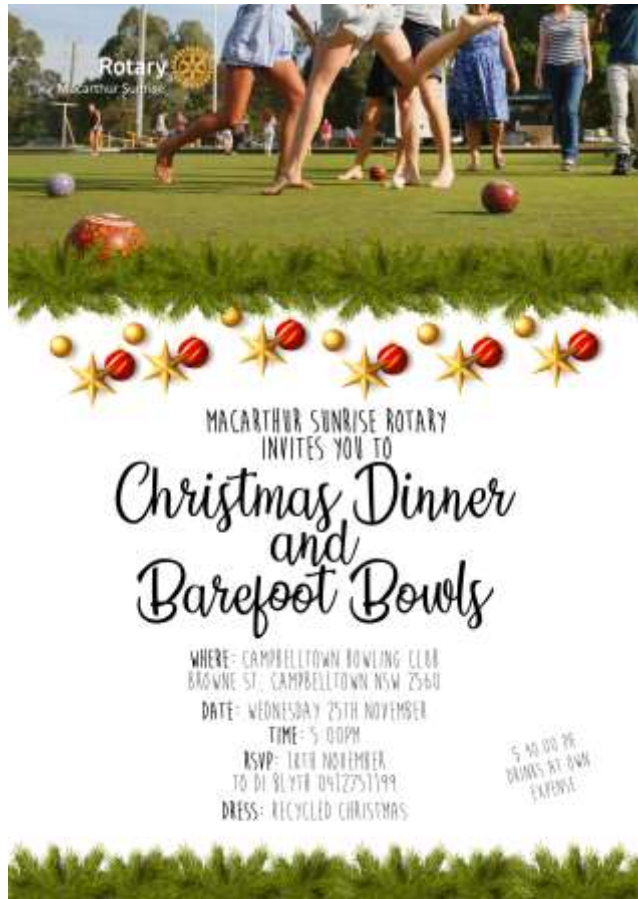
Our guest speaker this week is Samantha Meisner-Lemon, from the Shepherd Centre. We will complete our announcements, fines and raffle before Sam Zooms in at 7.30am

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

***President Barbara***



## SOCIAL NIGHT



## THE BIG RAFFLE

Last week we had another winner of our raffle, this time Cathie was our lucky joker winner.



## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Greg Warren	Birthday	6 <sup>th</sup>
Terry & Judy Bradbury	Wedding Anniversary	17 <sup>th</sup>

## 2020/2021 BOARD

President:	Barbara Edwards
Secretary:	Cathie Richardson
Treasurer:	Di Blyth
IPP:	Liz Stonestreet
President Elect:	Sharon Cook
Director:	Malcolm Nearn
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.

### NOVEMBER

Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café Speaker Samantha Meisner-Lemon The Shepherd Centre
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>	Social Night Meeting Christmas at Campbelltown Bowling Club
Sat 28 <sup>th</sup>	Bunnings BBQ at Campbelltown

### DECEMBER

Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup>	AGM
Sat 5 <sup>th</sup> & Sun 6 <sup>th</sup>	Set up and dismantle Dressage Arena's at Sugarloaf
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup>	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	Last Meeting for 2020

### 2021

### JANUARY 2021

Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	First Meeting for 2021
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### MARCH 2021

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

Rotary online meeting list  
<https://bit.ly/OnlineRotaryMeetingsDatabase>

Please check the Green Book for more details, tick to say if you are coming or not and if you are bringing anyone with you.

*Actually,  
I CAN.*

Information to be included in the newsletter must be received by 5pm on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month before the meeting. Please send to [sharonc3012@icloud.com](mailto:sharonc3012@icloud.com)

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## DISTRICT 9675 CONFERENCE 2021

Friday 19 March to Sunday 21 March 2021  
Sydney Masonic Centre  
66 Goulburn St, Sydney, NSW 2000



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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

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