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The Next Meetings

Monday
March 14th

Hippo Water an innovative way to transport water in Africa.

Partner Night



Monday
March 21st

No meeting - R&R after the Book Sale

Monday
March 28th

No meeting - Easter Monday

Monday
April 4th

Social Media in Rotary - Evan Burrell



Duty Roster

Duty

Speaker Host
Night Reporter
Front Desk
Front Desk
Steward
Steward
Photographer

Monday March 14th

Graham Cuthbertson
Ros Savio
Bob Davison
Carol Russell
Jim Simpson
Keith Ball
Peter Stanton

Mons March 21 & 28

Monday April 4th

Colin Sharpe
Andrew Little
Bob Davison
Brian Furrer
Bernard Chandra
Peter Stanton
Ross Ballinger

Upcoming Events

Feb 20 to March 20	Book Sale - See Below
11-12 March	District Conference Canberra
18th April	Combined Meeting with Lions Club of WPH&C to commemorate Anzac. Partners Night
29th May 2016	Vivid Lights Tour - see below for details
circa July 2016	RAWCS Working Bee in Vanuatu - contact David Turnbull

Book Sale Promotion



ROTARY CLUB OF WEST PENNANT HILLS & CHERRYBROOK INC.

Proceeds will go to local Rotary charities

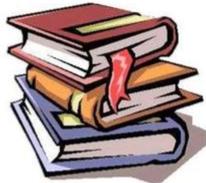
ANNUAL GIANT BOOK SALE

COME ALONG AND JOIN US

Fri 18th March - 9am-8pm

Sat 19th March - 8am-3pm

Uniting Church
134 New Line Road
Cherrybrook



We are looking for donations of books in good condition, original CD's & DVD's, records, sheet music.

Donations accepted until Tuesday 15th March

We really appreciate all the support that you give us with these donations. Thank you.

Note: We do not take: textbooks, encyclopedias, damaged or dirty books, magazines, coffee table books, Readers Digest, condensed editions.

RING OUR HOTLINE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND FOR DETAILS OF A CONVENIENT DROP OFF LOCATION

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Book Sale Timetable



Sat 20 th Feb	First Major Sort
Sat 5 th Mar	Second Major Sort
Tue 15 th Mar	Third Major Sort & set up table layout
Wed 16 th Mar	Continue to set up tables, boxes & signs. Fine tune layout etc.
Thu 17 th Mar	Book Sale
Fri 18 th Mar	Book Sale & Clean up.
Sat 19 th Mar	Dinner at WPH Sports Club
Sun 20 th Mar	

Vivid Lights Tour

Names of those attending and fares will be collected after Easter. We need at least 30 but there is no upper limit.

Youth Exchange - Reports from Amelia Craig

Note from your editor

Amelia's Jan & Feb reports have moved to "Exchange"

The link to Exchange is <http://www.wphcrotary.org/exchange.html>

(You "click" on the link and it is brought you)

Future reports from Amelia will be posted here and held for nominal three weeks before transfer to "Exchange".

Information from other clubs



2015-16 Jazz at the pines
12.30pm - 4pm
Roughley House at The Pines
656a Old Northern Rd, Dural

2015	20 September.....	Nigel Hearn Quintet
	18 October.....	Sydney Youth Jazz Orchestra
	15 November.....	Mike Hallam's Hot Six
2016	21 February.....	Bridge City Jazz Band
	20 March.....	Greg Poppleton & The Bakelite Broadcasters
	17 April.....	Riverside Jazz Band
	15 May.....	Zenith Jazz Sextet

\$18 ADULTS \$15 CONCESSION \$40 FAMILY



My dear friends,

I am pleased to bring you the good news that His Holiness Pope Francis will officiate at a Mass to Rotarians at St. Peter's Square, Rome, on 30 April. We will have 8,000 seats reserved for Rotarians, as well as friends and family.

It is my great pleasure to invite you to join me in Italy on this day as we celebrate the Jubilee of

Rotarians, a special event hosted by Rotary District 2080 and the Vatican.

In addition, local Rotarians will host special celebratory dinners and plan a service project for attendees.

I believe this event is a tremendous honor that will raise Rotary's status across so much of the world, and it should bring us all great happiness to be a part of it, regardless of our own religions and beliefs.

For more information, please visit the [Jubilee of Rotarians website](#), which has been provided by our friends in District 2080. Updates and additional information will be available leading up to the event. Registration will open 18 January. I ask that you also include mention of this event in your governor's monthly letter.

This Jubilee, as established by Pope Francis, is known as the Holy Year of Mercy. It marks the time of forgiveness and reconciliation, of solidarity, hope, and justice. It is a commitment to serve with joy and in peace across the world.

As you work hard to *Be a Gift to the World*, I do hope you will make the effort to be in Rome with as many members of your district as possible.

Best regards,
K.R. Ravindran
Rotary International President, 2015-16

Subject: TURRAMURRA TRAVELS TO HELP PROJECT
Dear Cawas

Our Turramurra club has recently commenced a terrific program to support the provision of wheelchairs to kids in Bangladesh. A \$5,000 District Grant supported this great project.

To help fund the activity, one of their members, who is in the travel business, has put together a tour through Vietnam and China and is providing it at cost plus a contribution to the project. Outstanding value!

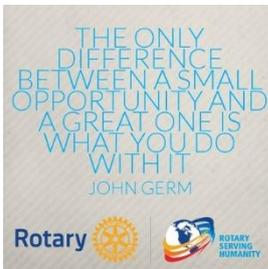
The [attached flyer](#) describes the tour - please contact Turramurra President, Rob Byrne if you have any questions. This is a great way to enjoy a sensational holiday while at the same time supporting an excellent Rotary cause.

Contact Rob Byrne: 0403 238852, rob@tourvelo.com

Rotary Graphics



President Elect
John Germ 2016-17
Rotary theme



These images can be downloaded by left clicking and saving



Significant Club fundraising events during the year



The Book Sale March 2015. As the result of a lot of hard work the March book fair which was a great success, especially from the organisers Max Henderson, Andrew Little and Clive Denmark. Total sales were just over \$11,000. Well done.



The Trivia Night

The Club held a very successful trivia night on Saturday 29 August 2015 at the Cherrybrook Community Centre, raising just over \$5,000 for local charities including: Shine for Kids, Books in Homes Australia, Familial Cancer - Lynch Syndrome Australia, Warrah Society and other charities supported by the club. David cleaning up



The Garage Sale

We had a very successful **Garage Sale** on the weekend of 26/27 September raising over \$24k gross. The weather made it hard to set-up in the lead up to the event, but for the sale the wet weather stayed away. Anne performing for the customers.



Barbecues

The club runs fund raising barbecues throughout the year, mainly at Bunnings Dural and Thornleigh. Barry (BBQ coordinator, Aviaaja, Neville, Ian and Barry cooking at Bunnings Dural December 12th.

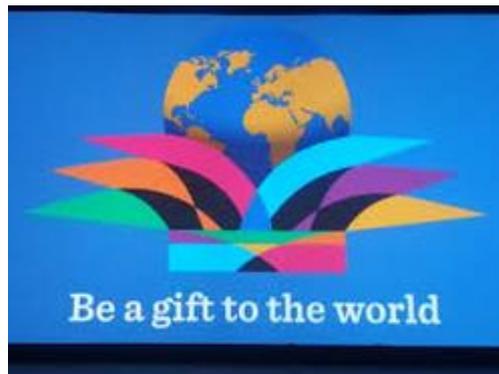
Meetings

Monday 6:30pm for 7:00pm - Springfield House - 245 New Line Road, Dural.

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.



President's Report 7th March 2016

Fellow members,

A great meeting and great to enjoy a slice of Birthday Cake with Avi who has just turned 18. Happy Birthday Avi. We welcomed 2 guests to our meeting – Charlotte McCartney who discovered us at the Cyclone Winston collection at Cherrybrook Village recently. Denis Carpenter also came along. He is a charter member of the club, who now resides in Thailand.



Only a few days to the District Conference in Canberra. 12 of us will be attending. The theme this year is Sport and as usual we are well prepared for the traditional dress up on Saturday night. Our team is desperate for yet another victory and competition is reaching fever pitch!

Our motto is “Service above self”. Below are 2 examples of our members doing a fabulous job, putting in a huge amount of time and effort, and going way beyond what is expected. Well done!

The book sale team are doing an amazing job, and the level of planning and preparation will ensure that this sale is one of our best ever. Please sign up to help the team get through the set up and sorting during the week of 14th to 17th March, Then the Sale on 18th and 19th March. We are all getting older, so more helpers will mean less stress and, of course, the best possible end result.

I want to acknowledge the great work our Bulletin Editors do to keep our weekly newsletter published on time. We have a mailing list of nearly 200 people, so it’s one of our best marketing tools. Colin Sharpe has just handed over to Keith Ball who will keep the bulletin coming out each week till the end of June. Well done and thank you Bob, Andrew, Colin, Douglas and Keith.

A reminder to all our members and partners to ensure they have completed the Working With Children check. We are legally required to achieve compliance by the end of March this year and we are very close to achieving that target. 100% compliance for all members and partners is the only way to operate the club without having to put in place lots of complicated controls every time we run an activity involving children. If anyone needs help with the process please just talk to the many computer-savvy members in our club and I’m sure they will assist.

Our next meeting on Monday 14th March is a Partner’s Night. This is our last meeting for March due to The Book Sale and Easter, so let’s make it a big night! We have a guest speaker on “Hippo Water” which is a novel and cost effective way for villagers in Africa to move water easily over long distances. Hope to see everyone there!

Tony

Night Report 7th March

President Tony Coote welcomed everyone including the guest speaker Pamela Lawrence from Australian Rotary Health and raised the following points:

- - Welcomed Charlotte McCartney who is a potential new member.
- - Mentioned we are still looking for a Bunning's co-ordinator, and if anyone is interested then please see Max.
- - We all need to do our "Working with Children Check" and if anyone needs help please ask, it is very simple.
<http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/working-with-children-check>
- - The Rotary District Conference is on 12-13th March in Canberra.
- - The Board has increased the donation for the Fiji Community from the \$3,370 collected to \$4,000 and the District is going to add an additional grant.
- - The Board meets this Wed 9th March at Tony Coote's residence.
- - On Tues 15th March International will be interviewing three potential candidates for one outbound placement next year.
- - There was a note from Edwina Chapel from Rotoract asking for help at their Cake stall which is on the same day as our Book Stall.

Andrew Little gave an update on the upcoming Book sale on the 18 & 19 March 2026. The first sort was on the 20th Feb and second sort is on Sat 5th March which were very successful. There will be final sorts and set up on Tues 15th, Wed 16th and Thurs 17th. Book sale is on Fri 18th from 9am to 8pm and Sat from 8am to 3pm. The dinner after the Book Sale will be on Sunday 20th March at the WPH Sports Club at 6:30pm for 7pm. Glenda Coote is stepping in for Barbara Furrer and is asking for help in providing morning and afternoon tea and lunch.

Colin Sharpe communicated that the Vivid night will be on May 29th. Cost will be \$68 each and need at least 30 people. The Foundation Movie Night will be on Wed 13th April at a cost of \$20 each and the Movie is "Eddie the Eagle". Friendship dinners will start again shortly.

David Turnbull communicated that a combined dinner with Lions will be held on Monday 18th April at the WPH Sports Club at \$30 a head.

Tony Makin communicated that the Rotary District Conference is on 12-13 March in Canberra.

Our Exchange student Avi presented her report on her activities for her week which was very interesting. John Tchetchenian announced it is Avi's 18th birthday on Tues 8th March so we sang Happy Birthday and Avi cut the cake.

Keith introduced the Guest Speaker Pamela Lawrence from Australian Rotary Health. Pamela is also a Rotary member with Carlingford. Australian Rotary Health was formed in 1981 by Ian Scott and since then has donated some \$36m to health. Their Vision is:

"It is our vision to be a catalyst for projects that improve the quality life for people who are least able to assist themselves."

Their Mission is:

"Our mission is to create better health for all Australians through improved education and advancements in knowledge through medical research"

Keith thanked Pamela for her presentation.

Raffle was won by Bob Davison and Heads & Tails by Bernard Chandra.

Night Reporter: Neville Hansen



Happy Birthday Avi



Tony's First Night



Pamela Lawrance



This Time Lucky?

Birthdays



Bernard Chandra 12th March

Anniversaries



No anniversaries

This Week's Humour



One liners

- The upper crust is just a few crumbs held together by a lot of lose dough.
- He is member of the effluent society one of the stinking rich
- A good host makes his guests feel at home even though he wishes they were.
- He suffers from alcoholic constipation he can't pass a pub

Wrong Egg

A conscientious wife tried hard to please her critical husband, but failed regularly. He ws most cantankerous at breakfast. If she prepared scrambled eggs he wanted poached: if she poached eggs, he wanted scrambled. One morning the wife poached one egg and scrambled the other and placed the plate before him. Anxiously she awaited what surely this time would be his unqualified approval. He peered down at the plate and snorted, "can't you do anything right, woman? You've scrambled the wrong one!"

Contributed by Colin Sharpe

The flying Irish

The Irish are always the first ones to come to the aid of their fellow man...passengers, in this case!

Shortly after take-off on an outbound, evening Air Lingus flight from Dublin to Boston, the lead flight attendant nervously made the following painful announcement in her lovely Irish brogue:

"Ladies and gentlemen, I'm so very sorry, but it appears that there has been a terrible mix-up by our catering service. I don't know how this has happened, but we have 103 passengers on board, and unfortunately, we received only 40 dinner meals. I truly apologize for this mistake and inconvenience."

When the muttering of the passengers had died down, she continued, "Anyone who is kind enough to give up their meal so that someone else can eat, will receive free and unlimited drinks for the duration of our 5-hour flight."

Her next announcement came about 2 hours later: "If anyone is hungry, we still have 40 dinners available."

Contributed by Cawas

		Club Program 2015-2016 <i>Up dated 10/3/2016</i>	Partners
Mar-16		Water and Sanitation	
Tues	1	Membership Committee Meeting	
Mon	7	Australian Rotary Health - Pamela Lawrance	
Wed	9	Club Board Meeting	
Mon	14	Hippo Water an innovative way to transport water in Africa	Yes
Tues	15	Book Sale Sort and Set up	Yes
Wed	16	Book Sale Set up	Yes
Thurs	17	Book Sale Set up	Yes
Fri	18	Book Sale SALE DAY	Yes
Sat	19	Book Sale SALE DAY and Clean up	Yes
Sun	20	Book Sale Dinner West Pennant Hills Sports Club @ 6:30 for 7:00pm	Yes
Mon	21	No Meeting - R&R after Book Sale	
Mon	21	Website Committee Meeting at Ball's	
Wed	23	Garage Sale Committee Meeting at Hansen's	
Mon	28	No Meeting Easter Monday	
Apr-16		Maternal and Child Health	
Sat	2	Friendship Dinners	
Mon	4	Social Media in Rotary - Evan Burrell	
Tues	5	Membership Committee Meeting	
Wed	6	Club Board Meeting at Sharpe's	
Mon	11	Club Assembly also Partners Event Venue to be notified	
Wed	13	District Rotary Foundation Movie Night - "Eddie the Eagle"	
Mon	18	Combined Anzac Meeting with Lions Club of WPH&C at WPH Sports Club	Yes
Mon	25	No Meeting ANZAC DAY	
May-16		Youth Services	
Mon	2	Australian Army from the inside - Julian Savio	
Tues	3	Membership Committee Meeting	
Mon	9	Motor Neurone Disease - Amelia Brock	
Wed	11	Club Board Meeting at Clarke's	
Mon	16	WPH Sports Club - speaking about their extensions and new facilities	
Tues	17	Youth Committee Meeting	
Mon	23	Pride of Workmanship	Yes
Sun	29	Vivid Sydney Bus trip inc arvo tea & dinner - leave 2pm home 10:30 pm	
Mon	30	No Meeting after Vivid Trip	
Tues	31	Membership Committee Meeting	
Jun-16		Rotary Fellowship	
Mon	6	Caught in the Nepal Earthquake - Jan Pryor	
Wed	8	Club Board Meeting at Turnbull's	
Mon	13	Youth Night Outgoing Students Final Presentation	Yes
Sat	18	Club Change over Amigos to Rosemary @ The Madison	Yes
Mon	20	No Meeting after Change Over	
Mon	27	Antarctica Talk and Video - Howard Fleming	