



WEEKLY BULLETIN

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Corrimal
Rotary
Club



District 9675

SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Transition Month

Tonight:
Peter Steele
Club Website Presentation & Update
6.30 pm - Zoom Meeting

Peter has been creating a new website for our Club and tonight will showcase this and give training on how to access the members only areas.

Last Week:

Our guest speaker last week was Zeynep Roberts who gave a presentation on the Step2 Foundation which she is a director of. The Step2 Foundation works in collaboration with international communities to build school infrastructure and provide resources to improve English, literacy and computer skills for disadvantaged children. Their projects result in community engagement providing opportunities to build other sustainable programs such as health education and social enterprises.

President Judy held a small Trivia night after our guest speaker with members asked 10 Trivia questions – winner was Dennis Clark.

Vale Johanna Fikkers:

Wife of Bill Fikkers. You will have heard that she has passed away.

Johanna was in a nursing home, suffering with the long-term disease of Dementia. Bill brought her to the Avondale picnic in 2020 and she still looked well and as we had remembered her.

Her passing last Wednesday was unexpected. Bill said that she was in no pain, and he believes that she and the family have been spared the slow debilitation of mind and body.

Of course, there is still shock and much grief.

Bill and Johanna were married for 27 years and he joined Rotary a year after their marriage – 26 years ago. Bill's Rotary experience was varied, conscientious and much appreciated.

Johanna happily shared in his Rotary commitment and tasks.

We pay tribute to the warmth and friendship of Johanna. She and Bill were very pleased to share the beautiful garden that was her major interest and creative activity.

There was always beautiful food, fellowship and friendship in their lovely home, hosted by this gracious lady and Bill.

The funeral service will be live streamed at 12.00 noon on Wednesday, hosted by Hansen and Cole. Details to come.

The club is honouring this family with the usual tributes. For personal contact, Bill's address is unit 24 – 2 Foothills Road, Tarrawanna. 2518 – The facility is called Tarrawanna Gardens. *Ruth*



Pete's World of Knowledge:



Indurate (*IN-der-et*), verb

[Link Rotary D9675](#)

[Link Rotary Down Under](#)

[Link RC of Corrimal](#)

Anniversaries for July:

Birthdays:

- 9 Emma Mather
- 23 Dennis Clark
- 25 Val Leiner
- 28 Peter Leiner & Jan Kemper

Wedding Anniversaries:

Nil

Club Anniversaries:

- 1 Adriana Pyrah (2003 & 2011)
Yvette Murada (2015)
- 6 Monica Sharman (2016)
- 31 Kate Strosberg (2013)

Upcoming Meetings:

- 4 Aug AG Julie Collereda
- 11 Aug TBA
- 18 Aug DG Jeremy Wright + Club Matters
- 25 Aug Anne Jane Linke – Seaside Scavengers

Dates to Remember:

- 10 Aug Climate & Peace Webinar
- 17 Aug ESRAG Chapter Meeting Webinar
- 18 Aug DG Visit – Combined with Illawarra Clubs
- 21 Aug Social Night – Progressive Dinner
- 18 Sept Days4Girls High Tea
- 16 Oct Relay4Life BBQ & Event
- 6 Nov Annual Trivia Night
- 13/14 Nov Wings of Illawarra BBQ & Event

If there are any events above which interest you, please feel free to come along or contact the Co-ordinator.

Member's Raffle:

40 Cards in the Deck - The Joker is worth \$700.
Tickets are available at the meeting or pre-paid by EFT to Club account (BSB 062 528 Account 0090 2773)
Let me know by email you have transferred money.

Dennis

Annual Fees Due:

No increase in Annual Fees this year. Fees are now due: \$250 for the year, or \$125 every 6 months.

Fees can be paid to the:

Club account (BSB 062 528 Account 0090 2773)

ANNUAL FEES

Why not pay your Centurian money at the same time? \$100.00 donation for the year.

Trivia Night:

New date for our Annual Trivia Night has been set and will now take place on **Saturday 6th November**. Grab your friends and book a table. Prizes also needed.

CREG:

There will be no cleanups until after the COVID-19 lockdown has been lifted.

The following webinars are coming up:

Climate & Peace Forum

Tuesday 10th August 2021

6:00 PM AEST [Register Here](#)

ESRAG's role with Climate Solutions & Project Drawdown

Tuesday 17th August

7.30 PM AEST [Register Here](#)

Peter & Dilys

Report from Tubigon West High School, Bohol, Philippines

In April this year, our Club sent \$650 to support 20 students whose families cannot afford school fees and materials cost.

The school has been in lockdown for over a year and the staff at the school have had to find money for computers, stationery and new photocopiers, none of which are provided by the state. This year our \$650 went towards a new photocopier.

The good news is that one student who has received our support for the whole of high school graduated from Year 12 with High Honours in June. Hopefully, he will be able to continue his studies and qualify for a position that will improve his life and that of his family.

Many thanks to you all,

Ann Baumber and

Gina Mascarinas

(Principal of the school)

Social Night – Progressive Dinner:

The Club's next social event is a Progressive Dinner to be held on Saturday 21st August - where you will enjoy hor d'oeuvres at



Progressive Dinner

Trish's home, main course with Yvette and finish up with cake and coffee at Paul's home.

Cost is \$30.00 per head (BYO). Places are limited to 50 people, so if you're interested in attending, please let me know. Payment by cash to me.

Kay

