

Melbourne Cup Evening

Many thanks to David & Georgene Edmonds for sponsoring and arranging the Melbourne Cup Hat & Tie Parade.

There were many exclusive and ornate model hats worn and 1st prize went to Keri Sweet.
.The ties were indescribable and Barry Mc Conville took out 1st prize with a “magnificent” bow tie. The components of the hats and ties made for a very funny but a very enjoyable meeting.

Married Old Folks Are Funny Too.

Bob, a 70-year-old extremely wealthy widower, shows up at the golf club with a breathtakingly beautiful and sexy 25-year-old-blonde who knocks everyone’s socks off with her youthful sex appeal and charm and who hangs over Bob’s arm and listens intently to his every word. His buddies at the club are all aghast.

At the very first chance, they corner him and ask,

“Bob, how did you get your trophy girlfriend?”

Bob replies, “Girlfriend? She’s my wife!”

They’re knocked over, but continue to ask.

“So, how’d you persuade her to marry you?”

“I laid about my age “Bob replies.

“What, did you tell her you were only 50?”

Bob smiles and says.

“No, I told her I was 90.”

Dates to Remember

16 th November	RYDA. Members
17 th November	Presidents Meeting
24 th November	Opening of Time Capsule 11.30am
09 th December	Markets
09/10 th Dec.	Sale of Christmas Trees

Thought for the Week.

*We have in our power to begin the world all over again.
Thomas Paine.*

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PROGRAMME

14-11-2006	Club Assembly & Committees
16-11-2006	R.Y.D.A. at Penrith
20-11-2006	Board Meeting
21-11-2006	Juvenile Justice Centre Partners
22-11-2006	Clara’s birthday
28-11-2006	Joint Meeting with Wallacia –Mulgoa Club Exchange Students Presentation Partners
<u>December</u>	
04-12-2006	Carols in the Park (transferred meeting)
12-11-2006	Elections & AGM and Nicholas Hills
19-11-2006	Christmas Party Partners

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Directors Reports

Notes from Meeting held 7th November

President Keith Welcomed partners Steve, Maureen, Georgene, Candy, Margaret and Angie. Guests Heidi Steep, Julie Brideson, and John Riley who accessed our web site and came to find out more about Rotary.

Presidents Report

.ARHRF Christmas cards . \$12 pack. D.G's Newsletter, and Board Minutes. Also Convention 2007 Registration forms available.
.Our \$2000 donation to RAM has been allocated to 4 villages in Namatanai District of the New Ireland Province in PNG: Pukunmai (150 villagers), Lamassa(299), Kukule(177) and Lamassa Government Station (38).
ARHRF is offering, Australia wide 28 Scholarships of \$5000 each for medical students attending the 14 Rural Clinical schools of Australia. ARHRF also has 5 rural research grants at \$14,000 each available.

There will be an Interest Meeting at Bankstown Golf Club on 22nd November at 5.30pm, with the view to starting up a new club in Milperra.

Secretary's Report Kaye Townsend

Two grants received from Bankstown Council one of \$600 to cover Seniors Bus Trip and one of \$1500 to cover items for Youth Life skills.

Directors Reports

Colin Duff Club Administration

Bankstown City Council will be forwarding "Padstow on Parade" Sponsorship cheque soon.

Tony Blazek Community

BBQ at Bunnings on Saturday raised \$1,100. Ideas for Items to go back into the Time Capsule needed. Glowstiks ordered and Carol Sheets arranged. Christmas Trees ordered.

Mike Kenny Rotary Foundation /International

Certification for Rotary clubs participating in Youth Exchange Training takes place at Penrith Bowling & Recreation Club 15th November.

Cliff Dailey Youth

4 Students interviewed for RYLA 2 boys & 2 girls of very high standard.

Joan Wells P.R..

A reporter/ photographer from The Express will be present at the opening of Time Capsule at Caroline Chisholm School
A meeting with the Events office and chef re menu for 50th Celebration Evening next Wednesday 15th.

Attendance 31/36 86.11%

Apologies. Warren Bond (Nepal), Frank Katalinic, John Milne, Sharon Bond, Terry Pedder, Veronica Necyporuk, Kay Trappett, Peter Spanos.

General Business

Keri Sweet . 1172 shoe boxes were loaded into container for Timor last Saturday . Thanks to all who helped. The CEO of RYDA was referred to Pat Rogan due to the registered clubs interest in RYDA. The State Government and the RTA have also shown interest.

Barry Thompson Hopes to obtain government interest in Peace & Conflict Resolution Studies in line with the W.A. government who have pledged \$200,000 to support these studies. 7 Universities around the world take mid-career people to further studies in Peace and Conflict Resolution studies.

Garry Metcalfe Como- Jannali club has donated a truck load of Furniture to the club for us to use as we see fit.

Bryce Steep . Pampering Days have raised about \$700 towards their Young People's trip to Fiji.

David Edmunds Theatre Party to "Priscilla , Queen of the Desert", seats available between 14th and 29th November. Cost \$90 or \$91 with dinner Most likely date 22nd November.