



STRATHFIELD ROTARY BULLETIN

DISTRICT 9675
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Rotary, United Nations and Australian Themes

<i>Year of 2018</i>	-	International Year of the Reef (IYOR)
<i>Month of July</i>	Rotary	Start of New Rotary Year
<i>Weeks of July</i>		
-	-	-
<i>Days of July</i>		
18th July	United Nations	Nelson Mandela International Day



From the president's Desk

Another Rotary year commences, and I am following Rick, a prospect a little daunting. From years of membership of this Club, I know this Club is bigger than the President and I look forward to taking the Club through another successful year.

Our next Club event is 'Christmas In July', on 28 July, 2018, at Nonna Restaurant, the speaker on the night will be Glen Ella, the Rugby great.

Nonna Restaurant is Italian and is in the Fraser Motor Cycle Centre on the corner of Parramatta Road and Concord Road. I was there in late June, with Roger & Allan planning the night, but as I crossed Parramatta Road, heading back to my office, with the M4 extensions, I wondered if the corner address still even existed. To avoid confusion, the address is 153-165 Parramatta Rd. The evening is

developing well, with raffle prizes and sponsorship appearing. Allan is doing a wonderful job, bringing the event together.

Try to be there, it will be a fun evening. The Proceeds of the evening will be for Chalmers Road, further assisting them in the purchase of a replacement bus.

In September, we are again hosting Policeman of the year. Usha, and her team are discussing and planning the evening with the Police Commands at Ashfield and Auburn. Why Ashfield? Burwood Command, has now become Ashfield. It appears to be the same geographical artistry as when Flemington became Auburn. I will ask Usha to explain the change, not that it really matters. This evening is our top Vocational event, and we will work

together to give Usha and her Committee our full support.

prayers and thoughts are with Kate and her family.

On a sadder note, I learnt on Monday evening of the death of Kate Teal's mother after a long illness. Our

Charles



Last Week's event: Fellowship night



This Week's speaker: DG Sue Hayward

Next week we welcome DG Sue Hayward. Sue will, no doubt. Take us

through many of the District initiatives.



Dates for the Calendar



<i>Rotary Events</i>			
<i>Day/Date</i>	<i>Event/speaker</i>	<i>To introduce</i>	<i>To thank + Speaker write-up</i>
Wed 18th Jul 2018	DG visit Sue Hayward	Rick Vosila	Charles Pitt
Wed 25th Jul 2018	Club Assembly	-	-
Wed 1st Aug 2018	Child care & protection RTN Chris Haseldine	Domenico Alvaro	Paul Anton
Wed 8th Aug 2018	Eating disorders Stephanie Saade	Raymond McCluskie	Andrew Aravanis

<i>Birthdays</i>	
21st July	Janice Vince

<i>Anniversaries</i>	
20th July	Charles & Olga Pitt (wedding)



A note on meeting participation

Do you need to attend our weekly meetings?

Here are 20 features of our weekly meeting that need attention by someone (a Rotarian) each week:

1. You have a bulletin prepared for you.
2. You have reminders prepared and sent to your email address.
3. Apologies are taken so that you have a venue set up for you with waiters and a meal. Do you remember to apologise?
4. The Rotary paraphernalia is set out. Have you noticed our framed Club charter and the flags?
5. The sound system is checked, and the electronic technical details set up for the guest speaker.
6. A guest speaker is organised.
7. A roster is prepared for the introduction and thanking of the guest speaker. You would be expected for one of each once a Rotary year
8. Notes are taken of the Guest speaker for inclusion in the Bulletin and on the webpage; usually the 'thanker'
9. Directors report at the meeting.
10. Members of committees report at the meeting.
11. The President prepares and conducts the meeting and makes a written comment on the Club's progress.
12. You are notified of events and your support is sought for Rotary activities.
13. Notes are taken of what happens at the meeting and recorded in the Bulletin.
14. A diary of events is made available on the website and in the Bulletin.
15. The future meetings are listed in the Bulletin and on the website.
16. The Treasurer manages, inter alia, your dinner fees.
17. An attendance officer records attendance details. Have you helped lately?
18. Raffle prizes are donated by members and others and the raffle is organised.
19. Our Sergeant-at-Arms has a fine for you.
20. You share in Rotary fellowship

So, there you are; all that work and preparation is done for you. Come along and enjoy yourself

Here are some questions... a meeting participation health check:

- Are you a regular in your attendance?
- How well are you participating at our weekly meetings?
- Where are you helping?
- Are you letting other members know all about your committee?
- Do you volunteer to help the meeting function to its conclusion?

Are you part of the Strathfield Rotary Team?

Many thanks to Raymond McCluskie for this piece, Ed

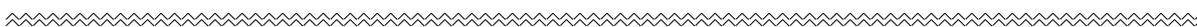




The Statistics

Attendance last meeting (11-07-18)	not avail
Leave of absence	not avail
Apologies	not avail
No apology	not avail
Club membership	46
Partners & Guests	not avail
Members Rotary activities	Week ending 18-07-18: 20 [hours]

<i>Funds raised</i>	
Raffle	\$ not avail
Sergeants session	\$ not avail



Your Committee 2018-2019

President	Charles Pitt	Secretary	Rod McDougall
President Elect	Arie Pappas	Sergeant	Grahame True
Immediate Past President	Rick Vosila	Treasurer	Rod McDougall
Youth	Peter van der Sleen	Community	Thaya Ponniah
International	Chris Virgona	Vocational	Usha Garg
Public Officer	Rod McDougall	Club Service	Paolo Giammarco

Bulletin Editor	Bradley Ayres	Web master	Raymond McCluskie
Bulletin Printer	Selectprint	Apologies	Gulian Vaccari
Facebook master	TBA		



Raffles Roster

In the Rotary spirit of sharing the load, 'raffles Rick' has devised a roster so all members can activity participate in our weekly raffles.

Here are the rules of the game:

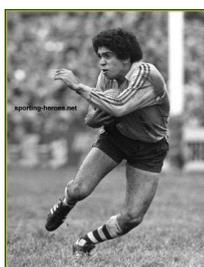
1. This is a test of your accountability and responsibility. If you are rostered on for a particular night, you are accountable and responsible for running the raffle on that night. Please don't let your club down.
2. On your night, you do the lot: arrange the prizes beforehand (three prizes is all we need; be creative with them); announce the raffle; sell the tickets; tally the money; manage the draw; and make it a huge success. I will assist if needed. We can also enlist the support of other members on the night for ticket selling, etc.
3. If you can't make it on the night, you must arrange to swap your shift with someone else on the roster (early!). Don't just let it slip by so we don't have a raffle on the night.
4. If on the night that you're rostered on we have a Transfer Meeting (or no meeting) and so no raffle is required, you get the night off; bonus!

Date	Rostered on	Date	Rostered on
Wed, 18 Jul 18	Rick Vosila	Wed, 9 Jan 19	NA
Wed, 25 July 18	Janelle Watson	Wed, 16 Jan 19	Mathew Elias
Wed, 1 Aug 18	Chris Virgona	Wed, 23 Jan 19	Ed Dunlop
Wed, 8 Aug 18	Roger Vince	Wed, 30 Jan 19	David Croft
Wed, 15 Aug 18	Peter van der Sleen	Wed, 6 Feb 19	Jaya Challa
Wed, 22 Aug 18	Gulian Vaccari	Wed, 13 Feb 19	Bill Carney
Wed, 29 Aug 18	Allan Teale	Wed, 20 Feb 19	Keith Byrn
Wed, 5 Sep 18	Peter Smith	Wed, 27 Feb 19	Bradley Ayres
Wed, 12 Sep 18	Prabhat Sinha	Wed, 6 Mar 19	Andrew Aravanis
Wed, 19 Sep 18	Guru Singh	Wed, 13 Mar 19	Paul Anton
Wed, 26 Sep 18	Joseph Saad	Wed, 20 Mar 19	Domenico Alvaro
Wed, 3 Oct 18	Arie Pappas	Wed, 27 Mar 19	Thaya Ponniah
Wed, 10 Oct 18	Dimitry Palmer	Wed, 3 Apr 19	Rick Vosila
Wed, 17 Oct 18	Nick Nicolaou	Wed, 10 Apr 19	Janelle Watson
Wed, 24 Oct 18	Farrukh Mirza	Wed, 17 Apr 19	Chris Virgona
Wed, 31 Oct 18	Rod McDougall	Wed, 24 Apr 19	Roger Vince
Wed, 7 Nov 18	Raymond McCluskie	Wed, 1 May 19	Peter van der Sleen
Wed, 14 Nov 18	Anu & Umesh Kamkolkar	Wed, 8 May 19	Gulian Vaccari
Wed, 21 Nov 18	Chris Haseldine	Wed, 15 May 19	Allan Teale
Wed, 28 Nov 18	Nick Hamilton-Kane	Wed, 22 May 19	Peter Smith
Wed, 5 Dec 18	Paolo Giammarco	Wed, 29 May 19	Prabhat Sinha
Wed, 12 Dec 18	Usha Garg	Wed, 5 Jun 19	Guru Singh
Wed, 19 Dec 18	Roy Ellis	Wed, 12 Jun 19	Joseph Saad
Wed, 26 Dec 18	NA	Wed, 19 Jun 19	Arie Pappas
Wed, 2 Jan 19	NA	Wed, 26 Jun 19	Dimitry Palmer

Out and About: upcoming event

Saturday 28th July 2018

**The Rotary Club of Strathfield invites
members and friends to
“Christmas* in July”,
6:30 pm (for 7:00pm) on Saturday 28th July 2018**



**With the great Rugby player Glen Ella
talking football and coaching
at**



**(Located at Fraser’s Motorcycles, 153-165 Parramatta Rd, Concord,
i.e. corner Parramatta Rd and Concord Rd-with parking on-site)**

Dress: Smart Casual

Tickets: \$55:00 a head

Hurry to RSVP by 25th July (Only Limited seating available).

Bookings: <https://events.humanitix.com.au/christmas-in-july>

Enquiries: Charles 043 805 3700

NOTE: This is not a transfer meeting

Proceeds of raffle and auction on the night to Chalmers Rd School.

*** No Santa or carols. Sumptuous 3-course Italian meal and general merriment.
Wine will be provided, beer and spirits can be purchased.**