



# ROTARY CLUB OF WANNEROO

ROTARY DISTRICT 9455 WESTERN AUSTRALIA

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## Duty Roster

Dates	11.07.11	18.07.11	25.07.11
"Chair" **	Ian Bradshaw	Laurie Duffy	Norm deGrussa
Duty officer	Tom Drinkwater	Owen Douglas	Ian Bradshaw
Duty officer	Laurie Duffy	Neil Cook	Andy Anderson
Vote of thanks	Peter Miskelly	Norm deGrussa	Graeme Smith
Reserve	Norm deGrussa	Paul Conti	Peter Miskelly
Reserve	Andy Anderson	Colin Griffiths	Tom Drinkwater
Fellowship	Clive Bain	Andrew Bates	Owen Douglas
Guest speaker	Dr Lucy Wilkinson	??	Exchange students
Topic	Chiropractic medicine	??	Arrival welcome

**Birthdays : 18<sup>TH</sup> July Phil Cousins**

**22<sup>nd</sup> July Kerry Cousins**

**Anniversary:** 30<sup>th</sup> July Andrew and Marion Bates

Attendance @changeover 95.23%

**Apologies:** *If unable to attend meeting, an apology is to be lodged with Colin Griffiths before 12 noon of Monday.*

*Contact details for Colin are email [griffs@inet.net.au](mailto:griffs@inet.net.au). Ph 9405 2551 ,m 0407 384 808.*

## **Program**

11<sup>th</sup> July Dr Lucy Wilkinson. Chiropractic medicine

**President Phil :** Welcomed all to the first meeting of new rotary year 2011/12.

First up was the sad news of the passing of one of our charter members and current Honorary member , Murray Hamilton after a long illness. Funeral details to follow .

President Phil also advised that we would be a bit light on for numbers over the next few weeks with quite a few Rotarians heading off on extended leave. President Phil will be heading overseas himself shortly and President elect Debbie Singh will step into the chair.

Rotarian Kevin Wintergreen has asked for 6 months leave of absence due to work commitments which leaves us a quality member down. Hurry back please Kevin, you will be missed.

That left us with a vacancy as a community service director, but Peter Miskelly has kindly accepted the challenge for the period.

## **RAFFLE RESULTS**

**1<sup>ST</sup> Prize** Dave Gentry

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize** Norm deGrussa

## **Changeover Night !!!!!!!!!!**

Was a great night enjoyed by all.

## **Reports.**

### **Secretary (acting) Graeme Smith**

Has anybody got one of the Post office box keys as it cannot be located.

This years theme badge handed to all members at changeover.

### **Treasurer (acting) Clive Bain.**

Bank account for Rotary foundation is healthy with a term deposit being opened with \$12000

Directors meeting passed a motion to award to donations to the following .

\$450 towards Purchase of Magnifying microscopes for Wanneroo Primary School

\$1000 towards purchasing of playing kit for the indigenous soccer team from Edmond Rice centre .Joe came and addressed our meeting early this month.

### **Youth and Vocational – Norm deGrussa**

**Our next incoming exchange student being** Mads Spanggaard Christensen arrives from Denmark on or around July 22<sup>nd</sup> along with Paul Reipen of Germany. Our current student Olivier Ludovicy departs this coming Thursday heading home to Belgium.

He has been a great student and it will be sad to see him go but hope he returns to visit us one day in the future.

Our two exchange students will be joining us at our club meeting of the 25<sup>th</sup> and we will be making it a partner's night.

The National Youth Science Forum applicant Ryan Turner, will also be joining us on the 25<sup>th</sup>.

Olivier gave us his report of his past week the second last of his in Australia for a while. He again thanked us for his most memorable year the best of his life and he will never forget us.

### **International director - Debbie Singh**

Heading off to Thailand in two weeks along with her husband Richard who will be visiting the farm project along with the accommodation we have selected for staying in when up their attending the world conference ..

### **Club Service Laurie Duffy**

Threw to the members asking their impressions on the way we currently run the dinner meetings and asked if change was required , If yes then what to .

A few suggestions raised with regards to the meal .Drop the soup was suggested and concentrate on a decent man meal.Laurie is going to speak to the tavern.

If he does that he also wants the Sgt to keep good time management in running the meeting.

Another suggestion was to meet at the tavern three weeks with the fourth being off site at someone's work premise or private home.To be discussed further.

Some discussion also around to sing or not to sing national anthem and say grace.

These are national icons and should stay.

### **Publicity - -Ian Bradshaw.**

Ian told us of the Presentation of Jumpers to the Kingsway Disabled football team photo and story was still to come in the local newspaper. Ian to follow up.

Program director – Ian Bradshaw.

Ian will keep the Bulletin editor informed of the coming gust speakers so they can be published .

Next weeks meeting sees Dr Lucy Wilkinson , the Hillarys Chiropractor addressing us .