

THE BULLETIN

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BERRY Inc.

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PE Haseena has been spreading the word about our club far and wide, here's what she says, or part thereof;

Hope all is well with you and our wonderful Rotary Club. Here is a photo of me with the members of the Rotary Club of Wansbeck. They failed to tell me that they only have male members. They were happy for me to have dinner with them and it was wonderful to chat about our clubs.



The Rotary Club of Wansbeck was founded in 1990 as the first evening club in the area. The Club meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month excluding Bank Holidays. The meetings take place at Newbiggin Golf Club at 7.30pm for a meal, fellowship, an occasional speaker and to discuss club projects. Our club is small, fun and effective. We support a number of projects, both local and international which have worthwhile charitable objectives.
(For we who don't get out much Wansbeck is up ear the Scottish border, according to Google earth)

Rotary Club of Berry Inc.

This Week—August 8th 2019

Chairman: Pres. Terry Delahunty

:ROTARY INTERNATIONAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Members' Birthdays

SERVICE AWARDS

Secretary's Report

Treasurer's Report

DINNER

Guest Speaker

Dennis Simond –Presentation re his Occupation

Introduction and Appreciation

PP Andrew Bevan

Directors' Reports

Coffee

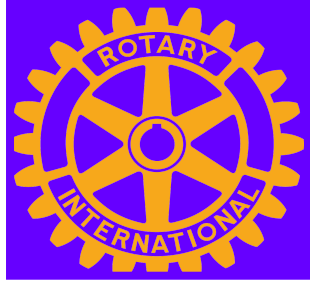
Sergeant at Arms

Heads & Tails

NATIONAL ANTHEM

Attendance Officer

If members are unable to attend or are bringing guests, please inform Brad Sewell by either email brad@robinsonsewell.com.au or by phone on **0427 390 016** no later than 6:00 pm on the day prior to the meeting.



NEXT CHOCOLATE WHEEL OUTING; .

SUNDAY September 1st 2019

Team 1 is the duty team.

NB. The club rule with the chocolate wheel is that if

Team 1	Team 2	Team 3	Team 4	Team 5
Andersen		Sweeney		Stinson
	Brawn	Edmondstone	Barker	Jacqueline Evans
Bevan	Crocker	Alan Baker	Terry Delahunty	Moore
Hobson	Gillott	Jacqueline Evans*	Dianne Ensor	Nicol
King	Lamshed		Brad Sewell	Smith
Williams	Vassallo	Jenny Delahunty	Seelis	

'ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD'

RI President Mark Daniel Maloney, from Rotary News.

Rotary allows us to connect with one another, in deep and meaningful ways, across our differences. It connects us with people we would never otherwise have met, who are more like us than we ever could have known. It connects us with our communities, to professional opportunities, and to the people who need our help. ... All of us are in Rotary together, whoever we are, wherever we are from, whatever language we speak or traditions we follow. We are all connected to one another — part of our communities and members not only of our clubs, but also of the global community to which we all belong. This connection is what lies at the heart of the Rotary experience. It is what brings us to Rotary. It is why we stay. Please join your fellow Rotarians on this journey as Rotary Connects the World.

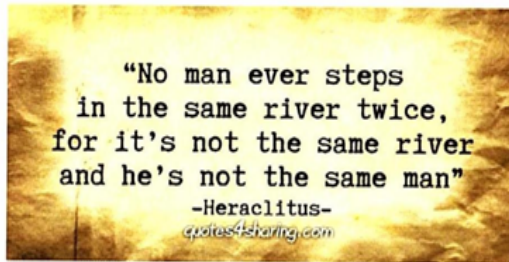
THE BERRY SMALL FARMS FIELD DAYS

There is a significant workload involved in this our major annual fundraiser and it's important we have all hands to the pumps to ensure its success.

The spreadsheet will again be circulated this week and there are still plenty of time slots to be filled for the preliminary setting up and for the manning of the gates.

Please give an extra effort to ensure the success of this our biggest event. Smith G F..

In addition, Jason, along with Ken Hutt, District chair for Polio plus, and 20 other Berry Rotarians and Friends of Rotary went on a fundraising adventure in March this year and Jason summarises this amazing experience of a lifetime below.



#EndPolio

I have an interesting story to tell you. This was something that was not on my bucket list However, I just couldn't resist the fundraising side. Where else can you raise a \$1 and get someone (Gates Foundation) to add \$2 and end up with \$3? This is what matters to me as a Rotarian, the ability to do good and as I was later to learnIt was

also to become a 'Rotary moment' for me.



Getting to base camp 5350m is not easy and for others to summit, requires even more of you. Trekkers usually start out at Lukla as we did and with a 130km round trip ahead to Base camp, you need to make sure you have done some basic research, bought and

packed some quality kit. I packed a hot water bottle and very glad I did! The Himalayan mountains are AWESOME, you'll enjoy Sherpa stew, spin some prayer wheels along the way and realise how hard the porters en-route work and above the end of tree line at 4000m what a beautiful inhospitable



place it can be. I'll leave the 'toilets' for you to discover and make sure you share a chocolate and a 'Namaste' ("I bow to or see the divine in you") with those you pass on the way.

Twenty-one trekkers set out on 16 Mar 2019 from Sydney, arriving at Kathmandu and then through to Lukla – the notorious 'most dangerous airport in the world'. Into our trip one trekker, sadly left us early with a further four being 'helicoptered out' after reaching base camp after several days of acclimatising and hard trekking. One was from a bad fall and the other three had different stomach and chest infections. We all suffered from exhaustion and had

forms of flu or colds, even I had a chest infection and my knees were shot. I was lucky and was able to purchase excellent knee pads and utilised hiking poles to assist. Our porters looked after us all well. Conditions were -20c at night in our rooms and you owned every step of the way.

It has been one of the highlights of my life and I was very proud to represent my Rotary Nowra club at Base Camp as you can see in this picture of me holding our flag/banner. My brief story ends here ...I will admit I am changed forever, and we raised awareness and a total \$150,000 for #EndPolioNow and at USD0.16c approximately 300,000 children will be eventually vaccinated. Thank you to Kerry, my partner, Ken Hutt (Rotary Berry) and all those whom supported me at the movie nights and along the way.

Cheers Jason Cox

**This is an interesting account of the Everest Trip
by a trekker and fellow Rotarian**



2019 / 20 - MEETING LOCATION SCHEDULE

DINNER MEETINGS - 6:30pm to 8:30pm at BERRY

BOWLING CLUB

AUGUST.....	1 st , 8 th , 15 th , 29 th .
SEPTEMBER.....	12 th , 26 th .
OCTOBER.....	10 th , 24 th .
NOVEMBER.....	7 th , 21 st .
DECEMBER.....	5 th , 19 th .
JANUARY.....	9 th , 23 rd .
FEBRUARY.....	6 th , 20 th .
MARCH.....	5 th , 19 th .
APRIL.....	2 nd , 16 th , 30 th .
MAY.....	14 th , 28 th .
JUNE.....	11 th , 25 th .

BREAKFAST MEETINGS - 7:00am to 8:00am at

JETZ CAFE

AUGUST.....	22 nd .
SEPTEMBER.....	5 th , 19 th .
OCTOBER.....	3 rd , 17 th , 31 st .
NOVEMBER.....	14 th , 28 th .
DECEMBER.....	12 th ,
JANUARY.....	16 th , 30 th .
FEBRUARY.....	13 th , 27 th .
MARCH.....	12 th , 26 th .
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MAY.....	7 th , 21 st .
JUNE.....	4 th , 18 th .

There was a power failure in a Dublin Department Store last week and three hundred people were stranded on the escalators for more than two hours.

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Our after dinner speaker last week was Michelle King from the Financial Services section of The Department of Human Services.

She was extremely informative and well versed on the financial aspects of the government's support system. Her presentation was very easy to understand and it appeared that most of those present were interested in what she had to say. She emphasized that the free advice that her organization provides is readily available to all and for those in doubt about any financial aspects should avail themselves of her department's services. She also urged that people who intended "gifting" to relatives or friends, seek legal guidance as the financial pitfalls of these practices can be tricky.



Our new Service Awards have been well received and last week Mel Gillott was presented with his milestone five year Award even though he has been a member for 6 years. Well done Mel.

I was also pleased to advise the meeting that following representation from the local Fire and Rescue, your Directors have decided to donate \$500 to their appeal for assistance for Havenlee and Budawang Schools. These local schools cater for about seventy children each who are all between the ages of 3 and 18 and who suffer from physical and intellectual disabilities as well as complex behavioral problems. Fire and Rescue guarantee that all money raised by them goes to the schools and our club is pleased to be able to donate to this worthy cause.

The response to the Volunteer Roster for our Small Farm Field Days, that was circulated at the meeting, was encouraging and with half the requirements now filled it seems that our members will be able to fill all the remaining volunteer "slots" at this week's meeting. Thanks everyone.

Just another reminder that our 60th birthday party will be at the Bowling Club on Thursday 12th September. It is obviously a partner's night and a whole host of dignitaries have been invited. It is \$25 per head for a served meal. No buffet that week.

Terry.

TIME OUT WITH ;-PP (FFP) Narelle King

Place of Birth—Manly Hosp. Sydney not Brisbane

Favourite Childhood Memories — Vegetable Garden with Dad, & Freshwater Beach —Magic

Favourite Food – Chicken & Seafood,

Favourite Drink – Sauvignon Blanc

Favourite Colour— Blue, like everyone else

Favourite Past time –Craft, Reading, Travel anywhere

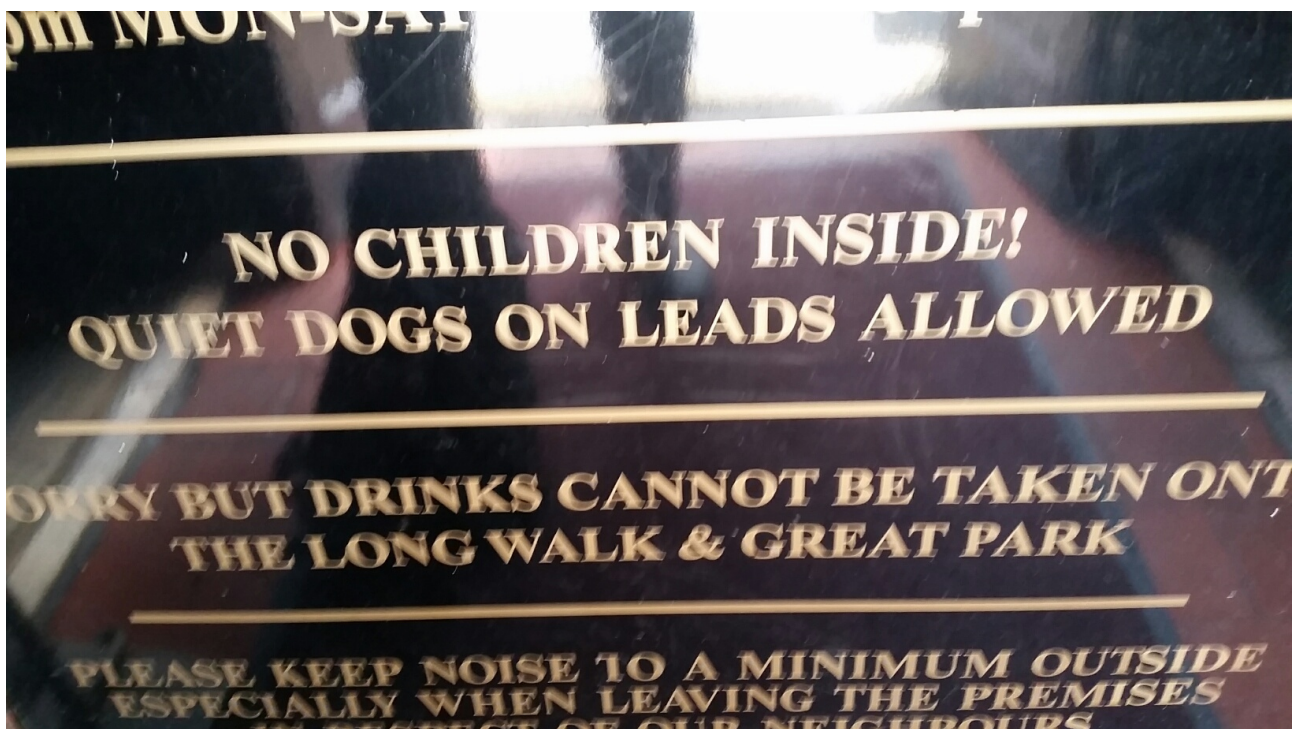
Favourite Place on Earth— Wherever my family is.

First Car - VW Bug

Siblings—She didn't say

Primary School – Harbord Public

Best thing about Rotary – Friendships formed, community involvement..



Very sadly this item of interest didn't reproduce well but I thought it worth circulating

FREE 65+ OLDER ROAD USERS' WORKSHOP

**Friday 16th August 1-3pm, St Luke's Hall
68A Princess St, Berry**

Roads and Maritime Services will provide this workshop and it will include information re the top 10 misunderstood road rules in NSW, safer driving habits, how your health can impact road safety, driver licensing at 75 and 85 years and safe use of mobility scooters.

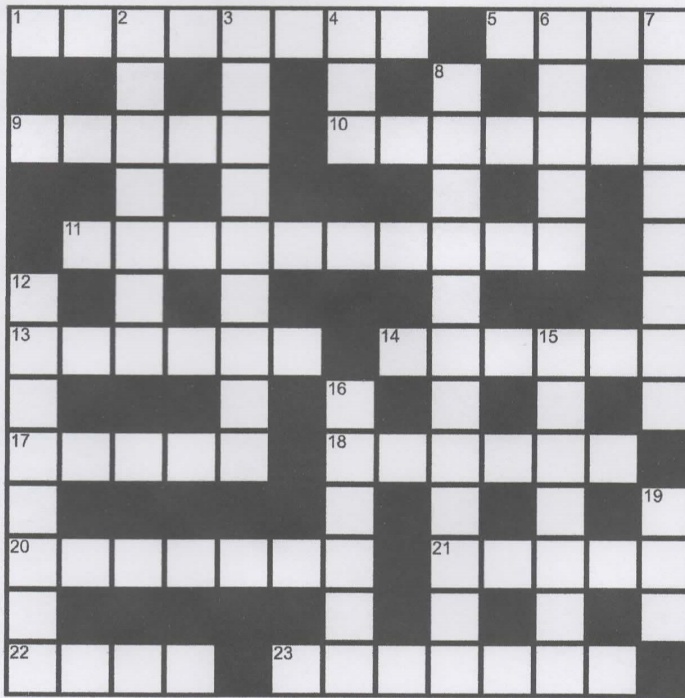
Sponsored by Knit with Love Group, St Luke's Berry,
but open to everyone.



Staying Independent and Safe



**Transport
for NSW**



Across

- 1 ? Delahunty [8]
- 5 The wise men[4]
- 9 Jeans material [5]
- 10 Haggle [7]
- 11 Aussie soap opera [10]
- 13 American alligator [6]
- 14 Japanese religion [6]
- 17 Not heavy [5]
- 18 Scottish musicians [6]
- 20 Charged [7]
- 21 Lubricated [5]
- 22 Eyrie [4]
- 23 Fiddled [7]

Down

- 2 Female retreat [7]
- 3 Ten pound pom [or Paddy] [9]
- 4 Move back [3]
- 6 Pile up [5]
- 7 Secretary [3,5]
- 8 Resistant to lack of rain [7,5]
- 12 Dish pig [8]
- 15 ?? King [7]
- 16 Arachnid [6]
- 19 Poem [3]

**A man called his mother in Florida, "Mom, how are you?"
 " Not too good," said the mother. "I've been very weak."
 The son said, "Why are you so weak?" She said, "Because I haven't
 eaten in 38 days."
 The son said, "That's terrible.
 Why haven't you eaten in 38 days?"
 The mother answered, "Because I didn't want my mouth to be filled
 with food if you should call."**

The Penultimate Back Page,
No Taste & No apologies
Some times they're not even offensive
And this isn't one of those times!!!
BEWARE.



The Ukulele Muster-The Bowlo-Last Sunday of the month. Is there a familiar face amongst these puckers?



Mrs. O'Toole said: "I can only tell you this bit of scandal once, because I promised Mrs. O'Leary I would never repeat it"

My first grade daughter and her friend both needed new boots as winter approached. The friend got in the car one morning and finally had gotten her boots. "Tina," I commented, "I see you got new boots! Where did you get them?"
"At the store," she answered.

"Which one?" I asked.
She began looking at her new boots and after a pause said,
"Both of them!"

