

## **THE BULLETIN**

*THE ROTARY CLUB OF BERRY Inc.*

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**“AND THE WINNER IS ———- CURABUBULA MARY”**

**A few lessons from Ken Twedde and the monthly Ukulele Muster will have a new participant.**



**The good thing about this raffle is that it put more dollars into the Polio Eradication coffers. Good on you KH..**

**Rotary Club of Berry Inc.**

**This Week—August 15th 2019**

**Chairman: Pres. Terry Delahunty**

**:ROTARY INTERNATIONAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

**Members' Birthdays**

**SERVICE AWARDS**

Secretary's Report

Treasurer's Report

**DINNER**

Guest Speakers;

Janet Brentnall & Shona Gilbert

**THE BERRY COMMUNITY LIBRARY**

**Introduction and thank you; PP Trevor Barker**

Directors' Reports

Coffee & **Narelle's cake!!!**

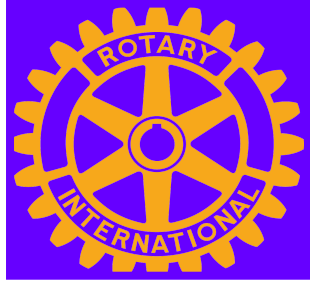
Sergeant at Arms

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](mailto: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	

## PRESEDENTS REPORT

Dennis Simond was our after dinner speaker last week and he gave us a comprehensive explanation of the background, structure and courses available at U3A Shoalhaven. The organization runs a great number of interesting courses in a wide variety of subjects which are available to retirees who have a bit of spare time and a thirst for knowledge. I joined last year and Jennifer, Smithy and I went to three separate courses. I highly recommend them to our club's members and partners.

The Small Farm Field Days Setup and Gate Roster were circulated again and almost all the volunteer slots have been filled. Thank you everyone for your contribution to our biggest fundraiser. Hopefully the remaining thirteen slots will be filled at next weeks meeting.

Narelle King and David Brawn were presented with their Berry Rotary Service Awards. Narelle joined the club in July 08 and received her milestone 10 year Award while David, who has been in Rotary for 22years including 7 years in our club, received his milestone 5 year Berry Rotary Award.

Mary Seelis was the lucky winner of the Cigar Box Guitar Raffle which raised more than \$2,300 for the End Polio campaign. Thanks Ken for your relentless pursuit of your End Polio goal.

Terry Delahunty



Dennis Simond

If you've never done a U3A course it's lot too late to start.

## SMALL FARM FIELD DAYS

### Volunteers Gate Roster

#### FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> September

##### **Albany Street Gate**

<b>6:30 to 8:00</b>	<b>Haseena</b>
<b>8:00 to 10:00</b>	<b>Narelle and Peter</b>
<b>10:00 to 12:00</b>	<b>Mel and Phil C</b>
<b>12:00 to 2:00</b>	<b>Dianne and Robert</b>
<b>2:00 to 4:00</b>	<b>Col and David B</b>

##### **Alexandra Street Gate**

<b>6:30 to 8:00</b>	<b>Shona and Terry</b>
<b>8:00 to 10:00</b>	<b>Terry and David E</b>
<b>10:00 to 12:00</b>	<b>Narelle and Mick</b>
<b>12:00 to 2:00</b>	<b>John B and Astrid</b>
<b>2:00 to 4:00</b>	<b>Graham S and Walter</b>

#### SATURDAY 7<sup>th</sup> September

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<b>10:00 to 12:30</b>	<b>Dianne and David B</b>
<b>12:30 to 3:00</b>	<b>Terry and TBA</b>

##### **Alexandra Street Gate**

<b>6:30 to 8:00</b>	<b>Shona</b>
<b>8:00 to 10:00</b>	<b>Peter and Andrew</b>
<b>10:00 to 12:30</b>	<b>Narelle and Laurelle</b>
<b>12:30 to 3:00</b>	<b>Astrid and John S</b>

## 2019 / 20 - MEETING LOCATION SCHEDULE

### DINNER MEETINGS - 6:30pm to 8:30pm at BERRY BOWLING CLUB

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

### BREAKFAST MEETINGS - 7:00am to 8:00am at JETZ CAFE

AUGUST.....	22 <sup>nd</sup> .
SEPTEMBER.....	5 <sup>th</sup> , 19 <sup>th</sup> .
OCTOBER.....	3 <sup>rd</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> , 31 <sup>st</sup> .
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JUNE.....	4 <sup>th</sup> , 18 <sup>th</sup> .

'I am' is reportedly the shortest sentence in the English language. Could it be that 'I do' is the longest sentence?



# Berry *Small Farm* Field Days



...a great 'country' day out for the whole family...



FRIDAY 6 & SATURDAY 7 SEPTEMBER 2019



## Somaliland - Displacement by drought



### **(Note the Shelterboxes)**

Somaliland has two rainy seasons, April – June and October - November. The last rainy season was below average for the fourth consecutive season. The majority of rural communities in Somaliland are nomadic pastoralists. Extreme weather is the biggest threat to pastoralists, with 85% livestock lost in 2017.

Some reports indicate that 9 million livestock have died across the country. The continuing drought has forced communities to move increasingly large distances to seek fresh food for their animals. As a consequence, these communities are now displaced and destitute.

There is a huge need for humanitarian assistance with an estimated 2.6 million people internally displaced across Somalia, of which almost 1.6 million are children. Ongoing drought and conflict have caused IDPs (internally displaced people) to be driven towards urban areas causing overcrowding and pressure on resources and essential services.

During this current response, ShelterBox has already provided aid to 3,468 households. A fourth project is now underway to support a further 980 families



## **OUR 60TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS**

Thursday 12th, lock it in, it's at the Berry Bowling Club, bring your wife, partner, friends and relo's. There will be more of our local dignitaries present than you can poke a stick at.. Come along and make it a fun gathering.

### **Welfare from PP FFP Narelle**

Geoff Dobbin has been in Shoalhaven Hospital all of last week, after surgery for a skin graft to his head. His daughter, Nicci, has let me know he has now been transferred to Nowra Private. He has a portable pump attached to his head, and is doing very well, and being well looked after. You can contact him for a chat on a direct line to his room on 44244710. We send our best wishes to Geoff, for a speedy recovery.

Jan Monaghan is now recovering well, after her very unusual 'attack', whilst gardening to her finger/hand, and is now only has a dressing to her finger. Great to hear she is well on the mend.

Thanks Narelle. GS

# **Here's one to disturb & offend both our Catholic & Jewish members**

## **The Pope and Golf**

The Pope met with his Cardinals to discuss a proposal from Benjamin Netanyahu, the leader of Israel.

"Your Holiness", said one of his Cardinals, "Mr. Netanyahu wants to challenge you to a game of golf to show the friendship and ecumenical spirit shared by the Jewish and Catholic faiths."

The Pope thought this was a good idea, but he had never held a golf club in his hand.

"Don't we have a Cardinal to represent me?", he asked.

"None that plays very well," a Cardinal replied. "But, there's a man named Jack Nicklaus, an American golfer who is a devout Catholic. We can offer to make him a Cardinal then ask him to play Mr. Netanyahu as your personal representative. In addition to showing our spirit of cooperation, we'll also win the match."

Everyone agreed it was a good idea.

The call was made. Of course Nicklaus was honored and agreed to play.

The day after the match, Nicklaus reported to the Vatican to inform the Pope of the result. "I have some good news and some bad news, your Holiness," said Nicklaus.

"Tell me the good news first, Cardinal Nicklaus," said the Pope.

"Well, your Holiness, I don't like to brag, but even though I've played some pretty terrific rounds of golf in my

life, this was the best I have ever played, by far. I must have been inspired from above. My drives were long and true, my irons were accurate and purposeful, and my putting was perfect. With all due respect, my play was truly miraculous."

"There's bad news?" asked the Pope.

"Yes, I lost by three strokes to Rabbi Tiger Woods.



## 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. (Unusual because she generally has something to say )

**Primary School** – Harbord Public

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

## **IPP STINSON Reports;**

**Gold star for the Prof. BSFFD banner near the bowling club is still upright. It must have been set in 5 cubic meters of concrete .**

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

**HOW DO YOU DECIDE WHO TO MARRY? (written by kids)**

**WHAT DO MOST PEOPLE DO ON A DATE?**

Dates are for having fun, and people should use them to get to know each other. Even boys have something to say if you listen long enough...

-- Lynnette, age 8 (*isn't she a treasure?*)

On the first date, they just tell each other lies and that usually gets them interested enough to go for a second date. Martin, age 10 (*isn't he ready for the world of dating?*)

**IS IT BETTER TO BE SINGLE OR MARRIED?**

It's better for girls to be single but not for boys.. Boys need someone to clean up after them.

-- Anita, age 9 (*bless you child*)

**HOW WOULD THE WORLD BE DIFFERENT IF PEOPLE DIDN'T GET MARRIED?**

There sure would be a lot of kids to explain, wouldn't there? Kelvin, age 8 (*I like this kid*)

**And the #1 Favourite is ....**

**HOW WOULD YOU MAKE A MARRIAGE WORK?**

Tell your wife that she looks pretty, even if she looks like a truck. -- Ricky, age 10 (*He'll be married forever*)