

DIARY DATES:

31.10.2008	Nosh Up Night at Okori Teppan-Yaki Restaurant 14-20 Station Street East, Harris Park—parking available and licensed—not 24.10.2008 as originally planned.
27.10.2008	Guest speaker Surgeon from China who invented the bird flu serum—partner's night 6.30—7.00pm.
02.11.2008	Chrysler Day Fairfield Showground 6.30 am gates open—all helpers required to make it a good day.
02.11.2008	9690 Family of Rotary pre Christmas Pantomime Club Marconi 2.00—5.00 pm
15.11.2008	Garage Stall—at Rumbriah Hall—9.00 am—sausage sizzle
07.12.2008	Children's Christmas Party at PP Boris and Nada's home, usually from 11.00 am until late.
08.12.2008	Christmas Partner's night—venue TBA
11.12.2008	ARHRF Christmas Dinner The Epping Club 6.30—7.00 pm—\$50 pp
15.12.2008	Bowls night with Liverpool West RC
27.02.2009	Charity Golf day and dinner—Riverside Oaks Golf Course for more info—contact Ted Atkinson 8837 1900
17. 5.2009	9690 Family of Rotary Annual Picnic Casuarina Picnic Ground, Nurranginy Reserve Doonside 11am
22.08.2009	“AIDA” Opera—\$168 pp 1.00 pm—dinner after show

Share a joke The old man in his mid-eighties struggles to get up from the couch then starts putting on his coat. His wife, seeing the unexpected behaviour, asks, “Where are you going?”

He replies, “I'm going to the doctor.”

She says, “Why are you sick?”

He says, “Nope, I'm going to get me some of that Viagra stuff.”

Immediately the wife starts working and positioning herself to get out of her rocker and begins to put on her coat.

He says, “Where the hell are you going?”

She answers, “I'm going to the doctor, too?”

He says, “why, what do you need?”

She says, “If you're going to start using that rusty old thing, I'm getting a tetanus shot.”

From IPP Margaret

BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARIES

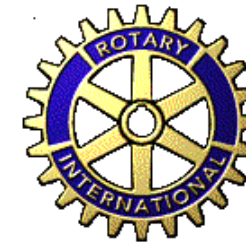
Congratulations to **Vera** who turned 18 on Friday 18.10.2008.

Happy birthdays to **PP David and Rtn Kay** who share their birthday today, 20.10.2008 and also **PP George** will celebrate his birthday on Sunday 26.10.2008. to all have a great day!



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Tonight's Program: will be a normal meeting—followed by a Board Meeting.

Love

The moment you have in your heart this extra-ordinary thing called love and feel the depth, the delight, the ecstasy of it, you will discover that for you the world is transformed.

- J. Keishnamurti

Last meeting: . Saw President Bruce open the meeting and welcomed back to the fold PPs Boris, John and PDG Bill and YEPS Vera.

Attendance: 100% - well done members!

Club Guest: YEPS, Vera Eberle

Visiting Rotarian: Peter Farrell—Liverpool West RC

Raffle: won by PP Neil

Reports:

Secretary: - PDG Bill Little

- Village Aid trip was very successful—building mission finished early. Next trip in January.
- Letter from John Henshaw—now part of Marsden’s Law Group
- Thank you note from RC Hawkesbury re \$500 donation for Young Carers
- Letter from Marilyn Mercer—re Family of Rotary Pantomime 2.11.2008
- Christmas Pudding order
- Durham Green Manor aged care facility and country club opening Saturday 25.10.2008 10.00—3.00 pm 153 Menangle Road RSVP 20.10.2008 on 1800469828

Club Service Report: Director PP Graham Shaw

- Next Nosh Up will be Japanese—Teppan-Yaki. Date is Friday 31.10.2008 not 24.10.2008 as originally printed Okori Teppan-Yaki Restaurant 14-20 Station Street East, Harris Park—parking available. The restaurant is licensed.
- Christmas Ladies Night 8.12.2008—venue TBA
- AIDA—tickets still available for 2 weeks
- Bowls night with Liverpool West—15.12.2008

Vocational Service Report: Director Rtn Robert Favelle

- Attended combined meeting with Liverpool West to inspect the new Fairfield police station. A good roll up of Rotarians were present and they all came away very impressed with the facility. The building design makes use of a considerable amount of natural light by the use of skylights built into the roof structure. It is a high technology station with excellent surveillance within. Interest was shown in the new Taser guns which is only available to senior police. We inspected the detectives' area and the cells which has maximum security the cells are in full view of staff and under video surveillance.

Community Service Report: - PP David Butterfield

- Rtn Kay contacted a surgeon as a guest speaker for 27.10.2008 he invented the bird flu serum in China —partners night 6.30—7.00 pm.

International Service Report: - Director Rtn Kay Farrell

- Attended President’s Meeting with IPP Margaret —spiel from District Directors—Kay Shelterbox and IPP Margaret ROMAC—no chaperon for sometime.

Announcements:

- Peter Farrell—RYLA nominees required to attend camp in January.
- President Meeting quite interesting RYLA nominations close 10.11.2008
- Paul Reid nominated for Ambassador Scholarship
- GSE Nova Scotia next year
- Diaries from ARHRF—\$12.00 each.
- Rtn Kay spoke on ShelterBoxes—\$1000 from Fairfield HS and \$500 from Liverpool HS. IPP Margaret spoke on ROMAC—Rotary District 9690 now incorporated—District dues—some clubs have not paid. - any Guest Speakers—see PDG Bill for dates and names
- Chryslers' Car Day 2.11.2008—all hands required.
- Garage Sale—Saturday 15.11.2008—sausage sizzle.

OCTOBER IS ROTARY VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

Vocational Service focuses on:

Adherence to, and promotion of, the highest ethical standards in all occupations, including fair treatment of employers, employees, associates, competitors, and the public

The recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, not just your own or those that are pursued by Rotarians.

The contribution of your vocational talents to solving the problems of society and meeting the needs of the community.

During October, Rotarians are encouraged to focus on this essential element of Rotary. Discussions among clubs and districts on Vocational Service can lead to projects that not only develop the ethical consciousness and vocational skills of Rotarians but also the talents within their communities. Vocational Service month is an opportunity to begin year-long Vocational Service activities, ranging from Rotary discussions to awards to community projects.

Devote the first meeting in October to examining the second Avenue of Service, including The 4-Way Test and The Declaration of Rotarians in Business and the Professions. After expanding members awareness, solicit their input in planning projects for the remainder of the year.

Introduce a “mini-classifications talk” series in which each member gives a five minute talk on his or her vocation. Schedule one speaker for the beginning of each meeting until everyone has made a presentation. The purpose: promote vocational awareness among Rotarians and help them recognize the worthiness of all useful occupations.

Present a vocational award to someone in the community who has exemplified outstanding professional achievement while maintaining very high ethical standards. Promote the presentation within the community, and consider making it an annual October event.

Max’s Trivia—trousers, known as “plus fours” and sometimes used in sport derived the name from the additional 4” of cloth that hung over the knees. Part of the tunic of Prussian soldiers was a stand up collar. It was very tight fitting and in hot weather the soldiers unbuttoned the top and when turned back it formed 2 elongated narrow triangular strips which looked attractive and it was the creation of the lapel.

The academic hood originated in the middle ages. It was a shoulder covering worn by begging priests as well as keeping them warm on cold days it was a carrier bag for begged goods and gifts.