

Keri Sweet

- Shoeboxes can be taken to the President's Meeting on Friday night as PDG Ken Nicholls will be there and is more than happy to receive them.

David Edmunds

- Georgene has a lot of material available for shoeboxes.

Joan Wells

- The people from Careflight who are participating on the car rally have taken a stall at *Padstow on Parade*. Have given them a banner to carry in the rally, which goes to Tasmania.

Barry McConville

- The *Black Adder* night is on this Saturday in the Shire Hall, in Menangle Street, Picton. Menangle Street is a continuation of Picton Road.
- Contacted Bob Mather – an honorary and charter member of the Club – to find that there were no photos available before 1970. If you have any photos, or know of anyone with some, please let Barry know as they are needed for the Club history.
- Bent Jazz is on at Homestead Lake, Chipping Norton, between 1am and 5:30pm, on Sunday 27th August. Even though well-known artists (including Glen Shorrock) are performing, there is no charge,

Warren and Sharon Bond – Guest Speakers

Warren and Sharon Bond quickly put together a travelogue of their trip to Europe last December, after receiving an emergency phone call from Colin the night before.

Warren and Sharon left on 14 December 2005 to travel to Europe, on first class tickets. Their daughter Michelle generously gave of her time by looking after the business while the Bonds were away. The trip started with a stopover in Hong Kong, then on to England, Wales, Ireland, Germany, Switzerland, and France.

Highlights of their trip included:

- England - stayed in the Cotswolds.
- Wales - Snowdonia was beautiful.
- Ireland - caught up with their friend Joyce in Dublin.
- Germany - saw Renata, and Amke (who will be continuing uni studies in Australia or New Zealand next year).
- Switzerland - visited Karen and Steph (from France)
- France - went to Bordeaux to visit Florrie.

President Keith Roffey – Thought of the Week

Friendships multiply joys and divide griefs (Henry George Bohn)

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PROGRAMME

15-08-2006

21-08-2006

22-08-2006

Lyn McLean – Health for Life / MUNA students
Board meeting

Michelle Cutrupi – Hearing Awareness

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Minutes of 08 August 2006

Keith Roffey – President

- ROYA applications have been sent out to the District's Youth Directors.
- DG Harley Tarrant has requested that a design be found for a District banner to be used at District Conference.
- If any Directors want a spot at District Conference, they'll need to put a program up to District for consideration. Possibilities include *Padstow on Parade*, membership, and youth. This will be discussed at a Board meeting on the 21st.
- The desired accommodation for District Conference, Quest Apartments, was all booked in the first four weeks. Other accommodation will now have to be considered, for instance, Noah's have rooms in the range \$165-195 per night.
- 2 copies of *RAWCS Rover* have been received and circulated.
- Letter received from Ben Berriman (Duncan's son) re a bike ride to support literacy development in the third world. Contact was initiated through Springwood Rotary Club.

Kaye Townsend – Secretary

- Six replies to *Padstow on Parade* entertainment requests received.
- Letter from Panania Salvation Army received, thanking Club for \$300 donation to building fund. Receipt included.
- Letter received from the Chairman of the National Youth Science Forum to let the Club know that Jeff Weston was not successful. This was no reflection on Jeff – there were four times as many applicants as positions.
- President Keith will be attending the launch of the Career Advice Network.
- Letter to President Keith asking for sponsorship for a netball player to the NSW state netball team.
- The Youth Exchange newsletter for 2006, *Footprint*, has been received and circulated.

Colin Duff – Club Administration

- The next meeting of the *Padstow on Parade* committee will be on the 28th.

Tony Blazek – Community

- EHGTHS *Spring Fair* will be on the 9th of September, so we'll need to get the barbecue out.

David Edmunds

- Padstow on Parade
 - Julie gave the mobile phone to Georgene
 - 30 people have sent money and applications

Mike Kenny – International / TRF

- The Czech exchange student arrives Sunday week.
- Email received from Emma, and circulated.

Terry Martin – Membership / Vocational

- The Hurlstone nominee to the National Science Forum, Sean (from Padstow), was successful. Bankstown Rotary have asked us to assist in his financial support.

Cliff Dailey - Youth

- Leaflets for the Youth Afternoon have been sent to schools.

Joan Wells – Public Relations

- It is possible to get a guest speaker from the *Police and Justice Museum*.
- The MUNA winner is going to the Hague to represent Australia.
- As ADG, went to Chester Hill and spoke about the DG's projects. Shelterboxes were particularly well received. Also invited the President to Padstow's RYVA night.
- George Eden is having an antique car display on the 10th of September at Oakdale.
- Going with President Keith on 9th August to see *The Express*.
- President's Meeting on Friday night. Attendees are: Tony Blazek, Cliff Dailey, Keri Sweet, Joan Wells, and Keith Roffey.

Kevin Bouffler – Attendance

- 31/36 or 86.11% (2 members on leave of absence). Apologies received from Maurie Abbott, Melinda Heywood, Trevor Withnall, Geoff Hayman, and Alex Thomas, while Barry Thompson is a guest speaker at Gerringong.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Garry Metcalfe

- Frames available to place into shoeboxes
- Thanks from Norma Leggett re clean up.
- See Garry re community help next Saturday.
- Letter received asking for assistance for a neighbour to put up railings. Will need to check with the Council for the appropriate height, etc.)

Sharon Bond

- Rotary Overnight Kits
 - Picked up blankets to be distributed through the state by St Vinnies.
 - Next month need to have a day working on ROKs.