



Quo Vadimus

Where are we going?



**The Bulletin of the Rotary Club of Macarthur Sunrise Inc.,
Macarthur Group, District 9675
Wednesday, 20th June 2018
Solis Ortus (Sunrise) - Campbelltown 7:01 am**

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Sunrise, Sunset!

I must begin by apologising to the Biggest Morning Tea Team for not acknowledging the amazing effort you all put in to make the event a success. The \$5000 has been forwarded to the Cancer Council to support the continuation of essential research and education work.

Thanks also go to the Members who were able to assist with the Dressage Arena set up/pull down on the weekend. With many hands the work is not hard, good exercise and an opportunity for us to be visible in the community. The next opportunity to assist the Club earn much needed funds will be on August 25th and 26th. See the **Green Book** for details.

With our Changeover event and the end of the Rotary year just a week away its time to tidy up some loose ends and report to Rotary International on the Clubs achievements; we must also provide membership numbers for the new financial year. It is essential that ALL members indicate their membership intentions on the attached form and return it to me by Wed 27th June.

If I miss you at the Café for breakfast, I hope I will see you at Wollondilly North for dinner!

To quote my Dad.... 'If I don't see you through the week I'll see you through the window'.

Denise



MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Just a friendly reminder for members to confirm their upcoming Club Membership for the Rotary Year 2018-2019 as soon as possible.

The annual fee is expected to be approximately \$300 this coming year.

We have to pay \$150 per member as at 1st July, 2018 to Rotary International, and so we need confirmation from each Member by the 27th June, 2018 on their intention to remain a member.

Please let me, as the new Treasurer, know of your intention to renew by sending me an email at:

susiep22@gmail.com

before the above deadline.

Thank you for your assistance in this regard.

Sue Power
Asst Treasurer 2017-2018
Treasurer 2018-2019

POLIOMYELITIS

What do you know about poliomyelitis, usually referred to as polio? Here are some facts:

Poliomyelitis (polio) is a highly infectious viral disease, which mainly affects young children. The virus is transmitted by person-to-person spread mainly through the faecal-oral route or, less frequently, by a common vehicle (e.g. contaminated water or food) and multiplies in the intestine, from where it can invade the nervous system and can cause paralysis.

Initial symptoms of polio include fever, fatigue, headache, vomiting, stiffness in the neck, and pain in the limbs. In a small proportion of cases, the disease causes paralysis, which is often permanent. There is no cure for polio, it can only be prevented by immunization.

We, that is the *World Health Organisation, Rotary International, U.S Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, unicef* and the *Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation* are the main workers.

To date this has meant that 20 million volunteers have vaccinated over 2.5 billion children in over 200 countries.

Up to the 12th June (last week) wild polio virus (WPV) figures for this year were: Afghanistan 8, Pakistan 3, Nigeria 0, Congo 0, Syria 0.



This is how hard you have to work at the Sugarloaf Cobbitty Equestrian Club fund raising event. So come along and relax at the next event 25th and 26th August.

(See the **GREEN BOOK**)

Mon 25 Jun	Campbelltown Rotary Change Over
Tue 26 Jun	Ingleburn Rotary Change Over
Wed 27 Jun	Macarthur Sunrise (us) Rotary Change Over
Wed 8 Aug	Police Officer of the Year Awards
Sat 25 Aug Sun 26 Aug	Sugarloaf Cobbitty Equestrian Club – Fund raising work.
Sat 1 Sep	Discobility Harrington Park 4:30
Sat 6 Oct Sun 7 Oct	Sugarloaf Cobbitty Equestrian Club – Fund Raising Work.
Sat 10 Nov	Discobility Harrington Park 4:30
Sat 1 Dec Sun 2 Dec	Sugarloaf Cobbitty Equestrian Club – Fund Raising Work.

NEXT WEEK

You will remember that next week, the 27th of June, is our Change Over.

It will be at the Macarthur Grange on Raby Road, Kearns and so long as you arrive somewhere between 6:30 pm and 7:00 pm you will have no problems.

Cost, if you haven't already paid is \$45 a head (or should that be tummy?).

If you still want to book (and whilst a bit late – still welcome) let Denise know by phone 0421 215 279 or by email:

denisepmail@yahoo.com.au

DG Stephen Britten and PDG Stephen Humphries will both be present.

Then, it's a new Rotary Year and you will soon settle in we are sure.

Look forward to seeing you there.

SOME CHANGES NEEDED

Our current membership is twenty-two. Of these two are Hon Members. We need more.

Regretfully, it was announced last week that Renica Adam will be leaving us due to work commitments.

Renica joined us on the 29th of June 2011 and that means she will leave us exactly seven years later.

Renica was a Director for the years 12 – 14 and then our President for the year 15-16 and gained the Centurion Award in 2016.

We hope she can be a Friend and that we will still see her from time – to - time.



Board 2017 -2018

Pres	Denise Pritchard
Pres 18-19	Bec Purcell
IPP	Di Wilson
Secretary	Denys Cato
Treasurer	Bec Purcell
Asst Treasurer	Sue Power
Membership Chair	Barb Edwards
Foundation Chair	Jan Drenth

To attempt to superimpose its views through the exercise of force, is seldom the part of intelligence; it is frequently the part of ignorance.

Paul Harris