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The Rotary Club of West Pennant Hills and Cherrybrook Club Bulletin

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What's on tonight Monday 29 September 2008

Club Assembly

Job talk – Barry Freeman

Monday 6 October 2008 – Labour Day long weekend – No Meeting

Next meeting – Monday 13 October 2008

Meeting at Ronald McDonald House (BBQ and wine tasting)

Duty Roster

This week – Monday 29 September 2008		Next meeting – Monday 13 October 2008	
Chairman	Tim Bowland	Chairman	Tom Westcott
Night Reporter	Bob Davison	Night Reporter	Dick Bushell
Front Desk	Graham Cuthbertson	Front Desk	
Front Desk	Clive Denmark	Front Desk	
Steward	Graham Evans	Steward	Volunteers
Steward	Brian Furrer	Steward	Volunteers

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From the President's Pen



I am getting all excited about the garage sale and I think everyone that can spare a moment is out there helping. Congratulations to David and Jill and all those who are helping. It's hard to focus on

anything else, but there are other things

happening in our club like the trailer raffle congratulations to that team too, and all the volunteers making it happen.

This week's thought.

"He neither drank, smoked, nor rode a bicycle. Living frugally, saving his money, he died early, surrounded by greedy relatives. It was a great lesson to me."

John Barrymore (1882-1942) American Actor

Meetings

Monday 6.30pm for 7.00pm – Springfield House – New Line Road, Dural

<http://www.wphcrotary.org>

Rotary Club of West Pennant Hills and Cherrybrook Inc. PO Box 103W West Pennant Hills 2125 Australia

APOLOGIES : If you are unable to attend or are bringing a guest (even if they are your partner) you must book them in. Phone **9439 1422 before 11am** on the day of the meeting.

At our last meeting - Monday 15 September

President Tim opened the meeting by inviting our exchange student Héloïse to give the club an update on her activities. Héloïse explained that she had spent the week with the McGowans at Copacabana swimming and fishing (caught 3) as well as visiting the pelicans at The Entrance. On Sunday she spent the day with other inbound students at a bar-b-que and on Monday enjoyed a conducted tour of the Opera House.

Various announcements were made in between periods of fellowship.

President Tim has had a very successful meeting with the management of Woolworths at Cherrybrook. Woolworths are looking to form an ongoing relationship with Rotary and have suggested amongst other things that we could hold a weekly? Sausage sizzle.

Brian Furrer has received a \$100 donation for the Rotary Foundation from the Cherrybrook Shopping Centre management.

Monday 13 Oct meeting will be at Ronald McDonald House. This will be a joint meeting with North Rocks Rotary Club and will be a partner's night incorporating a club wine tasting. Tom Westcott is organising the event including the bar-b-que. Usual dinner fees will apply.

Bob Davison gave an update on the trailer raffle; Last Sat. we took \$526 at North Rocks Westfield, and on Sunday we took \$147 at Dural. We are currently on target with the monies raised to date.

Peter Garnett confirmed that only booked seats were available for the post Garage Sale dinner next Sat night at the WPH Club. So if you haven't booked, then you may not get fed. Dinner is from 7pm. Peter requested deposits from those going on the Goulburn weekend before he can confirm the bookings.

Alan Paynter appealed for cake stall donations and help in manning the stall on Sat. Cooks can contact Lyn for details.

Jill Turnbull made an impassioned plea for help with the garage sale pick-ups. David

worked his butt off on Sunday collecting items. Tim Bickford proceeded to plan this week's pick up programme. If you have nominated to help, please be there.

Our thoughts are with Sheila and Ian Turner on hearing of the death of their new born grandchild.

Colin Baxter introduced the guest speaker: Neel Raman a corporate trainer who spoke on "Getting Better Results"

The central premise of his talk was "All have high potential", the only limitations are ideas in our minds. Our results are a reflection of our thoughts.



We think in "pictures", our mind controls everything. He explained that our mind has two parts, the conscious and the sub-conscious. The conscious mind can accept or reject ideas, the sub-conscious cannot reject ideas. With the conscious mind you choose your thoughts which determine your feelings, actions and hence results.

Neel explored many aspects of our thought processes and explained that "If you want to know what you have been thinking about, look at your results in life"; actions are a result of our thoughts, "think big things-concentrate on the positive"

President Tim presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Cawas for his efforts with the Art Competition.



Sergeant Prue then went about

extracting money from the usual victims and no one won the heads and tails.

The meeting closed at 8:50pm.

Rod Croweller - Night Reporter

Travelling Members

The Editor is not aware of any current travellers

Birthdays, Anniversaries and Births



Anniversaries



Ann and Peter Garnett – 1st October



Birthdays



Graham Evans – 5th October
Rob Wansbrough 5th October
(A BIG one !!)
Alan Paynter – 7th October
Pat Baseley – 9th October



Births



Congratulations to Helen and Barry Lambert on the arrival of their new Grandson

Up-coming job talks

Tony Makin This is new in My Business
Oct 13 up to 5 minutes

Pru Daras This is Me and My Business
Oct 27 up to 10 minutes

Gino Savio This is Me and My Business
Nov 10 up to 10 minutes

Trailer Raffle Roster

Last week we had sales of \$673, which was pretty good. Thanks to Prue Daras, Steve Baker, Michael Moroney, Rod Crossweller, Graham Evans, Colin Wright and Peter Cleary. We have total sales of \$6,336 which is 81% of where we should be at this point. This will improve as members return their (sold?) books.... please

start bringing them back so we can include those sales in the measure. This weekend is the Garage Sale weekend, and we are at Cherrybrook Shops. To stimulate \$10 sales we are offering a voucher for a free coffee from Zest. We will also hand out garage sale flyers. I need more volunteers for the following weekends, please.

As at 25 September 2008

DATE	Venue	Session 1	Session 2
27-Sep	Cherrybrook Shops	Stan Baseley, Bob & Bev Davison	Carol Russell, Bob & Bev Davison
28-Sep	Cherrybrook Shops	Jim Simpson, Tom Westcott, Pierre Tennant	
4-Oct	Pennant Hills Marketplace	Colin Baxter, Peter Cleary	
5-Oct	Flowerpower Glenhaven	Tim Bickford	
11-Oct	Rouse Hill Complex	Prue Daras, Alan Paynter	
12-Oct	Carlingford Court	Carol Russell	
SESSION TIMES			
SATURDAYS		8.30am to 11.30 am	11.30 am to 3.00 pm
SUNDAYS		9.00am to 1.00pm	none

Tree of Joy update

Charitable organisations are being approached to enlist their participation.

Héloïse fishing in Brisbane Water



Things you can do – RI President D K Lee

In every zone, in every district, more Rotarians are needed to help us reach our goal of saving children, because in every community there are children who need our help. Child mortality is highest in developing countries. But there is not a single Rotary district where local club projects cannot save lives. Every day, in every part of the world, children die for the lack of a seatbelt or a smoke detector.

Children die because they have nowhere safe to play. Children die because their parents cannot afford health care. Children die not because nobody can help them but because too often, nobody does. But you and I, here in this room, are Rotarians, and helping is what we do best.

And so it is our job to open our eyes to these needs, in our own communities and in communities far away. Our job is to work together, one club with another, to do what is needed. Our job is to Make Dreams Real. We will turn those dreams of a safe and happy childhood

- a childhood that becomes a long and healthy life

- into a reality because all of the world's children are our children.

And our job is a simple one. It is saving lives with our hearts and our minds and our souls. And if, in 2008-09, every one of us does this job well, at the end of our year we will all have achieved something wonderful.

President D. K. Lee,
address to RI Convention 2008

Club Officers and Club Honour Roll

This information is now located n the Club Website
www.wphcrotary.org

Club Programme 2008/2009				24.09.08
Sep-08		September Activity- New Generations	Partners	Organiser/Contact
Mon	29	Club Assembly		Tim Bowland
Oct-08		October Activity- Vocational Service	Partners	Organiser/Contact
Mon	6	Labour Day long weekend – No meeting		
Sun	12	Sausage Sizzle- Bunnings Dural		Graham Cuthbertson
Mon	13	Meeting at Ronald McDonald House (BBQ and wine tasting)	Yes	Tom Westcott/Clive Denmark
Mon	20	DG Tony Castley visiting Club and Investiture		Tim Bowland
Tue	21	Club Board Meeting		Tim Bowland
Mon	27	Martin Porteous- Inala School		Larry Jacka
Nov-08		November Activity- Rotary Foundation Month	Partners	Organiser/Contact
Sun	2	Trailer Raffle- last day		Bob Davison
Mon	3	Melbourne Cup Night + Trailer Raffle Draw	YES	
Sat	8	DIK Working Bee		Bob Davison
Sat	8	Weekend away- Goulburn district, Irish Music/Dancing Festival, Waterworks Museum, Berrima historic homestead tour		Peter Garnett
Sun	9	Weekend away- Trappers Motel accom- voted best 4.5 star motel in Australia		Peter Garnett
Mon	10	Pride of Workmanship Awards Night	YES	Steve Baker
Mon	17	Youth Night -TBA + Heloise Hansen presentation on Belgium	YES	Clive Denmark
Tue	18	Club Board Meeting		Tim Bowland
Mon	24	Rotary Foundation Guest Speaker (tba)		Larry Jacka
Sun	30	Christmas Lunch	Yes	Peter Garnett
Dec-08		December Activity- Family	Partners	Organiser/Contact
Mon	1	AGM – Election of 2009/10 Board TBA		Tim Bowland
Sat	6	Sausage Sizzle- Bunnings Dural		Graham Cuthbertson
Mon	8	Great Aussie Joke Night + Caitlin Trumm blazer presentation	Yes	Jim Simpson
Mon	15	Rotary Foundation- Internal discussion		Larry Jacka
Tue	16	Club Board Meeting		Tim Bowland
Mon	22	No Meeting		
Mon	29	No Meeting		

Details of the Club program for the remainder of the 2008-2009 year can be found in the Club website
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