

Quo Vadimus

Where are we going?

The Bulletin of the Rotary of Macarthur Sunrise, District 9675
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Solis Ortus (Sunrise) Campbelltown 6:39am

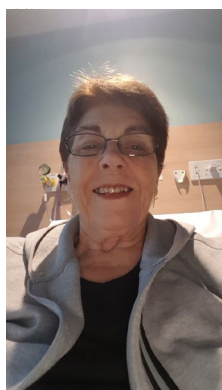


Rotary Opens Opportunities

From the President

Good Morning "Funrisers"

This message comes from my hospital bed and, as you can see by the photo, I



not doing it too badly. Seriously thank you for all the good wish messages, everything went well and I am up and running around the corridors. Hopefully, off to rehab on Tuesday – that's when the pain begins! I must admit that, when I look out

the window on this very wet and cold Sunday evening, I feel that I am in the best place and do not have to cook dinner!

News from Carole, Malcolm is doing well, slowly, but well, he is totally bored and, hopefully, looking forward to getting home on Thursday.

In the next couple of days, each member will receive a copy of our proposed Constitution and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs). The Constitution has been amended in line with recommendations from RI and is the Model Constitution proposed for each club. The SOPs relate specifically to our club and how our club works. Although we have gone over both documents with a fine toothcomb, it may not have been fine enough! Please take the time to read them both and, in particular, any references in the SOPs to ensure that they do match up with

the main document, let me know if you find any variances. You will be required to vote on the adoption of both documents in the next month.

Many thanks to Di for organising our next evening event at Camden Golf Club, it appears to be the most likely and suitable venue until this pandemic allows us more opportunities, however, we will continue to investigate any other local businesses that we may be able to support.

It was disappointing to have our BBQ cancelled, however, judging by the long line outside the hospital testing unit, it may have been a blessing in disguise! Bunnings have been kind enough to give us a \$500 gift voucher and will look at ways that we can use this to increase our funds.

Last week was club forum followed by discussions on fundraising, it was great to see so many put their hand up to work on a fundraising committee. I'm sure we will get many great ideas and be up and running in the near future.

I see that Di is holding one of her wonderful soirees for Daffodil Day, always a great day so please support as well as you can – family, friends, people in the street!!!, all welcome.

We are still working on our Zoom problem's, however, I will be zooming in on Wednesday morning and will get a taste from the other side of the event.



Don't forget, look where you can Open Opportunities. Keep well, stay safe.

President Barbara



AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP MONTH

Well not really, every month is membership month! But we need to have a conversation about membership!

Members of Rotary are the most important asset in clubs. A diverse range of members allows us to do a diverse range of activities, transfers a diverse range of skills and gives the opportunity for a diverse range of experiences. Members should not be just bums on seats. We need to have an active meaningful involvement within the Club, a purpose to fulfill and an expectation of satisfaction that what we are doing has meaning.

MEMBERSHIP MONTH CONT'

We should be actively seeking people who can help us achieve projects that our current skillset cannot. People who have projects or ideas that they cannot achieve alone. People who can contribute to our own wellbeing by their very positive approach and sense of community. Rotary should be challenging, fun, and also have purpose, significance, fulfillment, and satisfaction. Find the right people and who knows what we can achieve!

Membership Month, also means it's time to celebrate our Rotary club, our members, and the good we do in our community and around the world. **Well Done Sunrises!**

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



JENNIFER JONES



Member of the Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland, Ontario, Canada, has been nominated to become Rotary International's president for 2022-23

A selection that will make her the first woman to hold that office in the organization's 115-year history.




CONGRATULATIONS!

**ClubRunner
Annual Virtual
Conference
2020**

20 Aug 2020 - 21 Aug 2020

**SAVE
THE
DATE!**



ROTARY AUSTRALIA

The countdown to the 100-year anniversary of Rotary in Australia has started! On the 10 July 2020, a Zoom presentation from Government House, Canberra in the presence of Governor-General and Mrs Hurley celebrated the launch of the Rotary100 Baton Relay and the countdown has begun!

Rotary's Centenary, in 2021, is a time of celebration. It is a time to reflect on our past and what has been achieved through out that time. It is a special time for Rotary in Australia and New Zealand to celebrate the first 100 years of Service.

In 1921, four Rotary Clubs were created in Melbourne, Auckland, Wellington and Sydney. From there, Rotary and Rotaract clubs were created everywhere across Australia and New Zealand.

Think about if we all came together and create a common legacy. Think about the impact we can make! It's the time to discover what is the best way to mark the occasion! This is so important – we will not have another chance like this in our lifetime! All Australian and NZ Rotarians share the Centenary in 2021 - So let us celebrate with a memorable project.

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AUGUST BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Rob Michie	Re-joined 2007	1 st
Barbara Edwards	Joined 1996	14 th
Terry Bradbury	Joined 2008	20 th
Jan & Anne Drenth	Wedding Anniversary	22 nd
Dorris Whitford	Birthday	26 th

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: Warrick 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.

AUGUST

Wed 12th	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café
Wed 19th	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café
Thu 20th & Fri 21st	ClubRunner Virtual Conference
Fri 21st	Gregory Hills Next Gen Rotary Trivia Night
Sat 22nd & Sun 23rd	Dressage set up & dismantle at Sugarloaf
Wed 26th	Night Social Meeting Camden Golf Club
Fri 28th	Daffodil Day at Di's
Mon 31st	District Grants closing date

SEPTEMBER

Wed 2nd	Meeting at Sugar Mint Café & Board meeting after
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OCTOBER

Sat 10th	Australian Rotary Health 'Lift the Lid' Day
Sun 11th	City to Surf

MARCH 2021

Fri 5th & Sat 6th	Dress for Success at Wests
Fri 19th to Sun 21st	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.

”
 You are never too young to lead,
 and we are never too old to learn.

- Kofi Annan

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

FIND US



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SOCIAL NIGHT

The last Wednesday of the month is our social night and our first one, on the 29th July was also a farewell to Di & Peter Wilson who are moving down the South Coast and Kay and Darryl Sidman who are hoping to get in some more travelling and time away. Macarthur Sunrise wish them all the very best, but im sure this is not the last that we will see of them... Keep in touch!!





You're invited to

WHERE: 22 The Waters, Mt Annan 2567

WHEN: Friday 28 August 2020

TIME: 11.30 am – 3.30pm

COST: \$10.00

REFRESHMENTS AND LIGHT LUNCHEON

RAFFLE, LUCKY DOOR PRIZE

RSVP: DIANNE 0412751199

If you are unable to attend, BUT feel you would like to donate

Bank details: Macarthur Sunrise Rotary

BSB: 032718

Account 111048

Please clearly indicate Daffodil Day Donatio

DISTRICT 9675

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

Website: <https://www.smcfc.com.au/>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/smcfc.com.au/>

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/>

