



### ROTARY CLUB OF WAGGA WAGGA SUNRISE Inc Chartered 1991 PO Box 5430 Wagga Wagga 2650 NSW



# **MONTHLY THEME- FELLOWSHIPS MONTH**

Meeting Venue:Mantra Pavilion, Kincaid Street, Wagga WaggaMeeting Time:Breakfast commences 7.00am followed by meeting completed by 8.30am

# Meeting 49 – 19 June, 2018

## FOR YOUR CALENDAR: 2018



•	Mon 25 Jun	RSVP	LAST DAY to reply for SUNRISE CHANGEOVER
•	Tu 26 Jun	Meeting	Pilates
•	23-27 Jun	RI	Convention - Toronto Canada
•	Sa 30 Jun	District	District 9700 & Coolamon RC Changeover Dinner - Ganmain
•	Tu 03 Jul	Club	27th Annual Changeover - Sunrise RSVP 22 June
•	Tu 10 Jul	Meeting	Club Matters
•	We 11 Jul	Club	Monthly board meeting
•	Su 15 Jul	Service	Wagga Annual Swap Meet
•	Su 09 Sep	Service	Gathering of the Faithful - MG Car Club Breakfast
•	14-16 Sep	Zone	Zone 8 Australian & New Zealand Conference
•	Mo 29 Oct	Service	Camp Quality Breakfast
•	Sa 03 Nov	Service	Riverina Truck Show and Kids' Convoy
•	Su 04 Nov	Service	Wagga Garden Festival

## **ROSTERS:**

Date	Tues 26 Jun	Tues 03 Jul	
Venue	Mantra Pavilion	Country Club	
PROGRAM	PILATES	CHANGEOVER	
Speaker		6:00pm	
Attendance 1	Bruce Spinks	Darren Verus	
Attendance	Bush & Campbell	Sandra Rootes	
Reporter	Marilyn Walter	Tome / Walter	
Photos	David Gilbey	Martin / Brady	
About Rotary	Fred Loneragn		
Fines Session	Peter Brown	N/R	
Intro. Speaker	Marilyn Walter	N/R	
Thank Speaker	Jo Wilson	N/R	

# TODAY'S PROGRAM: INDUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS - ANNE EGAN & KIM BAKER

President **Deidre Tome** welcomed two new members, **Anne Egan** and **Kim Baker** to the club when she inducted them as a matter of priority. Nominated by **Jenny Groch, Anne** is a school counsellor and **Kim** a teacher of primary school aged students and a colleague of **Deidre Tome**.

**Anne** has been assigned the classification of Education Psychology while **Kim** has been assigned Primary Education.



Above: Deidre Tome and Kim Baker with Anne Egan and Jenny Groch

**Colin Wiese** currently of Lockhart Rotary will complete the Rotary year with Lockhart before transferring to Sunrise in the new Rotary year.

#### **CHEQUE PRESENTATIONS:**

As part of our annual allocation of funds, cheques were presented to **Ashmont Breakkie Club** and **Football4all.** 

Ashmont Breakkie Club's representative, **Judy Heard** (*below left*) was delighted to accept our contribution to fund the breakfast program operating at Ashmont Public School on Tuesdays and Thursdays. This club is often confused with another group which provides breakfast on the other days of the week.





Judy explained that the breakkie club survives on donations from local people and businesses such as O'Brien's Wagga Hot Bake Bakery (Morgan Street) and Wagga Fruit Supply (Bardo Lane) and students from CSU vacating their accommodation at the end of their studies or over the holidays.

Judy recounted stories of children coming to school without having a meal the night before and often without lunch. The breakfast at school can be the only meal the children have in a day.

**Luci Achilles** (*bottom right*) was able to provide us first-hand information about the benefits her second son has experienced from continue play a team sport which met his needs. About 55 adults and children compete

Newest member **Anne Egan** suggested Rotarians watch a game at Duke of Kent 10am on Saturdays.

Co-incidentally, Luci's eldest son was a member of the team of riders from Riding for Disabled who participated in the **Mounted Games** at the Royal Easter Show. He took out 3rd place.

The club has undertaken to sponsor the team for the next 3 years 2018-2020 inclusive.

**The Mounted Game**s are aimed at being fun for horse and rider, while improving their co-ordination and confidence.



Mounted Games were the inspiration of H.R.H. Prince Philip who at the 1957 Horse of the Year competition asked if he could devise a competition for children who could not afford an expensive, well-bred pony.

This has been translated into RDA competition and the top events in NSW are the RDA (NSW) Mounted Games and Horse of the Year Championships held at the Annual Royal Easter Show in Sydney.

*Riders participate in qualifying competitions at regional level to gain selection to compete in the State event.* 

There are a selection of sporting games and races that require and improve the agility of both horse and rider. Some of these games are the barrel race, the flag race and bending.

# MONTHLY BOARD REPORT: June Monthly Meeting

- re-invest Charles Houen Scholarship funds for 6 months
- \$3 000 to Nepal RAWCS project building eye hospital
- Lillier Lodge visit investigate dates to assist with providing meals
- Tree Planting 15 July to be rescheduled
- Swap Meet Su 15 July Gathering of the Faithful 9 September
- Camp Quality request to provide a catered breakfast 29 October
- Riverina Truck Show 3 Nov
- Wagga Garden Festival 50th anniv. 4 November
- NYSF interviewed potential 6 students from 3 schools club is willing to endorse 2 students from Mater Dei but will sponsor Juliette Gamble from WWHS changed application process
- revised contact list will be emailed to members
- Changeover invitations sent to new inductees and several other guests Mantra, Bush & Campbell
- Reports to be submitted please
- District Grant for Ashmont Breakkie Club \$ 2,500 Thanks to Michelle for attending course and preparing submission overnight last week. Approved by the board on Wednesday.
- Centurion information sent to members
- A nomination for NSW Rotary Inspirational Women's Awards has been submitted
- TAFE Scholarship sub-committee to be convened
- CSU scholarship 2 applicants to be interviewed
- Updating club's brand will be complete with provision of magnets, letterhead, folders, business cards

# **DIRECTORS' REPORTS:**

#### Secretary: Alan Sharp

Correspondence In								
Kooringal RC	invitation to Changeover	27 June	Country Club	\$30				
Lockhart RC	invitation to Changeover	04 Jul	Ex-Servicemen's Club	\$25				
Australian Tax Office	ustralian Tax Office offering assistance to not-for-profit organisations							
Salvation Army	Salvation Army seeking funding							
WW City Council	request to be involved in Wagga Garden Festival celebrating 50th anniversary of							
	the Botanic Gardens							
Correspondence Out								
Wendy Day	expressions of sympathy on her mother's passing							
Michelle Swan appreciation for attending District Grants' Forum								

## Treasurer: Darren Verus

- reminder for subs / dues and contributions to Centurion asap.
- Please reply asap for Changeover dinner.

### **Club Administration: Fred Loneragan**

**Fred** advised members that he was seeking a secretary for the coming year as the elected Rotarian was unable to fulfil the role because of changed circumstances at work.

#### The Rotary Foundation: Marilyn Walter



Following on from last week's suggestion to apply for a District Grant, **Michelle Swan** prepared the application which was endorsed by the board at its meeting last Wednesday. Michelle's efforts were recognised with a round of applause from appreciative members.

Michelle Swan (centre) with Val Samuelson, Dennis Blackett and Jo Wilson (both partially obscured) and Sandra Rootes

### Youth Service: David Brady

• Charles Sturt University Scholarship David Brady advised there were 2 applicants these would be interviewed and in the future.

### **MAJOR PROJECTS:**

• *Riverina Truck Show and Kids' Convoy* Sa 03 Nov Council Precinct Next meeting Fr 22 June. David indicated that the committee was looking for gift packs as tokens of appreciation. Last year they were purchased from a local business.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

• This week is Refugee Week 2018 and Wednesday 20 June is World Refugee Day

Members were advised of activities being organised to mark the occasion

- Mayoral Reception Deidre Tome to represent the club
- Free Family Fun Day Henschke Primary School- Sa 23 June 11am-3pm
- Multifaith Prayer Service for Peace San Isidore Church Su 24 June 2pm Guest speaker Ron Lawlor
- Anyone available to attend to represent the club, please do so.

#### FINES:

She did it again ... Val Samuelson fined us for everything she could! Wearing scarves, yellow ties or not, being on holidays. A great effort Val!! Fines Total: \$86.05

## **MEMBERS' NEWS:**



*Birthdays* Marilyn Walter (14.6) *Anniversaries Rotary Milestones* Max Chapman (21.6) 7 years, Darren Verus (24.6) 15 years. Both have been members in other Rotary Clubs before transferring to Sunrise

It was pleasing to see the return of Ndungi Mungai.

Dennis Blackett happily informed members that after four long years, he is now cancer-free.

**Deidre Tome** paid 'happy bucks' after her second daughter graduated yesterday from University of New South Wales. The occasional address was given by UNSW alumnus MLC Courtney Houssos who



provided graduates with timely advice which can be applied to our Rotarians, our club and Rotary International in general.

- 1. Follow your passion.
- 2. Surround yourself with good people especially your partner.
- 3. Don't let fear of failure stop you taking opportunities.
- 4. Be authentic. Your lived experiences make you a better representative of your community.
- 5. Be curious and inquisitive. Continue to learn and read widely.

**Attendance:** Alan Sharp, Bob Martin, Bruce Spinks, Darren Verus, David Brady David Gilbey, Dawn Smith, Deidre Tome, Dennis Blackett, Fred Loneragan, Jennifer Groch, Jo Wilson, John Wood, Marilyn Walter, Max Chapman, Michelle Swan, Ndungi Mungai, Peter Brown, Sandra Rootes, Simon Swan, Val Samuelson,

**Apologies:** Dave O'Grady, Deborah Braines, Denise Flockton, Francis Desailly, Jan Gray, Joan Skews, Karen Jamieson, Leanne Deacon, Lesley Scott, Marie Wood, Mark Brown, Peter Gissing, Sue Hartwig, Wendy Day, Yvonne Braid

## NEXT WEEK: PILATES

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