



Rotary Opens Opportunities

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

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Corrimal  
**Rotary**  
Club



**District 9675**

## The Rotary Foundation Month

### Tonight:

**Adrian Polhill – Visit to Dalton tree planting**

Hear Adrian talk about his recent visit to the Upper Lachlan Valley where he organized a 're-greening' activity for 20+ volunteers to plant 1800 trees and shrubs on sheep farming property

**Zoom Meeting – 6.30 pm.**

### President's Note:

Well another great week although our family fun day had to be cancelled due to the weather, we have some exciting things planned in the future. We are ramping up for Christmas, with a busy looking December ahead, as always thank you to everyone for all their hard work.

Also thank you for everyone's input with the club assembly last week. I'm looking forward to having face to face meetings starting from next week.

*President Emma*

### Christmas Wishes Hamper Items:

We are looking for donations from people for our Xmas Hampers. Items like:

- ✓ Chocolates, either boxes of wrapped chocolates or small boxes or packs of chocolates but not hard centres. EG. Lindt Lindor balls, Cadbury Roses, Merci (Aldi), Nestle Quality Street.
- ✓ Packets of shortbread and Fancy sweet biscuits eg Palazzo, Locker cookies, Almond Fingers or Mince Pies
- ✓ Jam, Marmalade or lemon butter, Chutney or relish
- ✓ Tea bags or hot chocolate mix

If you can assist, or have family & friends who have donations, contact Sue (0402 818 075).

### FarmAid – “Moorlands” Dalton:

From 19-23 October 6 members together with Dilys' brother and his wife worked at “Moorlands” property about half hour north of Gunning. The property is partly on the Lachlan River which flooded last March and damaged extensive lengths of fencing. The damage to the fences ranged from just laying over to washed away completely but mostly they were washed offline and buried under silt and debris or hidden in the long pasture – which was head high in places. An incredible contrast to the drought areas of previous farm aid sites. Our tasks included finding the fence, extracting the wires and pickets from the grass and debris, pulling the fence back onto its proper line, concreting in missing strainer posts, driving in the pickets (easy in the soft sandy soil), untangling wires, joining broken wires and re-tensioning the fence. Altogether we recovered about a kilometre of fences.

The weather was mostly quite hot during the day and the crew enjoyed a cold drink or two after the day's work.



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## **Anniversaries for November:**

**Birthdays:** 16 Cliff Barker

## **Wedding Anniversaries:**

13 Linda & Don Bunclarke  
26 Peter & Jean Beattie

## **Club Anniversaries:**

14 Ruth Milne (2001)

## **Dates to Remember:**

7 Nov Rise & Shine Clean-Up – Rotary Park  
Sue Clark – 4283 4163  
21 Nov BBQ for FLL Regional Tournament  
Dennis Clark – 4283 4163  
5 Dec Bunnings BBQ Bellambi  
Dennis Clark – 4283 4163  
12 Dec Christmas Tree Sales  
Dennis Clark – 4283 4163  
13 Dec Myuana Way BBQ  
Dennis Clark – 4283 4163  
21 Feb Memory Walk & BBQ  
Dennis Clark – 4283 4163

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

## **Upcoming Meetings:**

11 Nov Liam Scale – TerraCycle  
18 Nov TBA  
25 Nov Steve Green – Author  
2 Dec Annual General Meeting  
9 Dec Club Xmas Party  
19-21 Mar D9675 District Conference  
Masonic Centre, Sydney

Due to COVID-19, getting guest speakers is an issue, if you can assist or have suggestions, please give Peter a call.

## **D9675 Conference 2021:**

District Conference - Save the dates – 19-21 March 2021  
- SMC Conference & Function Centre, 66 Goulburn St, Sydney. Great line up speakers planned.

Bookings: [Click here to book](#)

## **Joker Raffle:**

Joker raffle is hotting up with 23 cards left in the pack. If you haven't sent money to Dennis, get your skates on and don't miss out!

## **Next Climate & Peace Forum:**

The next forum is planned for Tuesday 10 November at 6.00 pm. Speakers will discuss Climate scenarios – fires, food security and risk management – post the US election.

To join the webinar you need to Register:

<https://climateandpeace.com.au/>



## **CREG:**

This week we have our normal 1st Saturday of the month cleanup at Corrimal Beach. We also have a commitment to Rise and Shine for this Saturday, at Blue Divers and Baden Powell Park. We will do the Baden Powell Park cleanup on Thursday morning, weather permitting. Meet at 9am this Thursday, parking off Meads Avenue, Tarrawanna. Saturday morning cleanup will be divided between Corrimal Beach and Blue Divers. Please let me know which site you would prefer to do. 8am start for both locations, followed by morning tea at our usual venue.

*Peter*

## **Stop Press:**



This week marks the 60th year that Ann Baumber and her family arrived in Australia.

Ann's father was in the Army. She and her four siblings have made a great contribution to the country. Careers, family and great citizenship have helped to 'make Australia great.' Just don't ask her about the monarchy vs republic for Australia!

## **Do You Know:**

That the 15million dollar business, Bunnings has a brilliant marketing campaign? Part of that system is the regular charity sausage sizzle. It is part of the image of 'ordinary - homely' that appeals to the public, especially housewives. Of course, Rotary Clubs and other groups benefit from the sausage sizzle and we are part of the general story of Bunning success.



For the full story, go to ABC iView and see the Gruen show of Wednesday the 26th October.

*Ruth*

## **Facemasks:**

Trish has some facemasks left, so with the current restrictions in place to keep yourself safe, if you need a cloth mask, please get in touch with her and she'll deliver one to you.