



# Bi-monthly Newsletter Rotary Club Illawarra Sunrise

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## Leave Notifications

SEPTEMBER	
<b>Fri 21st</b>	<b>Week 3 Meeting</b> GS: Jola Stewart-Bugg
<b>Wed 26th</b>	C'tee Meeting RACE DAY @ Elaine DeV 6.00pm
<b>Fri 28th</b>	<b>NO MEETING (Social)</b> ★ Clean up ; Novotel 7am BBQ chez Huxtables 7pm
OCTOBER	
<b>Thu 4th</b>	COTA Rotary Down Under
<b>Fri 5th</b>	Week 1 Breakfast Meeting GUEST SPEAKER

<b>Tue 9th</b>	<b>BOARD MEETING</b>
<b>Fri 12th</b>	<b>Week 2 Club Assembly</b> ROTARY HAT DAY
<b>14th</b>	<b>WOMEN IN ROTARY Forum (Syd)</b> DG Sue Hayward
<b>Fri 19th</b>	<b>Week 3 Breakfast Meeting</b> Guest Speaker
<b>Sat 20th</b>	LIFELINE Book Fair Raffle Ticket sales

<b>20th</b>	INVICTUS GAMES - (to 27th)
<b>21st</b>	GRAFFITI REMOVAL DAY
<b>Wed 24th</b>	<b>HALLOWEEN dinner @ TAFE</b> \$35 6.30pm
<b>Thu 25th</b>	Aust Rotary Health Dinner NSW
<b>Fri 26th</b>	<b>NO MEETING</b> Halloween Dinner is social outing

### Board Meeting 11th September

Present N Miller, E DeVries, B Hassen,  
J Bilboe, P Rixon  
Leave B Ashe, R Huxtable  
Absent E Hart

**MATTERS ARISING** Meeting of 14 August  
**Schools & Rotary.** Still trying to find out which  
local schools have connections with which  
Rotary Clubs in our area.

**Our webpage.** Unable to change the interface  
until Michael returns, mid-October

**POW** Re-focussing on our own Pride of  
Workmanships Awards—for discussion at  
next Club Meeting

**Social Outing Manjits on Crown** Only 3 RSVPs  
and so it was cancelled. Need to look at  
Social outings on Friday nights.

**Proposed VDC visit to Women's Shelter.** Not  
available to accommodate us at this time.

**Council Spring Clean-Up** Since the original date  
was not acceptable (9 Oct), 2 new dates  
will be put to Club Assembly for our  
members it was suggested we either do it  
immediately after the Friday meeting of  
the 21st or the Fri 28th when there is no  
meeting and therefore replace it with the  
clean up.

### Treasurer EdeV

Cheque of \$5,000 has been presented for  
Dream Big Dancers.

Elaine will be sending reminder invoices  
out to members for fees.

**Membership RH** Nil Rowan overseas

**Rotary Foundation JB** The Itinerary for 2019's  
Philippines trip is all organised and will be  
distributed to all members.

**Service/Voc PR** Provided information about  
POWs and is willing to head sub-committee  
in establishing process and procedures.

### GENERAL BUSINESS

- Looking at next year. PE Norm will  
prepare a handout for Club Assembly.

Oct-Nov	Yusuf Khalfan
1 Aug to mid-Nov	Carol Jeffs
1 Sep-16 Oct	Isla and Michael
7 Sep-10 Oct	Brian Ashe
27 Sep-5 Nov	Peter Rixon
1-Jul - TBN	John Pearman
1-Jul - TBN	Tony McAdam
1-Jul - TBN	Ian Wilson

- Need to have a concerted effort to  
utilise the webpage more effectively,  
along with FB, mailouts etc (Norm,  
Betty and Michael)
- Evaluating the "3 meetings a month"  
trial in November Club Assembly.
- Need to canvas numbers for  
Halloween Night at TAFE and Council  
Clean Up.

### Friday 14th September Club Assembly

Apologies Bernie, Chris & Bill

Toast : Elaine Hart

### REPORTS

Norm (PE and standing in for Brian)

POW Awards

Objectives 2018-2019

Secretary BH

Council Clean-Up date

### Treasurer EdeV

Race Day

Currently we only have 1 sponsor when  
we need 5 to 7. Elaine read out the list  
of sponsors suggested by others but we  
need to have people to make actual  
contact with potential businesses.  
Contact Elaine for sponsorship  
packages.

	<b>NOVEMBER</b> A "5 Fridays" Month
Thu 1st	<b>Film Night "END POLIO at Gala Bohemian Rhapsody" Book early via TriBookings</b>
Fri 2nd	<b>NO MEETING</b> (Thu 1st being a social event)
Sun 4th	Dream Big Dancers "THIS IS ME" performance at Fairy Meadow demonstration School Hall at 12.30 Tickets \$15
Fri 9th	<b>Week 1 Breakfast Meeting</b>
13th	<b>Tue BOARD MEETING</b> @ President Brian's.
Fri 16th	<b>Week 2 Meeting Club Assembly</b> Project Bucephalus Public Opening
17th	<b>RACE DAY 2018</b> <b>Kembla Grange</b>
23rd	<b>Week 3</b> <b>Breakfast Meeting</b>
26th	<b>Rotary Foundation Dinner</b> <b>The Waterview HOMEBUSH</b>
30th	<b>NO MEETING</b> Christmas get-together at Brian's in PM
	<b>DECEMBER</b>
Fri 2nd	<b>1st Breakfast Meeting</b>
Fri 14th	<b>2nd Breakfast Meeting</b> <b>CHRISTMAS PARTY</b>
	<b>JANUARY 2019</b>
6-12	RYLA Yarramundi
Fri 11th	<b>1st Breakfast Meeting 2019</b>
Wed	Philippines Mission 2019 departs
Fri 18th	<b>2nd Breakfast Meeting</b>
Fri 25th	<b>3rd Breakfast Meeting</b>

### John B Philippines Trip 2019 Yacht Club Meeting Saturday 22 Sep

John and his team had a team meeting at the Illawarra Yacht Club and are now signing up and the air flight cost and in-country have been finalised.

We have just got information that 77 laptops have been donated and 30 PC towers, this is on top of the 36 computers which are already packed. Then, the Rotary Teams of Glenhaven and Illawarra Sunrise will head off:

#### Their Itinerary

16 Jan : Dep Syd and arrive Bacolod City  
17-29 Jan: Medical & dental Mission and the hard work starts.

There are (I note) also 2 "pampering nights" listed-- sounds great.

29 Jan: Back to Bacolod and arrive home 21st January.

#### Elaine H

Interact has been busy, fundraising for Farmers RAFFLE won By Elaine H

### Fri 21st Breakfast Meeting

Apologies Yusuf

Guest Jola Stewart-Bugg

Toast Stephen Swan

Sergent Mark Hampton

#### President's Report

November is pretty packed for activities, so keep up to date with the calendar on the left hand column of the newsletter.

#### Secretary

After last week's breakfast meeting,, Edith and I decided to ride on the free bus and in so doing, I left my Rotary Folder at the bus-stop. Rang Premier buses to see if anyone may have handed it in to any of the drivers but no luck with its return, hence the notes of the past meeting are from what I remembered so apologies if anything was left out.

#### Rowan : Christmas Raffle.

Raffle books will now be ordered in readiness for our first SELL at the Lifeline Book Fair and Race Day dates. The Country Grocer has come onboard again with the 3rd prize.

#### Elaine : Race Day

The IRT has now come onboard again as a sponsor with Southern IML and Elaine will host a meeting at her place on Wednesday 26th at 6pm.



### GUEST SPEAKER (on Peter's left in Pic)

Jola Stewart-Bugg is a Goomerio woman from NW NSW and is currently living in the Shoalhaven Area.

Jola is a PHD candidate undertaking her Doctoral Dissertation on "aboriginal Identity for people identifying later in life". She is currently a senior lecturer and course director for the Masters of Indigenous Health for UOW.

This was a most informative presentation explaining the comprehensive difficulties for our indigenous to prove their actual identity particularly in terms of those of the stolen generation and those unable to find living members of their communities to support their claims. As many of us at the meeting DNA testing is not reliable either because of lack of historical DNA samples.

Jola's PhD research hopefully will target recommendations to change the legislation and update the "Aboriginality ID Form" to more accurately address requirement issues. It really was a very informative presentation and Jola will return when her PhD is complete.

Raffle: won by Elaine -now 22 cards