



Rotary Club of Strathfield



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Rotary, United Nations and Australian Themes

<i>Month of July</i>		
-	Rotary	Start of New Rotary Year
<i>Weeks of July</i>		
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<i>Days of July</i>		
27th July	Aust	Schools Tree Day
28th July	UN	World Hepatitis Day
29th July	Aust	National Tree Day
30th July	UN	International Day of Friendship
30th July	UN	World Day against Trafficking in Persons

From the Acting President

It was a happy atmosphere at Rotary last week. We even managed quite well without the Sergeant!

The 'Coin Toss' / 'Heads & Tails' was reinstated by popular demand. Thank you to PP Keith Byrn for running this session. Congratulations Roy Ellis for winning the bottle of wine.

On behalf of Usha Garg, the Community Services Director, I mentioned that there is a Matching Grants program in the very early stages of development. It will be based in Australia and focused on mother and child health. The location of the project is a small Indigenous community on the edge of the Tanami Desert, north-west of Alice Springs. The project is in conjunction with PP

Allan Teale and specifically his daughter Molly Teale who is a teacher at the school at Yuendumu. A Child and Family Centre exists and is heavily used and the idea is to provide additional facilities for both the Centre and the primary school. Discussions and support have already been received from President Arie and at District level as well. More on this from Usha and Allan in due course.

The Police Officer Awards event is to be held Wednesday 18th September. Paul Anton gave an overview of progress thus far with several donations and sponsorships already confirmed. Well done. All of us are encouraged to register for the event

soon and not leave it until the last moment!

Thank you to Bradley Ayres for his ongoing work organising the weekly Bulletin. A time consuming task very professionally done. Likewise, an extremely time consuming role is undertaken by PP Raymond McCluskie and that is management of the Club's Webpage. This website contains lots of useful Club and District information. Of particular interest is the "Brief history of the Strathfield Rotary Club" that has been written by PP Roger Vince. A members' section has also recently been added to the Club webpage. When you scroll down the page, this is the first entry. Thanks to Paul Anton for suggesting this and to Raymond for organising same.

The guest speaker, Adam Scougall, provided an insight into the world of interior design with many before and after photos. Several Rotarians spoke to Adam after the meeting and

gathered his business card so perhaps there may be some colour and design changes to various homes shortly...

Farrukh Mirza has done a great job organising the guest speakers but some assistance would be useful, so if we know of anyone who would be appropriate and available to be a speaker please let Farrukh know.

The Raffle raised \$210 – well done everybody.

Thank you once again for the opportunity to lead the meeting and for everyone's support.

This week Arie Pappas will be back from his holiday to chair his first meeting as President.

Janelle

Last week's event: Adam Scougall

No summary received.



Janelle with Adam

This week's speaker: Adam Monaghan



Next week's event: Club Assembly



Reports from Directors

From Wednesday 17-07-19

Paul Anton

Advised that planning for the Police Officer of the Year (POOTY) Awards, to be held 18th September 2019, is progressing. Letters of invitation

have been sent out to local dignitaries. Two of our members have taken up sponsorship opportunities. However, we are looking for more.



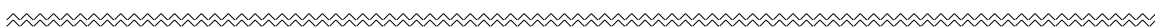
Reports from members

From Wednesday 17-07-19

Raymond McCluskie

Advised that he has set up a private area on our website for exclusive access by Strathfield Rotarians. For

username and password, members are to talk to Raymond. Suggestions for content in this secure area welcome



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 24th July 2019	Creativity in Business to Stand Out Adam Monaghan	Chris Virgona	Paolo Giammarco
Wed 31st July 2019	Club Assembly	-	-

Wed 7th Aug 2019	Sales Results in 90 days Rashid Kotwal	tba	Chris Haseldine
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<i>Birthdays</i>	
28th July	Anuradha Kamkolkar

<i>Anniversaries</i>	
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The Statistics

Attendance last meeting (17-07-19)	20
Leave of absence	3
Other absence	4
Apologies	2
Late apology	3
No apology	13
Club membership	45
Make-ups advised	0
Partners	0
Guests	1

<i>Funds raised</i>	
Raffle	\$210.00
Heads and tails	\$28.00
Sergeants session	n/a



Your Committee 2019-2020

President	Arie Pappas	Secretary	Dimity Palmer
President Elect	tba	Sergeant	Andrew Aravanis
Immediate Past President	Charles Pitt	Treasurer	Rod McDougall
Youth	Peter Smith	Community	Usha Garg
International	Thaya Ponniah	Vocational	Paul Anton
Public Officer	Rod McDougall	Club Service	Rick Vosila

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

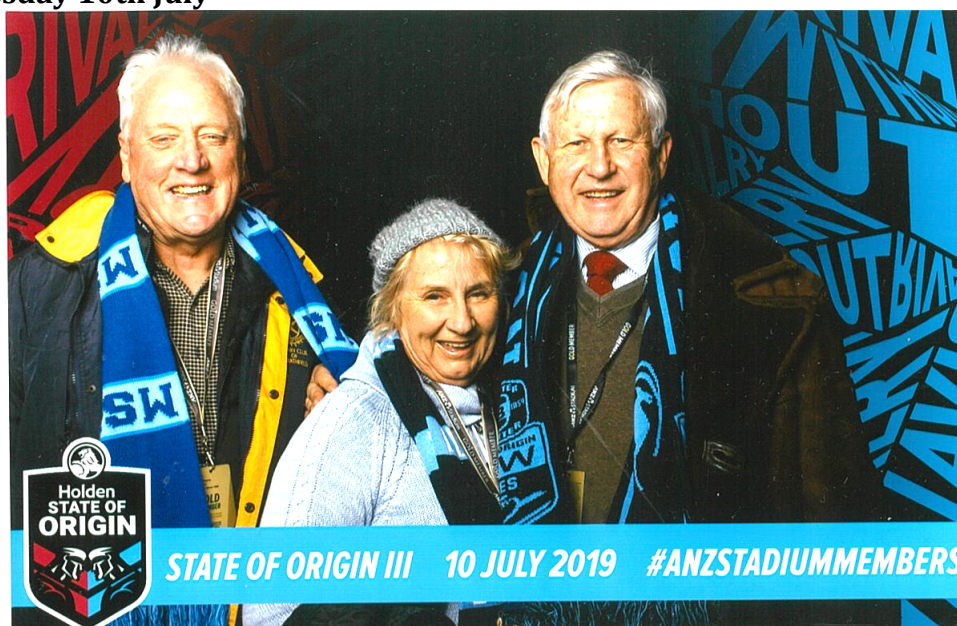


Guest Speaker Roster

Date	Introducer	Thanker/Write-up
Wed, 24 Jul 19	Chris Virgona	Paolo Giammarco
Wed, 31 Jul 19	Club Assembly	
Wed, 7 Aug 19	tba	Chris Haseldine
Wed, 14 Aug 19	John-Paul Baladi	Nick Nicolaou
Wed, 21 Aug 19	Peter Smith	tba
Wed, 28 Aug 19	Rick Vosila	Roy Ellis
Wed, 4 Sep 19	Bradley Ayres	Allan Teale
Wed, 11 Sep 19	Marvin Manrique-Velasquez	Guru Singh
Wed, 18 Sep 19	Charles Pitt	Mathew Elias
Wed, 25 Sep 19	Thaya Ponniah	Keith Byrn
Wed, 2 Oct 19	Peter Manenti	Bradley Ayres
Wed, 9 Oct 19	Nick Nicolaou	Raymond McCluskie
Wed, 16 Oct 19	William Carney	Ed Dunlop
Wed, 23 Oct 19	Janelle Watson	Roger Vince
Wed, 30 Oct 19	Allan Teale	Domenico Alvaro
Wed, 6 Nov 19	Rod McDougall	David Croft
Wed, 13 Nov 19	David Croft	Marvin Manrique-Velasquez
Wed, 20 Nov 19	Joseph Saad	Grahame True
Wed, 27 Nov 19	Peter van der Sleen	Nick Hamilton-Kane
Wed, 4 Dec 19	Annual General Meeting	
Wed, 11 Dec 19	Jaya Challa	Rick Vosila

Out and About: PP 'meeting' at State of Origin

Wednesday 10th July



PP Kevin, PP Suzanne and PP Charles enjoying the State of Origin

Out and About:

Paolo Giammarco made FIE, Aust

Friday 19th July

Paolo, together with twenty other leaders of industry and the profession, became a Fellow of the Institution of Engineers, Australia (Engineers Australia).

The function was a luncheon, held at Parliament house for Fellows and their guests.

Engineers Australia is Australia's principal engineering association representing around 100,000 professionals, across all fields of practice.

A very proud Pat Giammarco was there, along with their daughters Catherine and Valerie, Rotarian Peter van der Sleen and Strathfield Council GM, Henry Wong.

Report by attendee PDG David Croft



Paolo Giammarco (FIE, Aust) flanked by his daughters Catherine and Valerie



Paolo with other professional engineers made Fellows of the Institution of Engineers, Australia

Upcoming events: POOTY

Wednesday 18th September

17th Year Rotary Club of Strathfield
POLICE OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2019
Saluting Our Local Police

Wednesday 18 September 2019

Strathfield Event Centre
at
Strathfield Golf Club*
52 Weeroona Road, Strathfield
*2019 Clubhouse of the Year

Registrations:
events.humanitix.com.au/police2019

Upcoming events: Benefit Concert

Saturday 17th November



Sydney Cancer Survivorship Centre

Benefit Concert with Strathfield Symphony Orchestra

**7:30pm on Saturday 28 September 2019
at Strathfield Town Hall**

Sadahara Muramatsu conducts

**Beethoven's Symphony No. 7
Elena Kats-Chernin's Redmyre Suite**

Ticket prices (includes supper):

Adult: \$50
Concession: \$30
Family: \$130
* Family = 2 adults and 2 under 18's
* All prices are inclusive of GST

For bookings please visit:

www.slhd.nsw.gov.au/events/CRGH-SSC

Or for further information please contact
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