

# THE FULCRUM

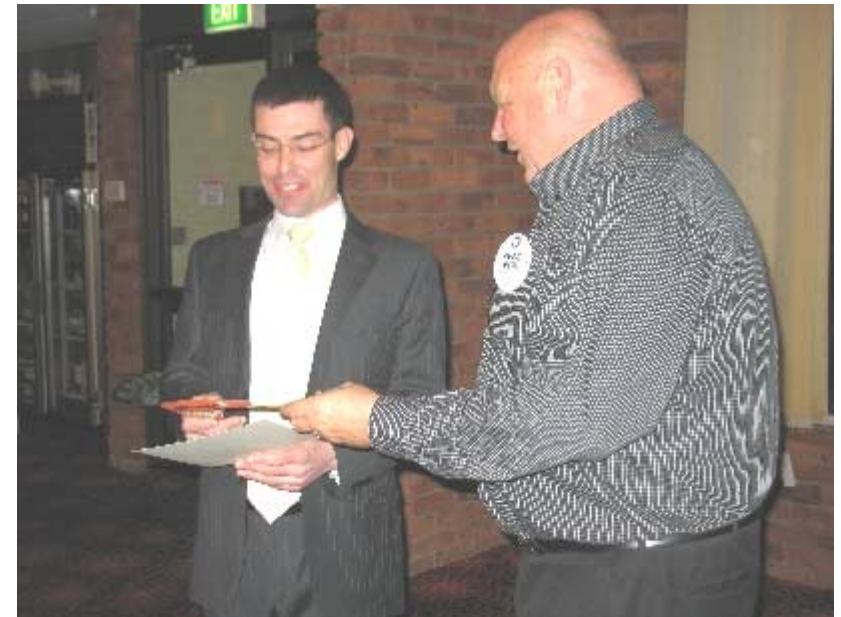
## Rotary Club of Padstow Inc.

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# SERVICE Above Self

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Programme.

16-05-2006 (Board Mtg)

23-05-2006 **\*\*Partners\*\*** Club Birthday Parliament House

Bk grocery grab not as good as we could. On for four occasions. Only selling \$20 per hour. Exclusively Australians who buy tickets. Young people take little interest. Sold about \$844 so far plus \$50 donations. So far paid for expenses. Slow going. Difficult for people as Woolworths have allowed double booking. Mothers day coming up. Keith Roffey to take tickets for work.

Barry McConville Historical segment.

Tony Blazek introduced new projects. Peter Spanos had just joined club. There was a debate on subject of could Peter Spanos infect his customers with AIDS The debate was the left side of the room against the right side of the room.

We admired peters personal control . a draw was declared.

27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> red shield appeal Raelene has given john a brief. We have our own area and we have to do the whole area. We need 40 volunteers.

Padstow bowling club offered premises for collection area

Donations in kind this Saturday

Trevor wants carols band and sound person and partners to be invited to changeover dinner. He offered to pay.

John Earls was late for a wedding at Watsons Bay his excuse was that he " got mixed up in oxford street."

Guest Speaker

Tad Purtill introduced by Peter Townsend.

Owner of superior speakers .he has degrees law and English literature

Ideas of how to talk to large or small groups.

A few years ago experts tried to find out major fears

Death from flying, running out of money, getting caught in the wrong bed,

Public speaking. Making a fool of yourself.

58% death

35% public speaking

most people giving speeches are hoping some catastrophe will intervene.

At age 11 he was asked to give speech spent two months sweating blood. Time arrived.

Threw a sickie and it worked he was excused . Unfortunately cant get away with it as an adult.

Major fear is giving a speech.

Used to get quite nervous. First he was Introduced to Rotary meeting . introduced as guest speaker. Only two people who knew were him and person inviting. Quite often this is the case with Rotary meetings

Break down in communication. Stand up to give speech.It has been a big day and the last thing they want to do is listen. Spoke better than normal. Adrenaline helps.

Final fear to make a fool of yourself.

85 people in a meeting in the CBD of Sydney were listening to a friend who was into his speech by 60 seconds woman put her hand up. Your fly is undone. Speaker started to fall apart. Started to forget speech.

Experience can get you out of these situations.

John F Kennedy was aware of this problem and always checked fly before he gave a speech.

Tad then gave out a sheet on the "Knows of Public Speaking" Tad was thanked by Maurie.

Welcome to guests and toast to Belgium and Australia  
Welcome to visting Rotarian  
District assembly thanks to those who attended. Padstow club had the best attendance on the day.  
Thanks to Terry for the work put in on the Police Officer of the Year awards  
For those who came to Allans birthday at race day it was a great day.  
First email from dist governor Bill is a Rotary article competition 9680 winner announced in Rotary down under magazine \$250 prize donated by RC Erina competition: "where is rotary headed.?"  
Money from dist simplified grants .We have a proposed project to help the family of a little girl " jaya" born 7.5 weeks premature. We are proposing to help build a new bathroom . Jaya is a very sick little girl  
Mike is not saying district will help as it is not community enough. We may not get a grant so will have to raise all the money ourselves.  
Sharon has contact with man to do traffic control for Padstow on Parade.  
This will take this responsibility away from club members  
Competition : National Australia Bank has a competition as  
nab volunteer awards for 2006. brochure to be |  
Notice to all people who are past Presidents , n  
governor. On Thursday 11 may meeting at rdu | lities  
of dg will be discussed.  
Michael plaige keen to be a involved with Padstow on Parade and carols. Trevor to contact him.  
New inventors can be visited. You can be part of the television live audience.  
Thanks to Barry and Joan for article in torch re time capsule which is at Caroline Chisholm School and is due to be opened in November 2006  
Grocery grab proceeds will go to Caroline Chisholm school.  
All directors and board members please can President Keri have annual reports for changeover. We will have to put cost of meal up to \$35 due to charge for room. For changeover.  
Allan Ashton invitation for us to attend a mental health forum the guest speaker will be hon. cherie burton at workers club at 6 pm on 17<sup>th</sup> may 2006  
Letter from rawcs committee list of rawcs project from warren my term as rawcs chairman is over John Reid will be taking over.  
No treasurers report  
Keith club admin report  
25<sup>th</sup> may parliament house visit club birthday.  
Dist changeover 25<sup>th</sup> june 52.50 a head.cheque to Ken.  
District conference in Newcastle  
Quest apartments. Shared accommodation.  
Keri our own club changeover 4 th july list to go around. For partners etc.  
Gaille thanks for standing infor Cliff at district assembly concerned the involvement of Padstow . Padstow is up with the best of them.  
Keri our club is trialling a leadership plan for the information of our guests  
Membership Barry McConville.  
Report on trolley super market trolley dash. First prize £300.  
From 1987.

Terry Martin vocational. Donation of \$100 from the feeding frenzy.  
Community service director not here Colin Duff.  
Quote:"John Earls bowel scan washup right on target."  
Youth report. Application for rypen.. Melinda update on ryda. Melinda attended ryda quite a few schools have joined up one of the things we need is donations from clubs . it is a long term project and clubs even donating \$100 will help. Also need chaperones to help on the day of the actual training. To be carried out on the 18<sup>th</sup> july.  
Hoping to get boc as major sponsor. BOC already sponsor of programme in another district.  
President Keri and Barry Thompson will go and help.  
Garry  
Family of rotary picnic day 4<sup>th</sup> june 11 am to sunset at bicentennial park.  
Bring the family.  
Michael.  
Regarding project for bathroom for disable child. The needs of disables child were assessed. The original diagnosis was wrong..  
Parent forced doctor to diagnose child. The second doctor came up with a different diagnosis. We need to help . Second half of this year. We could not get simplified dist grant as district feels that it is not "community" enough  
Budget of \$3000or work. To that value.  
Ker l we haven't allocated funds from end of year and some money could be made available from club.  
Joan public relations  
We have renewed a good connection at Bankstown express two articles on Barry Thompsons service award and one on Police Officer of the Year Award  
We need to cover publicity of 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.  
Bankstown express give permission to publicise local things so will follow this up.  
Maurie.  
Please look at photos we have undertaken project to rebuild hospital in Bohol in the Philippines. The small children squatting in area are using the frame of the hospital building as a home.  
Working wirh Rawcs needing Rawcs number hosp ital was started 10 years ago. We will be finishing the hospital .  
Quite a large project will lift the profile of our club.  
Have a large amount of cash . from people in industry.  
People from rental industry will donate large amount of money to finish project.  
Much of power tools donated will be auctioned to raise money.  
Impoverished people will get first service and will all be treated.  
Hospital is in cebu.  
Barry Thompson was at function for Bankstown council and a detective inspector who was at the Police Officer of the Year Awards congratulated the club for holding the event.  
Tony Blazek asking for experessions of interest Saturday flying by dash 8. fly to mudgee wine tasting back at Bankstown at 4.30 no dates yet.  
Cd of conference photos available to be copied. These are all the photos of conference taken by peter.  
Website notice changes click on members list it comes up with member of the day.  
Today is ken.