

BAGPIPES

- Q. What's the difference between bagpipes and a lawnmower?
A You can tune a lawnmower.
- Q. How can you tell when a piper has perfect pitch?
A He can get them in the pond without hitting the ducks.
- Q. What's the difference between bagpipes and an onion?
A You cry when you chop up an onion.
- Q. What's the definition of a gentleman?
A Someone who knows how to play the bagpipes but doesn't.
- Q. What's the range of bagpipes?
A 20 metres if you're good enough.
- Q. Why do pipers always walk when they play?
A Moving targets are harder to hit.
- Q. What's the difference between Great Highland and Northumbrian bagpipes?
A The Great Highland burn hotter.
- Q. How do you make a chainsaw sound like bagpipes?
A Add vibrato.

PUZZLE PAGE

How many words can you make with the following letters?

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

PROGRAMME

- 17 Feb Mission Australia
- 22 Feb PETS at St Marty's High School
- 24 Feb Board meeting
- 10 Mar Club assembly
- 14 Mar Markets
- 23 Mar Outbound GSE team to District 4710
- 24 Mar Katy Ashton – Rebound
- 31 Mar Board meeting
- 05 Apr Daylight saving ends
- 10 Apr Good Friday
School holidays start
- 11 Apr Markets
- 25 Apr Anzac Day
- 27 Apr School holidays end

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Laurence and Anne describe their north to south crossing

TONIGHT'S PROGRAMME

Mission Australia

NEXT MEETING

24 February – Board Meeting

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Precis of Club Notes for 10 February 2009

Mike Kenny – President

- Welcomed guests
- District Governor's Bush Fire Appeal.
- Future arrangements at Hero's Hill

Allan Sweet – Treasurer

- Fees \$100 now due.

Joan Wells – Club Administration

- Change rooms next week.
- President's meeting – Friday. Sharon, Keri, Joan & Mike are going.

Julie Harris – Community

- Markets this Saturday – Lauren will help Joan.
- POP – all committee positions filled – POP is on Sunday 25/10/2009.

Garry Metcalfe – Rotary Foundation / International Service

- YEP hike this weekend. Sheet going around for helpers.
- Need transport to bring hikers back.

Sharon Bond – Youth

- Bush fires – we are sending 12 pallets to Albury Rotary Club.
- Goods will be distributed by Rotary Clubs in Northern Victoria.
- Kids in Sri Lanka using literacy packs.
- Laurence's wish list is going around.
- Having Laurence around for a meal.

Keith Roffey – Public Relations

- New blood warmer donated to Bankstown Hospital.
- Clean up Australia registration forms.
- Conference accommodation has been finalised.
- Keri & Keith attended Rotary Conference Leadership Training Day.
- Next course April 4.

Kevin Bouffler – Attendance

- 33/39 – 84.62%
- Apologies from 6 members.

GENERAL BUSINESS

Alan Sweet

- Golf day 28/04/2009 –proceeds, sponsors, and committee.

Gaille Walton

- Gaille has some literacy bags in her car if anyone wants one to fill.

Barry Thompson

- Bill Gates' signed cap to be auctioned on eBay.

Mike Kenny

- Calling for someone to help get the service awards started as Alex is away.

Terry Pedder

- Has 3 people he would like to nominate for Pride of Workmanship.

GUEST SPEAKERS

- Laurence (our Belgian exchange student) and Anne (Burwood Rotary Club's French exchange student) spoke on their trip from Darwin to Adelaide.

Tony Blazek

- Members donated over \$765 for the fire appeal; Club will round it to \$2,000.



Chan (left) and Van receive the Club's thanks for their great food and service