

Monday 10th March

The Great Debate - subject "Marriage is an Incredible Institution"

Monday 17th March
** NO MEETING ** R&R after Book Fair

Monday 24th March

David Hart - Interplast

Duty Roster

Next Meeting	g – Monday 10 March	Following Meeting – Monday 17 March		
Speaker Host	???	Speaker Host	Sandy Burrage	
Night Reporter	Peter Cleary	Night Reporter	Ross Ballinger	
Front Desk	Bob Davison	Front Desk	Bob Davison	
Front Desk	lan Roberts	Front Desk	Brian Furrer	
Steward	Stan Basley	Steward	Colin Wright	
Steward	Colin McGowan	Steward	Cawas Sahukar	
Photographer	Ross Ballinger.	Photographer	Bob Myers.	

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Upcoming Events

Thursday March 6 Bowel Scan sales commence

Tuesday 11 - Thursday 13 March **Book sort & setup at Uniting Church**

Friday 14 & Saturday 15 March **Book Fair - Uniting Church - ALL HANDS**

Saturday 15 March Dinner following the Book Fair- Pennant Hills

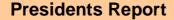
Sunday 30 March Callicoma Track walk

Tuesday 1 April Board meeting 7:30 - Makin's home

Meetings

Monday 6.30pm for 7.00pm – Springfield House – 245 New Line Road, Dural. http://www.rotarydistrict9685.org.au Rotary Club of West Pennant Hills and Cherrybrook Inc. PO Box 103 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 notify Jilda. Phone 9439 1422 or email accounts@lhogroup.com.au before 11am on the day of the meeting.

If you are expected and do not show you may be required to pay for the meal





Clive is busy with the Book Fair, so no report.

Next week we need all hands for the Book Fair:

Tues 11th: Setup/sort 8am-noon 5pm-9pm at Church Wed 12th: Move books/sort 8am-noon 5pm-9pm at Church Thur 13th: Setup/sort 8am-noon 5pm-9pm at Church Fri 14th: **The sale** is: 9am-8pm at Church be there early

Sat 15th: **The sale** is: 8am-3pm at Church

- Followed by dinner TBA.

Note that there is no meeting on Mon 17th to allow recovery following the sale.

I anticipate a report from our President next Bulletin.

Regards *Editor, Bob*

Night Report for 3 March Meeting

Acting Sergeant President Elect Barry opened the meeting and called on Stan to lead Rotary Grace and Col Wright to propose the Loyal Toast. ASPE Barry then handed the meeting over to President Clive.

President Clive welcomed our guests Bernard and Tony and our guest speaker Peter Bourke from Northwest Rail Link and asked for Directors Reports:

Tony Makin reported that we have 12 members or partners going to Vanuatu plus Miriam Jacka. The container is being stuffed on Saturday 8th and Volunteers are need at DIK.

Col Wright announced that the trip away on 17-18th May has been cancelled because of the number of members away and the proximity of the Vanuatu trip and International Conference, we will plan to have a trip later in the year.

President Clive thanked those members who had helped on Saturday, 140 boxes were packed and put on pallets at the Church Hall. There will be a dinner on Saturday after the Book Fair, no meeting on the 17th with the next meeting on the 24th March. Helpers are required during next week in the lead up to the Book Fair: Tues to setup tables and sort, Wed sorting, Thurs final setup (each 8-noon and 5-9pm).

Cawas has confirmed that the Vocational Visit to KIA is on 7th April.

Vilde talked about her usual busy week, her Aunt Pia went to Adelaide, a sleep over with a friend, the Safari Briefing on Saturday and sailing on Sunday.

After Dinner President Clive asked Rob Hamer to introduce our guest speakers Peter Bourke and Katherine Miller from Northwest Rail Link.

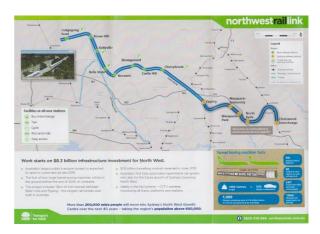
Peter is a Town Planner, part of the Customer Planning, Strategy and Environmental Assesment Group. His first comment was that the Customers are at the centre of Transport Infrastructure planning – we can only wait and see. The Northwest Rail Link is the first stage of a series of developments throughout the Sydney Rail Network. It is an \$8.3 Billion project due for completion in 2019 with 4000 car parking spaces. The new railway will be 26 kms linking up with the Epping to Chatswood line which will be converted to the Rapid Transit concept with automatic trains running every 5 minutes in peak hour. The massive tunnelling machines are scheduled to start digging late 2014 early 2015. It will be interesting to see what happens, Peter has been booked up to speak to us again next year.

The meeting was wrapped up with a short fines session, our guest Tony won the raffle and Brian Furrer won Heads & Tails.

An acting Sergeant is needed for the 24th March.

Night Reporter - Graham Cuthbertson





BBQ with residents from Flinders Village (ARV)

We organised a BBQ for the residents of ARV at Kokoda Track, Concord. Those attending thoroughly enjoyed the day as apparent in the photos:

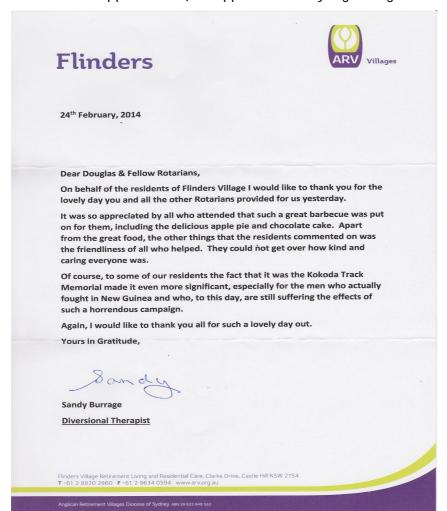








We received a letter of appreciation (and appreciate Sandy organising the bus and guests):



Cycle Classic - Sunday 23 March

Rotary Clubs of Turramurra, St Ives and Ku-Ring-Gai have organised this fund raiser:



Help End Polio NOW

Buy your CD, get a Book, or simply make a Donation

Did you miss out on getting Kamahl's **Heart & Soul** CD at the District Conference? Or perhaps you didn't see Don Stein's **A Fire in the Belly**?

Maybe you simply want to **make a donation** after hearing the fantasic story that this District has played in the End Polio campaign.

This is your opportunity to contribute to the End Polio campaign - part or all of the proceeds from these three opportunities will be donated to **End Polio Now**.

Go to sales.rotarydistrict9685.org.au and make your purchase or donation.



Make a donation to receive Fire in the Belly - by Don Stein AM. Get it at sales.rotarydistrict9685.org.au
More details here



Kamahl made a surprise appearance at the District Conference to entertain us & present this opportunity. (You can see his appearance here at the 2h37m mark.)

A guaranteed minimum donation of \$5 from the sale proceeds of his Heart & Soul CD will go to End Polio. Buy the CD at sales.rotarydistrict9685.org.au for \$20.

More details here



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Sharon Bickford helping a Friend in Need – Can You Help?

In last weeks Bulletin I published an email from Sharon Bickford passed on by daughter Brittany, our RYLA attendee. Sharon will have her head shaved this Saturday to help a friend in need, Lisa, who is suffering with Lyme disease and can only get treatment in Germany. Hopefully, some readers can contribute to this worthy cause, as Bev and I have. I will publish Sharon's photo next Bulletin.

The pledge page is: http://peoplepledge.com.au/2014/lisa-tubnor/
If you do contribute, let Sharon know, at sharon.bickford@hotmail.com

Birthdays and Anniversaries





Anniversaries nil Birthdays nil

Food for Thought





" It's only when you see a mosquito landing on your testicles that you realise that there is always a way to solve problems without using violence. "

Humour



If you can't afford a doctor, go to an airport - you'll get a free x-ray and a breast exam, 'and; if you mention Al Qaeda, you'll get a free colonoscopy.

Have a wonderful Day

Enjoy life NOW!
IT HAS AN EXPIRATION DATE!

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		Club Programe 2013-2014		RED YES = PARTNERS on a meeting night.	
		Updated 3/3/2014 by RWH		Tentative date hold only	
Mar-	-14	Literacy Month			
Thurs	6	Bowel Scan sales commence at Cherrybrook Shopping Centre. Date TBC		Barry Lambert	
Sat	8	Book Fair – Sorting books at church hall.	All	Clive Denmark	
Mon	10	The Great Debate - subject "Marriage is a"	Yes	Jim Simpson	
Tue	11	Moving of Books from containers to Church and setup	All	Clive Denmark	
Wed	12	Moving of Books from collection points to Church carpark and setup	All	Clive Denmark	
Thurs	13	Sort and setup of Books at Church carpark	All	Clive Denmark	
Fri	14	Book Fair Uniting Church, New Line Road, Cherrybrook	All	Clive Denmark	
Sat	15	Book Fair Uniting Church, New Line Road, Cherrybrook	All	Clive Denmark	
Sat	15	Book Fair "Post Mortem" Dinner	All	Clive Denmark	
Mon	17	No Meeting. R&R following Book Sale		Rob Hamer	
Mon	24	David Hart from Interplast.		Tony Makin	
Sun	30	Callicoma Track walk		Douglas Lam	
Mon	31	Alzheimer's Australia (TBC)		Barry Freeman	
Apr-	14	Magazine Month			
Tues	1	Club Board Meeting 7.15 for 7.30 - Makin's home			
Mon	7	Vocational visit to KIA Homeland - Cnr Windsor Rd & Victoria Av, Castle Hill	Yes	Colin Sharpe	
Mon	14	Mark Wallace Rotary Down Under	Yes	Rob Hamer	
Mon	21	Bunnings BBQ - Dural	Yes	Barry Lambert	
Mon	21	No Meeting - Easter Monday		,	
Sat	26	Bunnings BBQ – Thornleigh	Yes	Barry Lambert	
Mon	28	Anzac meeting – Lieutenant Colonel John Pritchard - Royal Aust Engineers (Ret'd)	Yes	Rob Hamer	
May		Community Month			
Thur	1	Vanuatu RAWCS trip – through May 11 th	Yes	Tony Makin	
Mon	5	Anniversary meeting – past members night	Yes	Ross Ballinger, Alan Paynter	
Tues	6	Club Board Meeting 7:15 for 7:30. Combined current and incoming Boards		Clive Denmark	
Mon	12	Nadia Messiha – Hills Family Lawyers. A bird's eye view of Family Law –	Yes	Rob Hamer	
		Property, Parenting & Grand-parenting.	163		
Mon	19	Philip Smith – ROMAC (Rotary Oceania Medical Aid for Children)		Rob Hamer	
Sun	25	Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal			
Mon	26	Vocational Awards – Pride of Workmanship		Colin Sharpe	
Jun-	14	Rotary Fellowship Month			
Sun	1	Rotary International Convention – Homebush	Yes	David Turnbull	
Mon	2	Rotary International Convention – Homebush	Yes	David Turnbull	
Mon	2	No Meeting			
Tue	3	Rotary International Convention – Homebush	Yes	David Turnbull	
Wed	4	Rotary International Convention - Homebush	Yes	David Turnbull	
Mon	9	Public Holiday – Queen's Birthday – NO MEETING			
Wed	11	Club Board Meeting 7.15 for 7.30 Combined current and incoming Boards		Clive Denmark	
Mon	16	The Great Debate - Rotarians vs Rotaryannes - subject "TBA"	Yes	Jim Simpson	
Mon	23	Mike Thomas Exec Officer of Ronald MacDonald House		Rob Hamer	
Fri	27	Club Changeover Dinner	Yes	Barry Freeman Clive Denmark	
Mon	30	No meeting following Changeover			

Directors 2013-14					
Rotary Club of West Pennant Hills and Cherrybrook					
President	Clive Denmark	0400 425 210			
President Elect	Barry Freeman	0414 400 100			
Past President	Bob Davison	0413 008 574			
Secretary	Barry Lambert	0412 465 819			
Acting Secretary	Keith Ball	0478 599 155			
Treasurer	Ian Roberts	0401 898 989			
Membership	Rosemary Clarke	0439 819 965			
Club Services Director	Rob Hamer	0400 335 091			
Youth Services Director	Bob Davison	0413 008 574			
Community Services Director	Douglas Lam	0419 421 659			
International Director, Foundation and PR	PDG Larry Jacka	0418 690 898			
Vocational Director	Colin Sharpe	0408 810 463			
Fundraiser Director	Jim Simpson	0439 465 725			
Club Welfare Officer (non-executive)	Stan Basely	02 9634 1084			
Social Committee Leader	Colin Wright	0409 393 027			