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The Rotary Club of Woolgoolga Inc.

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Club President
Pam Stone
District Governor
Phil Hafey
Rotary International
President
Mark Daniel Maloney

Meetings each month
1st Sat: auction shed
8:30-9:30
2nd & 4th Mondays
6-8pm Woolgoolga C.ex
3rd Monday
Board meetings VIC
If 5th Monday,
contact Secretary

YOUR CHANCE TO SHAPE THE YEAR AHEAD 29 JULY

It's the 5th Monday of the month so President Pam is having a Club Assembly to brainstorm the year ahead. It's a particular opportunity for newer members to have an input.

So far current plans include the Ludhiana Indian International Project, Pride in Work, 'Pitch a Project' local community project, Bush Dance to raise funds for Men's Health projects via Rotary Australian Health and seeking new members by being more visible in the community. Added to this we have our regular fundraiser auctions and annual projects including RYDA (youth driver safety) and the Coffs Coast Science and Engineering Challenge at Woopi High.



LAST MEETING (22 Jul for those who missed it)

Guest speaker Barry Butler talked about his time as an engineer for Concorde supersonic jets and stress testing different components.

Concorde development commenced in 1969 and took years and millions of pounds, overrun costs and delays before the first testing in Bristol. The supersonic passenger airliner operated 1976-2003 and could travel London to New York in 2.5 hours. The engines were developed by Rolls Royce in partnership with British Aero Space and France under a treaty (the name 'Concorde' means agreement, harmony or union).

The jet flew at twice the speed of sound (faster than a rifle bullet at 2,180km/hr) and 11 miles high. Jet rotation on lift off was 18 degrees and it took 2 tonnes of fuel just to take off. It was a relatively small passenger jet with a unique design and flew for 27 years mainly London/Paris and London/New York or Washington. Because of cost, it was mainly used by wealthy passengers and businesspeople.

Eventually there were only 14 commercial Concordes and its development was costing British Aero Space 1.33 Billion British pounds, 6 x original costs. Barry spoke of multiple errors causing the infamous crash of the Concorde at take off from Paris in 2000— with loss of 100 passengers, 9 crew and 4 on the ground. It was not only this crash that meant the end of the era for the Concorde but low passenger numbers, the oil crisis, maintenance costs, and environmental issues (including sonic boom).



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Monday

SAVE THE DATE

Our meeting on 26 August is with the District Governor.

Members, partners & potential new members welcome.

PITCH A PROJECT

Do you know a Community Group with a project our Rotary Club might assist with?

STATS AT A GLANCE (not available)

Visiting Rotarians:

VISITORS:

ATTENDANCE: 8

APOLOGIES:

RAFFLE:

Birthdays: Dick Matthews 6 Aug, Geoff Royal 7 Aug,

Anniversaries:

NEXT AUCTION Sat 3 AUG

Help out if you can, still a few of us away. Our helper group is Woolgoolga High School.

NEWS FROM COFFS HARBOUR CITY CLUB

Some of you may remember attending a couple of years ago to hear Glenn Miles, Australia's then Ambassador to Lebanon talk about his life and his job. Glenn is now Australia's Ambassador to Egypt, Sudan and Eritrea and he is coming back to give another entertaining presentation on an different part of the world. Glenn's Mum lives in Coffs so this is a great opportunity. Coffs City Club will host a dinner on Thursday 12 September. Details will follow soon but pop this date in your diary if interested.

THE BUSH DANCE UPDATE

Further to last newsletter...the venue for the Bush Dance on 21 September is Yeates Hall, Scarborough St. The time is 5-9pm and the cost is \$20 per adult or \$45 per family. Entertainment is provided by Tallowood Bush Band. Start organising friends to come along and have a great time.



ROTARY supports DonateLife Week.....

DonateLife Week! A national awareness week dedicated to promoting organ and tissue donation.

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DonateLife Week
28 July-4 August 2019

CLUB NOTICES	2019	
	3 August	Auction (Woopi High)
	26 August	DG visit to Woolgoolga meeting
	7 Sept	Auction (Corindi RFS)
	12 Sept	Cluster Meeting hosted at Woolgoolga
	21 Sept	Bush Dance
	28 Sept	Curryfest

DISTRICT NOTICES	2019	
	12 Sept	Coffs City Rotary dinner with Glenn Miles
	22 Sept	NYSF briefing
	27 Oct	Graffiti removal day

MEETING DUTY ROSTER Please swap nights if you cannot attend				
Date	29 July Club Assembly	3 August	12 August	19 August
Attendance	Geoff Royal		David Fayle	Board Meeting
Welcome/Fellowship	na	AUCTION	Dick Matthews	4.15pm
Introduce Guest Speaker/s	na		Pam Fayle	VIC
Vote of Thanks	na		Julie Marshall	
Guest Speakers or Event	Brainstorming Session		tbc	

Your Rotary Club Needs YOU

Want to be on the BOARD?- (see Pam S)

Can you help with AUCTION work or the PICK-UPS ? (See Norm or Lyndee)

WISH TO PROPOSE A NEW MEMBER? (Contact Pam F)

KNOW A FAMILY INTERESTED IN HOSTING A YEP STUDENT? (See Patty)